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NAAMA 32nd International Medical Convention



Marrakesh

December 27, 2022 - January 1, 2023

Presented by the National Arab American Medical Association
In collaboration with Cadi Ayyad University School of Medicine, Marrakesh

Dear Members, Colleagues and Friends,

It is with great pleasure that we invite you on behalf of the National Arab American Medical Association (NAAMA) to join NAAMA's 32nd International Medical Convention in Marrakesh on December 27, 2022, until January 1, 2023.

Keeping up with NAAMA's tradition of providing state of the art opportunities for knowledge sharing and collaboration across disciplines, this year our scientific theme is "Health 360°". A befitting topic for the changing landscape of healthcare and healthcare delivery.

Join NAAMA members and our colleagues during the day for a state-of-the-art scientific program that addresses local and global health trends and the latest advances in healthcare and wellness. Then in the evening immerse yourself in the pleasure of exploring Marrakesh, a city that was described by Winston Churchill as "the loveliest spot in the whole world".

There are so many reasons why you should join our convention this year, just go through these pages and explore them for yourself. We are certain you will enjoy.

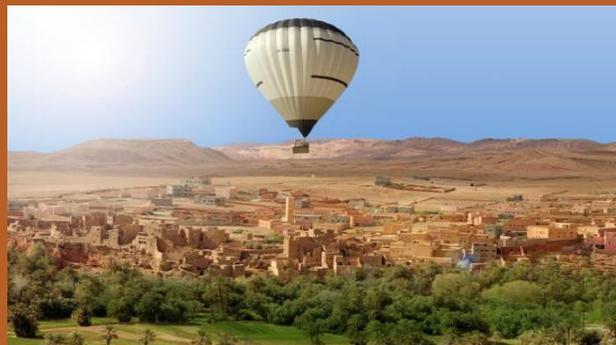
We look forward to seeing you in Marrakesh, please make your plans early due to limited rooms and spaces.

Ahlan wa sahlan.

NAAMA 32nd International Medical Convention Organizing Committee

Why Marrakesh ...

Marrakesh is perhaps the most fascinating Moroccan city. With its exotic blend of traditional Arabic culture fused with African influence and sprinkled with more than a little European flavor, Marrakesh boasts a unique, enchanting identity and charming people.



Marrakesh provides a stunning host location for the most unique and memorable meetings and events.

Marrakesh will overload your senses. Djemma el Fna is the heartbeat of the city and one of the most vibrant and charismatic squares in the world.

You will be taken back in time as you explore the labyrinthine alleyways of the old, fortified city.

Known for its big variety of dishes, Moroccan food is family oriented, ceremonial, and festive.

It is scented, sensual and colorful.

Healthy, the main ingredients are aromatic herbs and spices. For Instance, the legendary spice Ras El Hanout - which literally means the best of the shop, is a mixture of 27 spices!



Marrakesh also offers a selection of outstanding restaurants and clubs.

Oriental night or western style parties, Marrakesh is full of surprises after the sun goes down for you to indulge in some relaxing time after a day of lectures.



We are certain you will have memories that will last a lifetime!

Program at a Glance

Day 1: December 27, 2022

Arrival: transfer to the Radisson Blu Hotel.

Evening: Welcome Reception and Convention Dinner

Day 2: December 28, 2022

Morning: Scientific Program

Afternoon: Tour by Horse Drawn Carriage and Visit the Yves Saint Laurent's Private Gardens and Majorelle Garden

Evening: Dinner at Dar Yacuot

Day 3: December 29, 2022

Morning: Scientific Program

Afternoon: Visit the Bahia Palace and Walking Discovery of the Souks and Djemma El Fna Square

Evening: Dinner and show at Sukkar Restaurant

Day 4: December 30, 2022

Morning: Berber Villages and Agafay desert tour using Toyota Land Cruiser 4x4

Afternoon: Lunch at Le Bedouin Agafay desert camp

Evening: Dinner at Palais Soleiman

Day 5: December 31, 2022

Morning: Scientific Program

Afternoon: at leisure

Evening: New Year's Eve Party (optional)

Day 6: January 1, 2023

Departure to final destination or excursion tours

* all days include buffet breakfast

** extra activities and tours can be arranged

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NAAMA's 32nd International Medical Convention

Scientific Program

Keeping up with NAAMA's tradition of providing state of the art opportunities for knowledge sharing and collaboration across disciplines, this year our scientific theme is "Health 360o". A befitting topic for the changing landscape of healthcare and healthcare delivery.

