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Education:

Medical School: St Joseph University School of Medicine.
Beirut, Lebanon 1992-1999

Training:

Residency: Department of Internal Medicine. Johnson City Medical Center and VAMC. East Tennessee State University. Johnson City, TN

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Area of Concentration:

Dr. Faress is board certified in Internal Medicine, Pulmonary Medicine and Critical Care Medicine. Dr. Faress' clinical practice at UHCMC and the VAMC is devoted to the diagnosis and care of interstitial and other fibrotic lung diseases. She obtained advanced clinical training at the Interstitial Lung Diseases Program of National Jewish Medical Center in Denver Colorado. An award from the American Lung Association recognized Dr. Faress' studies of the role of the epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) family of cell-surface receptors in the pathogenesis of pulmonary fibrosis and the identification of a potentially new therapy for fibrotic lung disease.

Recent Publications:

Nethery DE, Moore BB, Minowada G, Carroll J, **Faress JA**, Kern JA. Expression of Mutant Human Epidermal Receptor 3 Attenuates Lung Fibrosis and Improves Survival in Mice. *J. Appl. Physiol.* 99:298-307, 2005.

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