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Lubna Kamani, MD

"The 8<sup>th</sup> of March each year is celebrated across the globe as International Women's Day (IWD) and this year's theme is #BreakTheBias. The first instance of a "Women's Day" was in 1909 and was initiated by labor movements of North America and Europe. It was later recognized by the United Nations in 1977. IWD was adopted to.....[READ MORE](#)



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Guilherme Macedo, MD, PhD, FACG, FASGE,  
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**Toufic Kachaamy, MD, FASGE, AGAF**

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**Vivek Kaul, MD**

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