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Dr. Colette Hanna is a dedicated and experienced physician specializing in Hematology-Oncology with a particular focus on hematological malignancies and autologous bone marrow transplantation. She currently serves as a Clinical Assistant Professor at the Lebanese American University Medical Center – Rizk Hospital (LAUMCRH), where she is actively involved in clinical practice, research, and the education of medical students and residents.

Dr. Hanna completed her medical degree at the Faculty of Medicine, Saint Joseph University in Beirut, Lebanon, in 2003. She pursued advanced training in Internal Medicine and Hematology-Oncology at the University of Saint Joseph – Hôtel-Dieu de France, followed by specialized training in Bone Marrow Transplantation at the Institute Gustave Roussy in France. She holds a Diploma in Clinical Carcinology from the University Paris XII and a Specialization in Hematology-Oncology from the University Paris V Descartes, both obtained in 2009. In 2019, Dr. Hanna earned a Diploma in Pedagogy from Saint Joseph University, enhancing her educational skills.

Since 2009, Dr. Hanna has been practicing in Lebanon, where she has become a key figure in the management of hematological malignancies, including multiple myeloma, lymphomas, and leukemias. Her clinical expertise encompasses the diagnosis, treatment planning, chemotherapy administration, and management of complications and emergencies associated with these conditions. She is also deeply involved in autologous bone marrow transplantation, contributing significantly to the field in Lebanon.

In addition to her clinical work, Dr. Hanna is committed to research and teaching. Her research interests include exploring innovative treatments and improving outcomes for patients with hematological cancers. She has been an active member of various professional organizations, including the Lebanese Order of Physicians, the Lebanese Society of Hematology, the Lebanese Society of Oncology, the European Hematology Association, and the American Society of Clinical Oncology. Dr. Hanna has served in leadership roles, including as Secretary and Treasurer of the Lebanese Society of Hematology, and she continues to contribute to the advancement of the field through her involvement in these organizations.

Dr. Hanna's dedication to education is evident in her role as a mentor to medical students and residents, where she emphasizes the importance of compassionate patient care and the integration of research into clinical practice. Her contributions to the medical community have been recognized both locally and internationally, and she remains a respected figure in the field of Hematology-Oncology.