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Polycystic Ovary Syndrome Clinic new to KU Wichita Endocrinology

Endocrinologist Rami Mortada, M.D., to lead new treatment program

WICHITA, KAN. – Polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS), an imbalance of female hormones, is a condition affecting six million to seven million women in the United States. The PCOS Clinic at KU Wichita Endocrinology, 9300 E. 29th St. N., is a new resource for women with the disorder.

“PCOS is one of the most common and under diagnosed endocrine diseases in women of childbearing age,” said Rami Mortada, M.D., who oversees the PCOS Clinic. “It is a life-long condition where the patient’s goals change with time and treatment plans need to change to fit these goals.”

Common PCOS symptoms include irregular menstruation, excessive hair growth such as on the face and chest, obesity, and infertility. PCOS also increases the likelihood of a woman developing diabetes and cardiovascular disease.

At the PCOS clinic, patients can consult with dieticians, psychologists, and support groups to create specialized treatment plans.

Dr. Mortada joined the KU School of Medicine–Wichita as an assistant professor in the Division of Endocrinology, and he sees patients at KU Wichita Endocrinology. He earned his medical degree from Lebanese University. Dr. Mortada completed his Internal Medicine residency at the KU School of Medicine–Wichita and an Endocrinology fellowship at the University of California–Davis. His endocrinology specialties include treating patients with diabetes, high cholesterol, thyroid disease, low testosterone, osteoporosis, and adrenal and pituitary disorders. He also has a special interest in thyroid diseases.

To make an appointment with Dr. Mortada, call KU Wichita Endocrinology at 316-293-2633.

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