We invite speakers to submit abstracts for presentations along these major themes:

- The Social Determinants of Health
- Chronic Disease Management
- Maternal and Child Health
- Refugee and Migrant Health
- Telehealth and Digital Health Solutions
- Global and Public Health
- State of Wellness and Holistic Medicine
- The Patient Experience
- Population Health Management and Value Based Healthcare
- Dental Health and Dentistry
- Medical Education, Innovation, and the Practice of Medicine

Abstracts must be submitted on-line at www.naama.com or via e mail to naama@naama.com.

Accreditation and Designation

The National Arab American Association is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. This activity is planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the National Arab American Medical Association (NAAMA). NAAMA designates this educational activity for a maximum of 12 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits. Attendees should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Your Stay ...

Radisson Blu Hotel, Marrakech Carré Eden



Set in the heart of Marrakesh, the Radisson Blu welcomes visitors to the vibrant Gueliz quarter. A location in the newly built Carré Eden complex gives easy access to the complex's internationally recognized stores and restaurants as well as to trendy nightlife nearby and steps away from the Hivernage neighborhood.

Designed by famous architect Imaad Rahmouni, this modern hotel features a beautiful lobby, patio, and restaurant. It's a striking contrast to the city's historic quarter located just 10 minutes away, where you can explore the Djemaa El-Fna square and traditional souks.

Its 193 rooms and suites feature a soothing, contemporary style created by designers Lotfi Sidi Rahal and Meriem Benkirane. The on-site restaurant, lounge and bar create a unique open venue, where you can sample regional delights or international selections like tapas and sushi.

The hotel's leisure facilities include a spa, a fitness center and an aquarium swimming pool surrounded by a spacious patio with sunbeds.

Your social package includes a stay at the Hotel for 5 nights including breakfast. Rooms are available as single, double, or triple occupancy. Accommodation for children under the age of 12 can be arranged with an extra bed in an adult room.

It is hotel policies in Morocco that only one child between 4 and 12 years of age can stay with parents in one room with an extra bed. For more than one child it is best to consider connecting rooms or a junior suite.

Your Tours ...



December 28, 2022

Afternoon Tour by Caleche (Horse Drawn Carriage) to the Majorelle Garden

The Majorelle Garden was designed by the French artist, Jacques Majorelle (1886-1962). As a young aspiring painter, Jacques Majorelle was sent to Morocco in around 1917 to convalesce from a serious medical condition. After spending a short time in Casablanca, he traveled to Marrakech and fell in love with the vibrant colors and street life he found there. After traveling around North Africa and the Mediterranean, he eventually decided to settle permanently in Marrakech.

During his lifetime, Majorelle earned a reputation as a celebrated Orientalist painter. The special shade of bold cobalt blue, inspired by the colored tiles he had seen around Marrakech and in Berber burn-houses, was used extensively in the garden and its buildings and is named after him, bleu Majorelle—Majorelle Blue. Prior to his death, Majorelle patented the color which carries his name.

In 1931, he commissioned the architect, Paul Sinoir, to design a Cubist villa for the property. Gradually, he purchased additional land, extending his holding by some 10 acres. In the grounds around the residence, Majorelle began planting a luxuriant garden which would become known as the Jardins Majorelle (Majorelle Garden). The garden became his life's work and he devoted himself to developing it for almost forty years.

The garden and villa were rediscovered in the 1980s, by fashion designers, Yves Saint-Laurent and Pierre Bergé who set about restoring it and saving it. The pair owned the villa until 2008. After Yves Saint Laurent died in 2008 his ashes were scattered in the Majorelle Garden.

December 29, 2022

Afternoon Walking Tour of Old Marrakesh

Starting with a visit to **The Bahia Palace** (19th century), a splendid Moroccan Palace, covered with marble, gold and multicolored onyx. It boasts a beautiful indoor garden planted with orange trees and fabulous lounges.

The palace was first begun by Si Musa, grand vizier of Alaouite sultan Muhammad ibn Abd al-Rahman, in 1859 and then continued and expanded by his son Si Ba Ahmed ibn Musa, grand vizier of Sultan Moulay Abdelaziz between 1894 and 1900.

