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Association of Maternal obesity and Preeclampsia with Gestational Diabetes

Mellitus (GDM)

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ABSTRACT:

BACKGROUND: GDM is a state of maternal hyperglycemia which is diagnosed merely for the duration of pregnancy and conquers after pregnancy. It results in a variety of maternal and neonatal outcomes like oligohydramnios and Caeserean delivery in mothers at the same time as macrosomia and obesity in children. Women who are obese are at greater risk of mounting Gestational Diabetes Mellitus (GDM) and it is also a risk factor for mounting high blood pressure and protein in the urine following 20 weeks of pregnancy that is preeclampsia. As prevalence of GDM is growing in our population so we want to find its association with maternal obesity and preeclampsia.

OBJECTIVE: The main objective of the study is to evaluate the obesity level/BMI in GDM as compare to non GDM mothers and also to calculate the association of Preeclampsia both in GDM and non GDM mothers.

METHODOLOGY: It was a comparative cross sectional survey conducted in Pakistan Railway general hospital Rawalpindi from February 2015 to April 2015. A total of 60 gestational women between the ages of 18 to 38 years were divided into 2 groups, one group was having GDM mothers while other group consisted of non GDM mothers. Women included in the study have gestational age more than 20 weeks. Informed consent was taken from the patient. Patient's name and particulars were recorded. Initial valuation of the patient by history and clinical examination was performed and recorded in the performed data collection sheet. Data was

collected through Urine RE samples for Preeclampsia and BMI testing done for determination of obesity and data was analyzed by using SPSS Vs 20.

RESULTS: In GDM mothers group 5 out of 30 (16.6%) were in the normal weight range, 16 (53.3%) found to be overweight while 9 (30%) were obese according to BMI table and no woman was found to be under weight. In the second group of non GDM, 18 mothers (60%) had a normal weight while 6 (20%) were overweight and 6 (20%) were obese. Hence there are more over weight patients with gestational diabetes but we also found obesity in mothers without GDM. On the other hand 5 out of 30 mothers (16.66%) with GDM had Preeclapmsia while in mothers without GDM, 3 (10%) out of 30 had positive preeclampsia

CONCLUSION: It is concluded that obese mothers are more at risk of developing GDM as compare to mothers who have normal BMI/body weight and we also found that Preeclampsia has less association with GDM. It is also prevalent in women without GDM

KEY WORDS: Gestational diabetes Mellitus, Maternal obesity, Preeclampsia, Body Mass Index

INTRODUCTION:

Pregnancy is a noteworthy acknowledging risk attribute for persistent or new obesity amongst women⁽¹⁾ The incidence of obesity distinctive as a body mass index [BMI] of as a least 30 kg/m² is frighteningly high, possess 33.8% amongst US adults in 2008⁽²⁾. Statistics from the United States (US) National Longitudinal Survey of Youth presenting that parous women were 3 to 4 times more prone to develop obesity in the 5 years after childbirth correlate to women devoid of children supersede more than the subsequent time period⁽³⁾ For that origin, young women are confront with short- and longer-term obesity-associated complexities, from gestational diabetes mellitus and hypertension in subsequent pregnancies⁽⁴⁾to chronic cardiovascular disease, diabetes mellitus, and conclusively premature death⁽⁵⁾

High gestational weight are the tenacious interpreter of obesity or flabby ensuing pregnancy. (6) Additional predictable risk attribute, beside sociodemographic distinctiveness and unsteady, changeable or unstable postpartum demeanor (1) elucidation for very modest of the unpredictability and spontaneity in postpartum weight alterations. As an endeavor in part to minimized the tremendously elevated incidence of obesity amongst women in the US (7) the lnstitute of Medicine (IOM) amended gestational weight gain rule in 2009 (8) suggest smaller gains for women with higher pre-pregnancy body mass indices (BMI). Despite the fact that, at present less than one-third of pregnant women bring about instruction discretionary gains, with the most pregnant ladies gaining higher than IOM recommended levels (9)

Higher maternal weight during pregnancy is linked with a number of hostile pregnancy consequences, along with higher incidence of cesarean section, extensive or complicated vaginal delivery and fetal macrosomia⁽¹⁰⁾alongside with postpartum weight management in the mothers ⁽¹¹⁾. Furthermore, children born to obese mothers are at higher risk for being overweight them in afterward life. ⁽¹²⁾As an end result, maternal obesity has turned out to be one of the most prevalent, ordinary and avoidable risk attribute for a complicated pregnancy.

