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**Emotional Intelligence and its Relationship** to Aggressive Behavior In a Sample of Rural and Urban Children. **ABSTRACT** 

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This The study aimed at uncovering relationship between emotional intelligence its components (selfof conscienceawarenessmanagement motivation understanding-social skill) and aggressive behavior including its 5 forms (social aggressionphysical-verbal-positive behavior), sample consisted of 120 children of primary school children, in clouding (60) children from Mallawi center males (30) and females (30), and (60) children from Tenda village males(30) and females (30), and ranged in span between(8-11)a year, the study used emotional intelligence scale, prepared by Laila Mohamed Abu Jarwa 2012, and used aggressive behavior scale, prepared by Jihan Issa AI Omean 2012, the methods used in the study were Pearson correlation coefficient and thru (T)test for independent samples. Results indicated that. Results indicated:

-The existence of some negative associations between the components of emotional intelligence and the forms of aggressive behavior in the

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dimensions and the overall degree of rural children and urban.

-The results also revealed that rural children outnumber urban children in selfawareness, while no other differences were found in the total score and other components of emotional intelligence, nor were there statistically significant differences between rural and urban children in aggressive behavior.

-There were no statistically significant differences significant differences between males and females of urban children in emotional intelligence, whereas differences were found between rural males and females in tendency of females (total grade, social skill and understanding) and were statically significant.

-The differences were not statistically children from urban children males and females in aggressive behavior, and there are statistically significant differences between males and females in physical aggression in tendency of males. Rural children did not make statistically significant differences between males and females in aggressive behavior.