The palace is most famous for its decoration. Its walls feature stucco carved with Arabic inscriptions, geometric patterns, arabesques, and muqarnas. Its floors are paved with marble and zellij tiles. Among its most famous elements are the cedar-wood ceilings painted with colorful floral patterns, along with the carved and painted wooden canopies of major doorways.



The Souks of Marrakesh are certainly the most colorful and the most lively in Africa. The different trades are grouped by services they offer: The Dyers, the Blacksmiths and fabric sellers.

Your journey ends at the renowned **Djemaa El Fna** square, a popular entertainment area where at the end of the afternoon, storytellers, snake-charmers, and dancers appear to entertain the crowd in a scene that is pure street theatre.



December 30, 2022

Full Day Visit to the Berber Villages and Agafay Desert

The official name of Berber tribes in Morocco is actually Amazigh, a word which means “free people.”

The Amazigh people are incredibly friendly. Whether you visit one of the wealthiest family or one of the more modest ones, they will make it a point to welcome you with tea, snacks, and to show you around their house. On some occasions, they will even show you their best dresses and ask you to try them on, and then pose for photos with you. You’ll be able to appreciate the gorgeous landscape of the Atlas Mountains and you will be visiting various villages, with a chance of encountering the Amazigh people.

The Agafay Desert is one of the country’s few remaining stretches of true desert, and it’s a popular spot for tourists looking to experience a taste of the Sahara. Horseback riding or quad bike riding are a few other activities that can be arranged while you visit the desert as well as spending time at the Berber Villages where you will have lunch “local style”.



The Dinners ...

December 30

December 28

Dar Yacout



One of Marrakech's luxurious five-course gastronomic experiences, the palatial Dar Yacout is in a house designed by Bill Willis as a One Thousand and One Nights restaurant.

Courteous waiters in white djellabas and red fezzes scurry about to fulfill your every need. This is an exotic experience in a magical setting.

The decor is enchanting with its private rooms and breath-taking panoramic view from the terrace overlooking the Medina and the Koutoubia Mosque of Marrakesh.

December 29

Palais Sukkar



A mythical place steeped in history. It was built in the 16th century on an old sugar factory, some remains of which still exist today. In 2004 the palace was renovated to host prestigious private events such as the Marrakech International Film Festival, the Marrakech Du Rire or the Dior evenings to finally launch its charming and unmissable dinner show to the wider community in 2016. Located just 10 minutes from Djema el Fnaa Square, the Palace is a lighthouse for the red city.

The aim of the Palace is to sublimate the great culinary traditions of Asia, the world and Morocco by blending history, nature and the exciting adventure of creation.

Palais Soleiman



Palais Soleiman is located into an old palace of Marrakech, North Medina. Near Riad Aguaviva and Bab El Khemis.

This was once the place from the lords of Marrakech: The Caïd Layadi. Palais Soleiman restaurant offers an extraordinary architectural example of preservation: ceilings carved and painted wood, antique zellij and majestic spaces.

Everything here exudes elegance and sophistication. Food wise, Driss Segueni offers superb cuisine composed of original Moroccan recipes. This restaurant offers closed menus of the most Traditional Moroccan cuisine with belly dancing show and Traditional Music in an incredible oriental ambient.

December 31, 2022

Optional New Year's Party



Celebrate the New Year with you family and friends at a private event (location to be determined) with 4 course dinner, soft drinks, and entertainment show.

This is an optional event and extra purchased tickets are required.

The Excursions

Optional Pre-Convention Tour:

Barcelona, Spain

(December 24 - 27, 2022)

December 24, 2022

Arrive to Barcelona and check in at the Catalonia Exiample 1864 Hotel

December 25, 2022

Breakfast and departure to explore Barcelona. Enjoy a ride to the hill of Montjuic, site of the 1992 Olympic Games and the 1929 International Exhibition and one of the most beautiful views of the city. Continue to the heart of Barcelona and walk in the romantic streets of the Gothic District where you will also find remains of the roman city and a lovely Cathedral of the XIII-XIV Century. And don't miss a walk in the most famous street of Barcelona, la Rambla, with its Boqueria Market.

Lunch

In the afternoon, you will discover the most amazing works of Antonio Gaudí: Parc Güell, and the unfinished church of Sagrada Familia, the symbol of Barcelona. We'll continue for the visit of Spanish Village (Pueblo Español followed by dinner and Flamenco at Flamenco Tablao de Carmen.

