TIME	DESCRIPTION	PRESENTER
08:30 - 09:00	Registration and Welcome Coffee	
Opening Session		
09:00 - 09:15	Welcome Speech and Opening Remarks on CMHS, UAEU and Health System Partnership	Prof. Fatima Al Jasmi Acting Dean CMHS, UAEU
09:15 - 09:30	Symposium Objectives	Prof. Mohi Eldin Magzoub Chair Department of Medical Education, CMHS, UAEU
09:30 - 10:00	Signing EmiratesMEDs Framework face 2 Implementation guidelines	EmiratesMEDs collaborators: CAA director, UAE medical Schools Deans, NIHS
Session 1: Emirates MED in action		
10:00 - 10:20	Competency-Based Health Professions Education (A Wicked Problem): Seeing it Through the Lens of Systems Thinking	Prof. Hossam Hamdy Chancellor, Gulf Medical University, Ajman
10:20 - 10:40	Challenges with competencies application	Prof. Ismail Matalqa President, RAK Medical & Health Sciences University
10:40 - 11:00	Break	
11:00 - 11:20	Dubai Academic Health System: A successful story	Prof. Amer Sharif CEO Dubai Academic Health System, Chancellor MBRU
11:20 - 11:35	Strategies for enhancing medical research production: Sharjah Experience	Prof. Qutaiba Hamed Vice Chancellor for Medical and Health Sciences, Dean of the College of Medicine , University of Sharjah
11:35 - 11:50	Impact of accreditation in health professions Education in UAE	Prof. Amjad Qandil Deputy Director CAA
11:50 - 12:20	Al in medical education	Prof. Nabil Zary Senior Director - Institute for Excellence in Health Professions Education
12:20 - 13:30	Lunch & Prayers Break	
Session 2: Teaching Competencies		
13:30 - 13:45	Health system role in applying competency-based education	Dr. Hatem Al Ameri Director Division of Healthcare Workforce Monitoring, Department of Health Abu Dhabi, UAE
13:45 - 14:15	EmiratesMEDs	Dr. Mohamed Hasan Taha Director of the Medical Education Center, Sharjah University
14:15 - 14:45	Professionalism teaching and assessment	Dr. Sawsan Abdelrazig Chief Academic Officer, Primary Care Medicine, Medical Subspecialties Institute
14:45 - 15:00	Refreshment	
15:00 - 15:30	Panel Discussion : what is the future of the medical school ?	
15:30 - 17:00	Parallel Thematic poster sessions	All Participants
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