

# Updates on Covid 19 response in UAE

## PUBLIC HEALTH WEBINARS

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**Dr. Farida Ismail Al Hosani**, The familiar face of the efforts and developments of COVID-19 pandemic in the United Arab Emirates. Dr. Farida Al Hosani, is the official spokesperson for the health sector in the UAE and manager of Communicable Diseases Department, Abu Dhabi Center of Public Health and Adjunct Associate Professor at the College of Medicine and Health Sciences at the UAE University.

Dr. Farida graduated from the Medical College at the UAEU in 2003. In 2011 she obtained a Master of Public Health from Johns Hopkins University in the United States. She have got a DrPH in Health Policies and Management in 2018, and a Diploma in Public Sector Innovation from Mohammed bin Rashid Center for Government Innovation and University of Cambridge in the United Kingdom in 2017. She also obtained a Master in Strategic and Security Studies, from the National Defense College in the UAE in 2019.

Dr. Farida Al Hosani contributed in the field of public health, as she participated in scientific and international research in health and infectious diseases and developed strategic plans for infectious diseases preparedness and dealing with pandemics. She is an expert of the World Health Organization in the field of emerging diseases.

Dr. Farida Al Hosani received a number of awards, including: Hamdan Bin Rashid Education Award for Outstanding Performance in 2007, Excellent Bravo Award for Outstanding Employee from the Department of Health in Abu Dhabi and Abu Dhabi Award for Excellence in Government Performance in 2013. In addition, an Excellence in Teaching Award from the UAE University.



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