December 26, 2022

Visit the beautiful city of Girona, the so called Catalan Florence at the banks of the river Onyar with an impressive Gothic Cathedral and one of the best preserved old Jewish districts in Europe.

Lunch.

Later continue to Figueras, to visit the most surrealistic museum in the country, the Theatre-Museum Dalí, the most personal creation of the painter Salvador Dalí. Return to Barcelona.

Dinner.

December 27, 2022

Free time after breakfast, then departure to Marrakesh.

Please note, this does not include flights to Marrakesh. You will need to make your own air arrangements. Both Air Morocco and Iberia have direct flights from Barcelona.

This package is optional and is not included in your total social package registration.

Optional Post Convention Tours:

Option 1: Casablanca (January 1 - 2, 2023)

January 1:

After Breakfast, departure to explore Casablanca, the biggest city of Morocco.

During your sightseeing in the city. We will see Mohammed V Square, Notre Dame Church and one of the largest mosques in the world, Hassan II. Then head for lunch at Rick's Café restaurant. You will walk around the atmospheric streets of the harbor district and slip through arcades lined with tea shops and bazaars. Visit the elegant United Nations Place and take amazing photos.

Get a glimpse of Casablanca's sophisticated residents in the gleaming Morocco Mall then take in some fresh ocean air from the palm-lined corniche. Transfer to our Hyatt Regency Casablanca Hotel for check in.

Dinner at Le Cabestan Restaurant.

January 2: Departure

Option 2: Casablanca - Rabat (January 1 - 3, 2023)

January 1: Same as option 1

January 2:

Drive to Rabat, capital of the Kingdom of Morocco. Rabat, which was established as a military base for the expeditions from the African continent to Andalusia Spain. It has turned into a castle where pirates ruled for a period.

You will start our tour with the big ceremony area where the royal palace is located, then continue with Muhammed V Street decorated with important art deco buildings.

Lunch at Villa Mandarin Restaurant.

Your next stop will be the Mausoleum of King Mohammed V and the Hassan Tower and the ruins of the Andalusian Mosque.

One of the most enjoyable moments of the day will undoubtedly be the mint tea break at Moresk Cafe of the Udaya castle.

In the afternoon, you will return to Casablanca.

Dinner at Le Sens Restaurant.

January 3: Departure

This package is optional and is not included in your total social package registration.

Registration Step 1

Convention Registration

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Please print the Convention Registration form, page 8, and mail with payment to
NAAMA, 2265 Livernois Rd, Ste. 720. Troy, MI 48083.

Please submit your information as you want it to appear on your name tag					
Main Attendee Name					
Degree	Specialty	Membership Status	Circle one: Member Non-member		
Address		City	State, Zip Code		
Phone	Cell Phone	E Mail			
Companions Names					
Companion 1					
Companion 2					
Companion 3					
Companion 4					
Companion 5					
Registration	Quantity	NAAMA Member Rate	Non NAAMA Member Rate	Local Colleague (Morocco)	Total
Main Attendee		\$350.00	\$550.00	\$25.00	
Companions		\$100.00	\$200.00	\$25.00	
Total Registration					

Please note that all participants over the age of 6 years must register and pay the appropriate registration fee. Participants and spouses or guests who wish to earn CME credit must pay the full convention registration fee as main attendees for members or nonmembers accordingly (\$350 or \$550). The registration fee entitles individuals to benefit from the discounted group rate for social activities and hotel reservation, access to the scientific sessions, printed materials, coffee breaks and other planned activities. You can register on-line at www.naama.com. Total Registration fee must be paid upon form submission. If you wish to pay by check please print this form and mail with payment to NAAMA, 2265 Livernois Rd, Ste. 720. Troy, MI 48083. Checks must be made to NAAMA. If paying by Credit Card you can e mail this form to naama@naama.com or fax to 248-457-5036. Credit Card payments will be charged an additional 4% service fee.

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DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS DECEMBER 11, 2022

Registration Step 2

Hotel & Social Package Registration

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Please print the **Hotel & Social Package Registration forms** and mail with your payment to:
K TOURS, 110-11 Queens Blvd # 18G, Forest Hills , NY 11375. Include a check for a \$1000 deposit per person.

