

# **Colorectal Cancer in Egypt: What Do We Know So Far?**

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- 3<sup>rd</sup> cancer incidence in the world
- 7<sup>th</sup> in Egypt .
- Early detection requires knowledge.

# 1998-2019

- 6 publications .
- From the same institutions and centres
- NCI, ASUH, Mansoura University, CAIRO University.
- No proper geographic representation.

Total number of patients  
studied : 2200 patients .

- 35% patients under the age of 40 years old.
- Family history didn't show any relevance
- The younger the patients the more advanced the lesion is .
- Left sided cancer is more common in females

- No mention for polyps except one publication
- No mention of time between symptoms and diagnosis
- No mention for the symptoms.

# Conclusion

We Got a Gap Of Knowledge  
Which Need To Be Filled

# How ?

- Multicenter Studies.
- Representative sample size
- Nation wide.
- Dedicated researches.
- Funding.



# Aim

- The ultimate aim is to cover all gaps of knowledge
- To define which population at true risk
- The true burden of colorectal cancer
- To be able to use the result to establish a screening and early detection program

**Thank You**