

PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: Minor language	(High priority)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anonymous
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: Good	polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	<input type="checkbox"/> Onymous
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: A great deal of	(General priority)	Peer-reviewer's expertise on the
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publish	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: Rejection	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision	<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This review of studies on obesity and lack of physical activity in Gulf State women sought to answer the following questions: Why has there been such a dramatic increase in both breast cancer and obesity in the Gulf region? Why are women in the region being diagnosed with breast cancer younger than in Britain? The authors conducted an excellent literature review on obesity and lack of physical activity in the Gulf States and attributed rising obesity rates to changes in dietary habits and lack of facilities for women for engaging in sports. They were unable to show linkages, however, between obesity and breast cancer, even though such linkages have been demonstrated elsewhere. They do mention the difference between early obesity (favoring early menarche) and later obesity. Only the latter has been shown to correlate with breast cancer rates. They may want to expand on this since the epidemic of breast cancer in the Gulf States seems to parallel a later (rather than earlier) age onset of obesity. It would also be important to discuss the fact that breast cancer comes in several forms and not all are influenced by obesity. It should be explored whether the gene pool in the Gulf favors one kind of breast cancer over another. The authors also have not discussed parity, which is protective of some forms of breast cancer. It may well be that women in the Gulf States are having fewer babies. This does not explain the younger age of breast cancer in this population. Is the implementation of new screening procedures picking up earlier cancers? These themes should be addressed in the Discussion. PS The core tip should not use an acronym for Gulf States because a general audience will not recognize it.

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-Add the unique of this study compared to other studies discuss the same issue. -Add more on the basic of this disease in the introduction -Discus role of advanced imaging in breast cancer using these ref -Razek AA, Lattif MA, Denewer A, Farouk O, Nada N. Assessment of axillary lymph nodes in patients with breast cancer with diffusion-weighted MR imaging in combination with routine and dynamic contrast MR imaging. Breast Cancer 2016;23:525-32. -Abdel Razek AA, Gaballa G, Denewer A, Tawakol I. Diffusion weighted MR imaging of the breast. Acad Radiol 2010;17:382-6. -Razek AA, Gaballa G, Denewer A, Nada N. Invasive ductal carcinoma: correlation of apparent diffusion coefficient value with pathological prognostic factors. NMR Biomed 2010;23:619-23. -English language correction through the manuscript -Update ref using this ref -Abdel Razek A, Zaki M, Bayoumi D, Taman S, AbdelWahab K, Alghandour R. Diffusion tensor imaging parameters in differentiation recurrent breast cancer from post-operative changes in patients with breast-conserving surgery. Eur J Radiol 2019;111:76-80.

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It is an interesting manuscript. Authors succeed to present their data in a clear way adding information to the existing literature. Therefore, I have no corrections to do and the manuscript can be published unaltered.

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