In association with the gain in maternal weight, populace of ladies with gestational diabetes mellitus (GDM) has enlarged^{(13).} Various displayed systematic reviews and meta-analyses have archived a self-administering and strong connection amongst heftiness and diabetes in pregnancy; contrasted and normal weight ladies, fat mothers have more than a triple bigger presentation of creating GDM. (14) Obese mothers are additionally expected to have higher glucose levels that don't surpass the cease for GDM, however up till now display supercilious and elevated dangers alike to those joined with GDM.⁽¹⁴⁾ Similar to obesity, GDM is related with entanglements both all through and taking after pregnancy. Ladies with GDM have a higher danger of creating hypertensive issue of pregnancy for instance preeclampsia and pretty much half of ladies with a history of GDM type 2 diabetes mellitus within 5 to 10 years taking after delivery. (13) Children of mothers with GDM are not just more inclined to be macrosomic and have higher muscle to fat quotients at birth time, yet they are additionally at recognized hazard in a while later existence of complimenting overweight and expanding related inconveniences, for example, higher blood pressure and type 2 diabetes. (14) As a result, maternal heftiness brings forth glucose intolerance in pregnancy, which sires extra things of weight and diabetes. (16)

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As pervasiveness of GDM and preeclampsia is rising in our population so we wanted to expose	
their association with maternal obesity.	

MATERIAL AND METHOD:

This comparative cross sectional survey was carried out at Pakistan Railway general hospital Rawalpindi from February 2015 to 20th April 2015. A total of 60 gestational women were enlisted in this study and divide into 2 groups of gestational women each, after their 20 weeks of pregnancy and between the age of 18 to 38 years. One group was having women with GDM and the other have non GDM mothers. Written informed consent was taken from the patient. Patient's name and information were documented. Initial assessment of the patients by history and clinical physical examination was performed and listed in the performed data compilation sheet. Demographic profile, BP, Pulse, HR, temperature and /body weight BMI were documented. Data was collected through Urine RE samples for Preeclampsia and BMI testing done for determination of obesity and data was analyzed by using SPSS Vs 20.

RESULTS:

In GDM group, 5 out of 30 mothers (16.6%) were in the normal weight range, 16 (53.3%) found to be overweight while 9 (30%) were obese according to BMI table and no woman was found to be under weight as shown in table no 01.

In the second group of non GDM, 18mothers (60%) had a normal weight while 6 (20%) were overweight and 6 (20%) were obese. Hence there are more over weight patients with gestational diabetes but we also found obesity in mothers without GDM as shown in table no.

O1. (Association of BMI between GDM and Non GDM mothers). Comparison between the percentage of BMI of GDM and Non GDM mothers are shown in figure no 01.

On the other hand 5 out of 30 mothers (16.66%) with GDM had Preeclapmsia while in mothers without GDM, 3 (10%) out of 30 had positive preeclampsia as shown in table no 02. Percentage of association of preeclampsia between GDM and Non GDM mothers has shown in figure no 02. Hence there is no absolute association of preeclampsia with GDM.

DISCUSSION:

Hossainpervaz et al gave a perspective on obesity and diabetes in the developing world in 2007 in which he mentioned that India and China would face greater confront in diabetic epidemics, according to WHO, the number of diabetic people will increase from 84 million to 228 million. Hypertension is five times more in people in diabetes and obesity similarly cardiovascular disease trends.⁽¹⁷⁾

R. Iqbal et al did a prospective cohort study in south Asian women at Agha khan university hospital Karachi.By measuring BMI he establish that increase body fat percentage (OR 1.07,CI 1.03-1.13) is a risk factor of developing GDM along with physical activity and diet quality. (18)

Meta analysisdone by Chu SY et.al complemented our study that risk of developing GDM is two times higher in overweight, four times in obese and eight times higher in severely obese women when they compared it with normal weight gestational women. (19)

Martin N. Montoro et al compared the insulin resistance in GDM mothers with and without pre eclampsia and found women with preeclampsia were not more insulin resistant in their third trimester and even fifteen months post partum but had higher blood pressure level as compare to non preeclamptic GDM women. (20)

Yogev Yet all aimed to find the rate of preeclampsia with GDM through a retrosecptive study on 1813 GDM patients and diagnosed preeclampsia in 9.6% of them but we have not found significant association in our study, may be the limitation is our sample size. They establish preeclampsia in obese younger age group women with high nulliparty ratio. They associated it with severity of GDM while we have not assessed the severity of GDM and glycemic profile control hence it should be further investigated with keeping in view the severity level of GDM. (21)

A study by Wiznitzer A et al gave an approach of considering lipid profile in gestational women with GDM and preeclampsia. They exposed abnormal levels of TGs with these complications of pregnancy but they have not given its isolated effects on GDM and preeclampsia. Hence a research gap should be field by comparing the lipid profile changes with or without preeclampsia. (22)

CONCLUSION:

11 It is concluded that obese mothers are more at risk of developing GDM as compare to mothers who have normal BMI/body weight and we also found that Preeclampsia has less association with GDM. It is also prevalent in women without GDM.

