

**Agenda**  
**Reproductive Health Working Group Meeting**  
**Riviera Hotel, Beirut, Lebanon**  
**July 5-7, 2003**

<b>Saturday July 5th</b>		
09:00 – 09:30	<b>Introduction</b>	Hind Khattab / Huda Zurayk
09:30 – 11:30	<b>Poverty</b>	
	<b>Organizer:</b> Marwan Khawaja <b>Chair:</b>	
	<b>Presentations:</b>	
	- An Introduction to the Poverty Issue	Aysa Burga
	- Poverty Study	Marwan Khawaja
11:30 – 12:00	<b>Coffee break</b>	
12:00 – 02:00	<b>Infertility</b>	
	<b>Organizer:</b> Marcia Inhorn <b>Chair:</b>	
	- Global Infertility and the Globalization of New reproductive Technologies: Illustrations from Egypt and Lebanon	Marcia Inhorn
02:00 – 04:00	Lunch break	
	<b>Sexuality</b>	
	<b>Organizers:</b> Hind Khattab and Faysal El Kak <b>Chair:</b>	
	<b>Presentations:</b>	
04:00 – 04:30	- Health Providers' study in Lebanon	Faysal El Kak
04:30 – 05:00	- Health Providers' study in Egypt	Sexuality Study Team member
05:00 – 05:30	Discussion	
05:30 – 05:45	- Sexuality proposal	Samia El Hadi
05:45 – 06:00	- Annotated bibliography on Sexuality	Francoise Ghorayeb
07:00 - open	Consultative Committee Meeting	RHWG Coordinator and Consultative Committee members
<b>Sunday July 6th</b>		
09:00 – 11:00	<b>Health Sector Reform</b>	
	<b>Organizer:</b> Hassan Zaki <b>Chair:</b>	
	<b>Presentation:</b>	
	- Egypt study First Phase	Hassan Zaki
	<b>Progress reports:</b>	
	- Lebanon progress	Sima Ramadan

11:00 – 11:30	Coffee break	
11:30 – 12:30	<p><b>Marriage</b></p> <p><b>Organizer:</b> Hind Khattab <b>Chair:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Paths to Marriage: Arranging Choices and Choice in Arrangements.</li> </ul>	Belgin Tekce
12:30 – 01:30	Embodied Masculinities: The Male Body and Reproductive Health	Farha Ghannam
01:30 – 3:00	Lunch break	
03:00 – 05:00	<p><b>New Researchers</b></p> <p><b>Organizer:</b> Rita Giacaman <b>Chair:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Malnutrition and Poverty</li> <li>- Poverty and willingness to pay for better quality health care</li> </ul>	Samia Helilah Rana Khatib and Awad Mataria
06:00 - open	Group dinner	All Participants of the Meeting
<b>Monday, July 7</b>		
<b>09:00 – 11:00</b>	<b>Childbirth</b>	
	<p><b>Organizer:</b> Tamar Kabakian <b>Chair:</b></p> <p><b>Presentations:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- C-section study in Lebanon</li> <li>- Birthing practices in Palestine / C-section study</li> <li>- Egypt DHS C-section study</li> </ul> <p><b>Short reports:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Progress on Egypt Childbirth Study</li> <li>- Progress on Syria Childbirth Study</li> </ul>	<p>Tamar Kabakian Laura Wick</p> <p>Marwan Khawaja / Oona Campbell</p> <p>Karima Khalil Hyam Bashour</p>
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee break	
11:30 - 01:30	<p><b>Future of RHWG</b></p> <p><b>Organizer:</b> Hind Khattab <b>Chair:</b></p>	
04:00 - open	Consultative Committee Meeting	RHWG Coordinator and Consultative Committee members