<i>Please submit your information</i> as it appears on your passport							
Main Attendee Name							
Address				City			State, Zip Code
Phone			Cell Phone			E Mail	
Companions Names and Ages							
Companion 1							
Companion 2							
Companion 3							
Companion 4							
Companion 5							
Total number in your group (including you):				Adults:	Teens:	Children:	
*Adults are those over 12 years old, children are 4-12 years old							

Please mark your choices for reservations by completing appropriate fields:

LAND PACKAGE: Includes 5-night hotel stay with breakfast (Dec 27th to Jan 1st) in addition to all tours, lunches and dinners as listed in program	Rate Per Person	No of Persons	Total
Single Room, breakfast included	\$2695		\$
Per person in Double Room, breakfast included	\$1775		\$
Per person in Triple Room, breakfast included	\$1625		\$
Child Age 0-5 (staying with 2 adults)	Free		\$
Child Age 6-11 (staying with 2 adults)	\$900		\$
Upgrade to Junior Suite (per person in double)	\$300		\$
Upgrade to Junior Suite (per person in single)	\$570		\$
Upgrade to Junior Suite (per person in triple)	\$210		\$
GALA DINNER / NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER AND SHOW Includes: 4 course dinner, soft drinks, show, r/t transfers	\$280		\$
Gala Dinner / New Year's Eve Dinner and Show - Child Age 6-11	\$140		\$
Casablanca Mohammed V International Airport – Hotel transfer supplement (on Dec 27th)	\$60		\$
Hotel – Casablanca Mohammed V International Airport CMN transfer supplement (on Jan 1st)	\$60		\$
MARRAKECH LAND PACKAGE DEC 27 – JAN 1 - TOTAL			\$

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Pre and Post Convention Tours

Barcelona - December 24 - 27, 2022

Package includes 3 nights stay at the HOTEL CATALONIA EXIAMPLE 1864, all tours, lunches and dinners as listed in program <i>Note: Package does not include airfare</i>	Rate Per Person	No of Persons	Total
Single Room, breakfast included	\$1265		\$
Per person in Double Room, breakfast included	\$1065		\$
Per person in Triple Room, breakfast included	\$1019		\$
Child Age 0-5 (staying with 2 adults)	Free		\$
Child Age 6-11 (staying with 2 adults)	\$875		\$
BARCELONA PRE-TOUR: DEC 24 – DEC 27 - TOTAL			\$

Casablanca Option 1 - Jan 1- 2, 2023

Package includes transfer to Casablanca by car, one night stay at the Hyatt Regency Casablanca, tour, lunch and dinner, airport transportation upon departure	Rate Per Person	No of Persons	Total
Single Room, breakfast included	\$575		\$
Per person in Double Room, breakfast included	\$430		\$
Per person in Triple Room, breakfast included	\$405		\$
Child Age 0-5 (staying with 2 adults)	Free		\$
Child Age 6-11 (staying with 2 adults)	\$250		\$
CASABLANCA POST-TOUR Option 1: JAN 1 – JAN 2, 2023 - TOTAL			

Casablanca - Rabat Option 2 - Jan 1 - 3, 2023

Package includes transfer to Casablanca by car, 2 nights stay at the Hyatt Regency Casablanca, tour, lunch and dinner in Casablanca, Drive to Rabat, tour, lunch and dinner, airport transportation upon departure from Casablanca	Rate Per Person	No of Persons	Total
Single Room, breakfast included	\$1030		\$
Per person in Double Room, breakfast included	\$740		\$
Per person in Triple Room, breakfast included	\$710		\$
Child Age 0-5 (staying with 2 adults)	Free		\$
Child Age 6-11 (staying with 2 adults)	\$450		\$
CASABLANCA - RABAT POST-TOUR Option 2: JAN 1 – JAN 3, 2023 - TOTAL			

Grand Total, please add the total from each selected option above and on previous page

MARRAKECH LAND PACKAGE DEC 27 – JAN 1 - TOTAL	\$
BARCELONA PRE-TOUR: DEC 24 – DEC 27 - TOTAL	\$
CASABLANCA POST-TOUR OPTION 1: JAN 1 – JAN 3, 2023 – TOTAL	\$
CASABLANCA RABAT POST-TOUR OPTION 2: JAN 1 – JAN 3, 2023 – TOTAL	\$
GRAND TOTAL	\$

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NAAMA is a nonprofit, nonpolitical, professional and educational organization established in 1974 as a bridge that keeps ties between our members whose majority are from the or have strong ties to the Arab World. It is a tradition for NAAMA to hold a medical convention every year in an Arab country as means to communicate with our colleagues and scholars in the Arab World and exchange knowledge and experiences.

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