Word of National Cancer Institute, Cairo University

I submit my honest greetings at the beginning of the academic year for each staff member at the National Institute of Oncology - Cairo University as well as students of the Institute.

I also submit a special greeting to patients whether who are being cured inside the Institute or outside it. Caring for these patients is a primary concern for all workers in this field and a noble goal that we all strive to achieve through the daily work of continuous and comprehensive periodic follow-up of new, useful remedial, sophisticated and appropriate policies for the Egyptian patients who are dear to our hearts.

Finally, I ask God the continuity of progress to keep pace with the scientific, pioneering march in this field and provide the highest possible level of services for cancer patients, as well as scientific research in this field.

About the National Cancer Institute, Cairo university

Established National Cancer Institute in 1959 an independent college of Cairo University was officially inaugurated in 1969, the Institute has a major hospital (capacity 500 beds) and eight sections in all disciplines oncologist, namely: Cancer Surgery - Oncology - and radiation therapy for tumors - anesthesia and pain treatment - medical analysis and leukemia - Pathology Oncology - Biology of tumors.

The strength of the Institute staff 1252 people, including 296 physicians (135 faculty members holding doctorates and 220 nursing staff and 292 management of the Institute - 28 engineers and assistants, 164 technicians and 252 workers and mission of the Institute include the following four areas: treatment of patients with cancer education and training -- area of scientific research and national security. 1 - Therapeutic Services:

The Institute provides therapeutic services free of charge to 65% of patients and the remaining 35% being treated at economical prices low and include mainly patients with governmental institutions and bodies of the insured and are frequented by the Institute are currently 140 patients a year Ambulatory addition to ten thousand patients the department of Homeland The Institute provides services to patients all counties, but most patients (47%) of the governorates of Cairo and Giza. Treatment and is characterized by the integration of the institute various disciplines needed for the diagnosis and treatment of tumors as well as the high level of performance is the result of experience gained from specialization over twenty-four years of the Institute has been selected as a reference for the WHO in the disciplines of bladder cancer and head and neck cancer.

2 - Education and training:

The Institute is in limited centers in the world to the graduate programs in all science, including cancer and a master's degree in the treatment of pain, as well as doctoral degrees in disciplines Enrollment: Cancer Surgery - Clinical Oncology - Radiation therapy for cancer - Cancer Pathology - Laboratory Medicine tumors, leukemia and cancer biology.

Institute and contains the largest scientific library in Egypt of books and periodicals in the various sciences of cancer has been strengthened to computer services.

The scientific journal of the Institute of its own since 1982, publishes specialized scientific research in the field of cancer, the Institute also organizes an annual conference on the national level to discuss new research in collaboration with other

specialized centers in the Arab Republic of Egypt.

The Institute is an important center for training of personnel due to the huge potential, as well as the experience of faculty members that the high has been selected in the top of the Institute of international education of the World Health Organization, in an interdisciplinary treatment of cancer of the bladder and head and neck cancer

Given the importance of public awareness of the disease in the fight against cancer, The Institute organized a sustained campaigns using the media aimed at promoting awareness of health of citizens in this area and include a presentation of the campaign known causes of the disease and methods of prevention and early symptoms of the disease and the importance of regular screening for early detection of cancer and the need to speed up treatment centers specialized agencies.

3 - Applied Research and Field:

Of the National Cancer Institute has extensive expertise in research, in particular tumors were more prevalent in Egypt Examples include: bladder cancer among farmers analysis of urine cells - surgical treatment and radiation for bladder cancer - epidemiology of breast cancer in females and epidemiology of cancer of the Alimfawy and leukemia in Egypt - smoking and lung cancer - and statistical studies on the prevalence of cancer in the Greater Cairo and Fayoum. The Institute has a significant international activity in the scientific and research cooperation with other organizations in the vernacular of cancer such as the World Cancer Control and the World Health Organization as well as many countries, especially the United States of America and France and England, the Netherlands and Sweden, including centers of global cancer which it had worked closely Institute: The Institute of the U.S. National Cancer Institute Jstav Rossi, a hospital in Paris, London and Guy Dutch National Institute of Oncology Karolinska Hospital, Sweden, and to achieve this cooperation to take advantage of global achievements in this field and its application in the treatment of patients Egyptians.

4 - National area:

Of the main duties of the Institute to develop and implement a plan to fight cancer on the national level in cooperation with the Ministry of Health and Colleges of Medicine and the Medical Association and include the plan being waged in ways that raise public awareness of prevention and early detection and identification of research priorities of the national character and determine the number and specifications of cancer centers and their geographical distribution with manpower training and supervision to ensure the application methods of treatment which commensurate with the patient Egypt.

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Goals of The National Cancer Institute ,Cairo university

Strategic objectives of the unity of quality: The development of graduate programs in dealing with tumors

Strengthening and advancing scientific research by Increase the competitiveness of the cadres in the field of tumor Strengthen community service programs and development environment Raise the institutional capacity of the material and human

History of the National Cancer Institute ,Cairo university

The development of modern oncology in Egypt is credited to two great surgeons, namely: Professor Abou-El Nassr and Professor El Sebai. The idea of establishing a National Cancer Institute arose in 1950s and was implemented through the great administrative efforts of Professor Ahmed Lotfi Abou El Nassr. With the same enthusiasm, Professor Ismail El Sebai introduced radical surgery for cancer and trained a large group of Egyptian surgeons. Thanks to their efforts, Oncology was recognized as a separate specialty by Cairo University in 1959. The Original National Cancer Institute including its hospital 270 beds was built in the sixties and started operating in 1969. The total cost of building as well as equipment and foreign educational missions was only one million Egyptian Pounds (about \$2.6 Million). The running cost for the year 1969 was 83 thousand LE (\$200,000). Manpower Included 40 medical staff members as well as, 150 supporting and nursing staff serving in first year of operation about 5,700 new cases and 8,000 outpatient visits.

Manager of The National Cancer Institute, Cairo university

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Mission of the National Cancer Institute ,Cairo university

The mission of the National Cancer Institute -Cairo University (NCI) is proper control of cancer in Egypt through developing and maintaining integrated quality programs in patient care, research, education and prevention

About of the National Cancer Institute ,Cairo university

The NCI mission could only be accomplished by building and maintaining government and public trust and support, together with national and international cooperation to reach the state of the art in application of health care.

NCI is committed to the multidisciplinary approach in cancer management in which different treatment modalities cooperate rather then compete. Professional and public education is vital to solve the problem of the late presentation of patients