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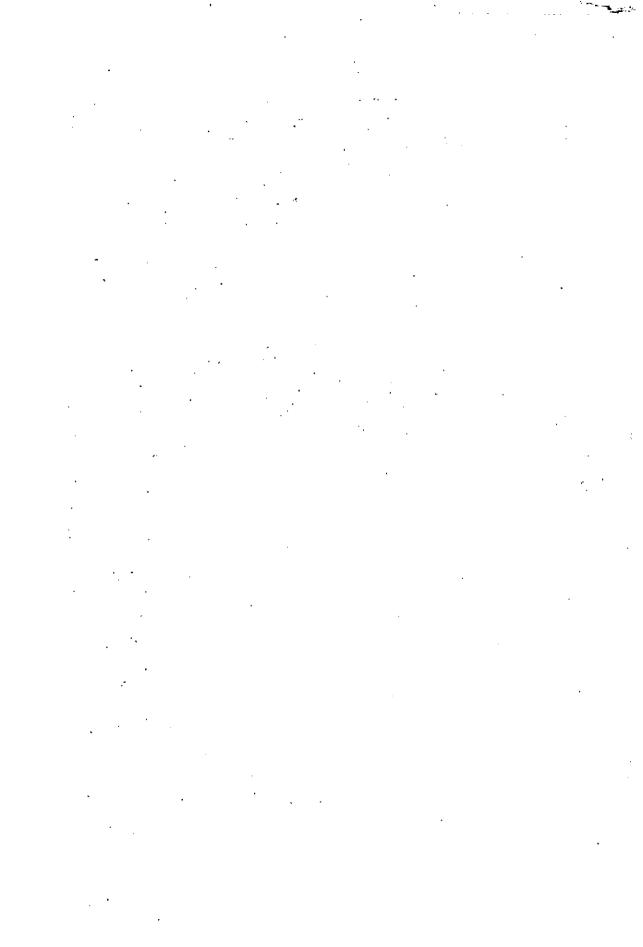
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Abstract

This study is a cross-sectional, carried out to describe obesity among children attending primary schools in Cairo. The study sample included 3255 children from governmental and private schools. The study revealed that the prevalence of obesity is 6.6%, which is higher than the prevalence identified in previous studies. The prevalence of obesity in governmental schools is 3.8%, while it is 12.9% in private schools. There was insignificant difference in the prevalence of obesity between sexes. Significant association was found between obesity and socioeconomic status. When the results of Body Mass Index for-age percentiles of obese children were compared with the results of Body Fat Analyzer of the same children, the presence of obesity in those children was confirmed.