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We are at a time of unprecedented increase in knowledge. As a result of this, the gap between the existing knowledge in the field of medical sciences and the developments we expect in the future is increasing.

Due to globalization, the whole world is now experiencing a revolution in the field of medicine, which in its turn has resulted in the emergence of many serious challenges. We should, therefore, realize the risks posed and be ready to counter these challenges. We should also realize that the risk lies not in the new developments in the field of medicine, but in injuring some of the ethical values which control the medical field.

It is sure that all religions address that the conservation of the human being species is the most important value. This came from the limitations and regulations which were determined by each religion.

Leading geneticists discussed many issues related to the rapidly evolving fields of medical genetics and genomics in the second Pan Arab Human Genetic Conference which held in Dubai, UAE. This conference was distinguished by a one day public forum on the Ethical Perspectives of Genetic Research. This forum saw religious leaders as well as genetic researchers discussing this important issue. This conference ensured without any doubt that Islamic teachings with its regulations can ensure the protection of ethical values for the entire world.

