



 **Current Issue**

 **Browse Issues**


 **Search**



 **About this Journal**

 **Instruction to Authors**

 **Online Submission**

 **Subscription**

 **Contact Us**



 **RSS Feed**

## Acta Medica Iranica

2009;47(4) : 97-102

### STUDIES ON THE HELMINTHS INFECTION IN A KURDISH POPULATION IMMIGRATED FROM NORTHERN PART OF IRAQ TO IRAN

J. Massoud

#### Abstract:

During 1979-77 a large number of Kurdish populations in northern part of Iraq temporarily immigrated to Iran and settled in Dezful area of Khuzestan province, south-west Iran. Faecal examination of 3,263 samples for intestinal metazoan parasites and 1,154 urine samples for detecting *Schistosoma haematobium*, infection were performed in different sex and age groups. The percentages of prevalent intestinal helminthes infection were: *Ascaris lumbricoides* 25%, *Trichuris trichiura* 16.3%, *Hymenolepis nana* 14%, *Trichostrongylus* spp. 2.5% and Hookworm 0.8%. Out of 1,154 urine samples only one infected case of *S. haematobium* from a 10 ears old male child were detected.

#### Keywords:

[Kurdish populations](#) . [Faecal examination](#) . [Intestinal metazoan parasites](#) . [Schistosoma haematobium](#)

TUMS ID: 1706

Full Text HTML  Full Text PDF  426 kB

top ▲

[Home](#) - [About](#) - [Contact Us](#)

TUMS E. Journals 2004-2009  
[Central Library & Documents Center](#)  
[Tehran University of Medical Sciences](#)

Best view with Internet Explorer 6 or Later at 1024\*768 Resolutions