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Table no: 01

Association of BMI between GDM and Non GDM mothers

BMI	GDM mothers	Non GDM mothers	P value
18.5-24.9	5	16	< 0.05
25-29.9	16	6	< 0.05
4	9	6	< 0.05
Total	30	30	

Figure: 01

Percentage of BMI between GDM and Non GDM mothers

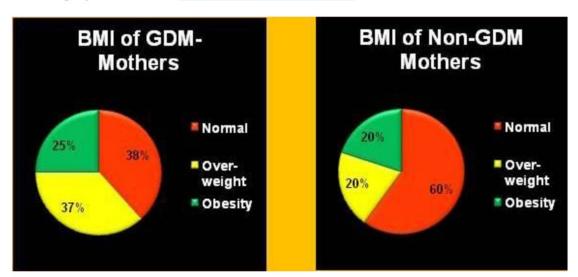
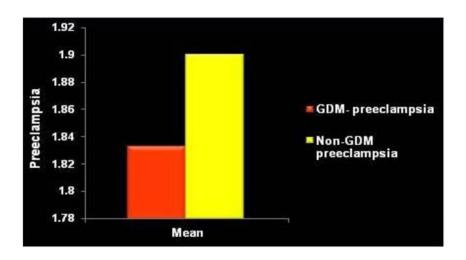
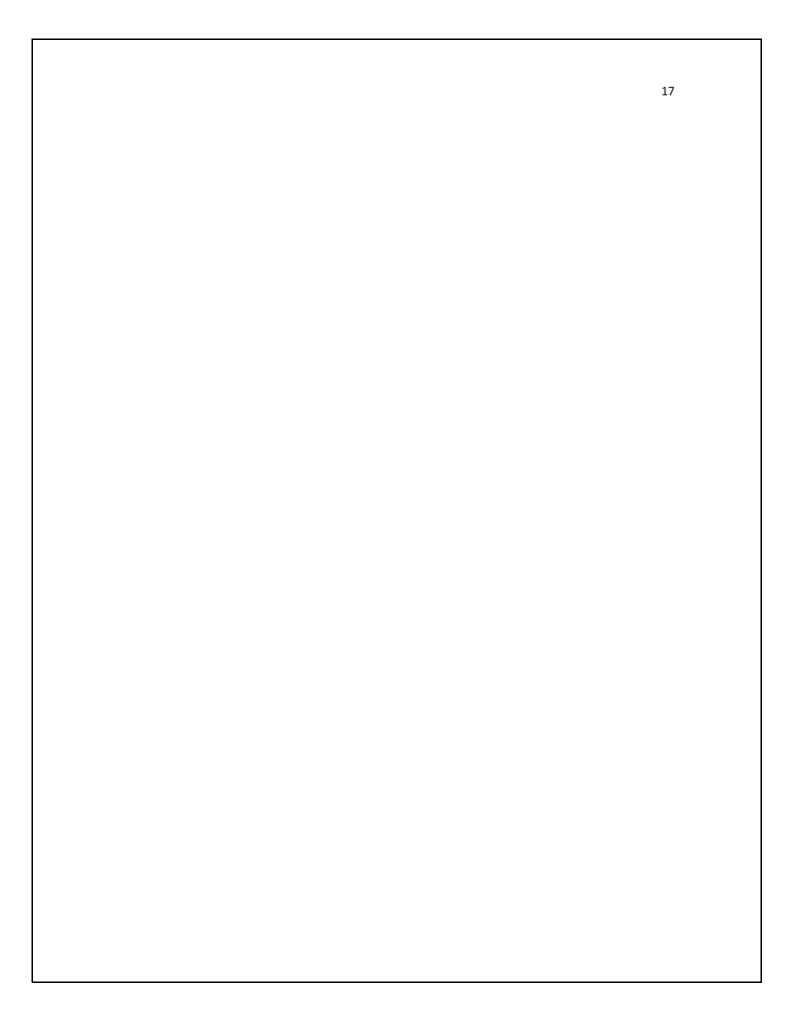


Table: 02

Preeclampsia	GDM mothers	Non GDM n	others p value
Positive	5	3	> 0.05
Negative	25	27	> 0,05
Total	30	30	

Figure: 02





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