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*Giardia lamblia* %9.90 : :  
 %1.32 *E. histolytica* %4.73 *Entamoeba coli* %5.30  
 %0.50 *Endolimax nana* %0.88 *Iodamoeba bütschlii*  
 : *Trichomonas hominis* %0.19 *Chilomastix mesnili*  
*Enterobius vermicularis* %2.10 *Hymenolepis nana* %4.03  
*Trichuris trichiura* %0.38 *Ascaris lumbricoides* %0.63  
 .%29.95

(P = 0.05)

## The Role of Housing Type and Drinking Water in Prevalence of Intestinal Parasites Among Pupils of A Number of Primary Schools in Rural Area of Al-Taamem Province-Iraq

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### ABSTRACT

The results of examining 806 pupils of 19 primary schools in rural regions of Al-Taamem province living in houses of variable buildings and drinking water from different sources revealed their infection with the following intestinal parasites: Protozoa ; *Giardia lamblia* 9.90% ; *Entamoeba coli* 5.30% ; *E. histolytica* 4.73% ; *Iodamoeba*

*butschlii* 1.32% ; *Endolimax nana* 0.88% ; *Chilomastix mesnili* 0.50% and *Trichomonas hominis* 0.19% . Helminths ; *Hymenolepis nana* 4.03% ; *Enterobius vermicularis* 2.10% ; *Ascaris lumbricoides* 0.63% and *Trichuris trichiura* 0.38% with a total percent of infection 29.95%. The highest infection rate appeared in pupils inhabited muddy houses which differs significantly (P = 0.05) from all other types of houses and those using water from wells from other sources of water.

(Wricht, 1984)

(Jackson, 1990) .(Belding, 1965)  
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 .(Anonymous, 1991)

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(P = 0.05)

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(P = 0.05)

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(Nelson, 1972) Zoonoses

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% /		(58) % /		(152) % /		) (154 % /		(469) % /		
9.90	157	0.25	4	1.39	22	1.20	19	13.90	112	<i>Giardia lamblia</i>
5.30	84	0.38	6	0.57	9	1.58	25	2.77	44	<i>Entamoeba coli</i>
4.73	75	0.38	6	0.44	7	0.63	10	3.28	52	<i>E. histolytica</i>
1.32	21	0.13	2	0.19	3	0.32	5	0.69	11	<i>Iodamoeba bütschlii</i>
0.88	14	0.0	0	0.13	2	0.19	3	0.57	9	<i>Endolimax nana</i>
0.50	8	0.06	1	0.06	1	0.06	1	0.32	5	<i>Chilomastix mesnili</i>
0.19	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.06	1	0.13	2	<i>Trichomonas hominis</i>
22.82	362	1.20	19	2.77	44	4.03	64	14.81	235	
4.03	64	0.19	3	0.44	7	0.63	10	2.77	44	<i>Hymenolepis nana</i>
2.10	33	0.32	5	0.25	4	0.38	6	1.13	18	<i>Enterobius vermicularis</i>
0.63	10	0.06	1	0.06	1	0.13	2	0.38	6	<i>Ascaris lumbricoides</i>
0.38	6	0.0	0	0.06	1	0.13	2	0.19	3	<i>Trichuris trichiura</i>
7.12	113	0.57	9	0.82	13	1.26	20	4.48	71	
29.95	475	1.77	28	3.59	57	5.30	84	19.29	306	

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%9.90

%12.17

%7.89

.Omar et al. (1995)

Borda et al. (1996) Abu-Zeid et al. (1989)

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(806) % /		(112) % /		(241) % /		(453) % /		
9.90	157	4.98	79	3.47	55	1.45	23	<i>Giardia lamblia</i>
5.30	84	1.95	31	1.77	28	1.58	25	<i>Entamoeba coli</i>
4.73	75	1.58	25	1.83	29	1.32	21	<i>E. histolytica</i>
1.32	21	0.25	4	0.50	8	0.57	9	<i>Iodamoeba bütschlii</i>
0.88	14	0.32	5	0.25	4	0.32	5	<i>Endolimax nana</i>
0.50	8	0.19	3	0.13	2	0.19	3	<i>Chilomastix mesnili</i>
0.19	3	0.06	1	0.06	1	0.06	1	<i>Trichomonas hominis</i>
22.82	362	9.33	148	8.01	127	5.49	87	
4.03	64	1.83	29	1.39	22	0.82	13	<i>Hymenolepis nana</i>
2.10	33	0.95	15	0.69	11	0.44	7	<i>Enterobius vermicularis</i>
0.63	10	0.38	6	0.13	2	0.13	2	<i>Ascaris lumbricoides</i>
0.38	6	0.19	3	0.13	2	0.06	1	<i>Trichuris trichiura</i>
7.12	113	3.34	53	2.33	37	1.45	23	
29.95	475	12.17	193	9.90	157	7.88	125	

(Brown and Neva, 1983)

(1986)

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(Jonnalagadda and Bhat, 1995 ; Borda et al., 1996)

( 2001 Jonnalagadda and Bhat, 1995 Khairy et al., 1982)

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.Abu-Zeid et al. (1989)

Gross et al.(1989) Gryseels and Gigase (1985)

.(Appleton et al.,1995)

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