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Growth Faltering in Children: The General Practitioner's Role

WEBINAR

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In Malaysia, 1 in 5 children under 5 years old¹, and 1 in 6 adolescents² are stunted.

Children's growth is an important indicator of their overall well-being. Poor growth can occur at any time in the growth continuum, but it's often overlooked. As a result, doctors may not pick up signs of poor growth and are unable to initiate intervention early. This leads to children having short adult stature and other issues including increased risk of chronic diseases and poor learning capabilities.

Join us in our first webinar for general practitioners (GPs) as our speakers highlight how GPs can play a role in promoting healthy growth among children.

Source:

1. Institute for Public Health. Fact Sheet: National Health and Morbidity Survey 2019. Institute for Public Health, National Institutes of Health (NIH), Ministry of Health Malaysia; 2020.
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Lecture 1

Growth Assessment & Intervention In The General Practitioners' Practice

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Lecture 2

Communication with Parents As A Key To Manage Growth Faltering

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IMFeD has been providing trainings and resources to healthcare providers since 2013 with the aim to improve children's growth

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