

PARASITIC INFECTIONS AND MATERNAL AWARENESS  
OF PRESCHOOL CHILDREN IN KARMOUZ DISTRICT, ALEXANDRIA

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**ABSTRACT**

Intestinal parasitic infections are widespread especially among preschool children living in poor areas. Also pediculosis has been perceived as a public health nuisance for decades. A cross-sectional study was conducted on 256 children and their mothers in a poor urban district to assess mothers' knowledge and practices as regards parasitic infections and infestations that may be present in her preschool child, and to correlate the presence of these infections with her awareness. A pre-designed questionnaire