

POSTGRADUATE COURSE

**Endoscopic and Surgical Management of GI Disease:
Competition or Collaboration?**

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Sunday, May 18, 2003



**Orange Country Convention Center
Orlando, Florida**

COURSE GOAL:

This course will attempt to identify for participants disease states that have previously been exclusively in the realm of the surgeon, but are increasingly being handled using endoscopic procedures in an effort to avoid either open or laparoscopic surgery. Indeed, if there were a theme for this course, it would be that minimally invasive procedures, whether endoscopic or laparoscopic or minimally invasive in some other fashion, are coming together. Each speaker will attempt to present his or her point of view as to what is the best way or what is the current experimental way of approaching these disease states. In doing so, the faculty hope to encourage ongoing dialogue among gastroenterologists and gastrointestinal and minimally invasive surgeons and to foster an atmosphere of collaboration rather than competition.

The SSAT Postgraduate Course will be held in conjunction with Digestive Disease Week® (DDW), the combined Annual Meetings of the AASLD, AGA, ASGE, and the SSAT. The date of DDW® is May 18-21, 2003.



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FORMAT:

The course will be divided into fourteen sections that deal with specific disease states that are being dealt with using both surgical and endoscopic approaches. Both approaches will be compared and discussed by two or three speakers who are experts in the disease state. Following the speaker presentations for each disease state will be a question and answer session, which will encourage discussion among faculty and attendees.

CME CREDIT:

The American College of Surgeons will designate this educational activity for number hours in Category 1 credit toward the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

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8:00 a.m. Welcome and Introduction
Josef E. Fischer, M.D. & Ram Chuttani, M.D.

SESSION I: ESOPHAGUS

Moderator: Robert V. Stephens, M.D.

ZENKER'S DIVERTICULUM

8:05 a.m. Endoscopic Myotomy
Paulo Sakai, M.D.
8:15 a.m. Surgical Resection/Myotomy
Mark K. Ferguson, M.D.
8:25 a.m. Discussion

BARRETT'S ESOPHAGUS WITH HIGH-GRADE DYSPLASIA

8:40 a.m. Endoscopic Mucosectomy
Horst Neuhaus, M.D.
8:50 a.m. Photodynamic Therapy and Laser Ablations
Kenneth K. Wang, M.D.
9:10 a.m. Surgical Resection
Jeffrey H. Peters, M.D.
9:20 a.m. Discussion

Moderator: John C. Bowen, M.D.

ACHALASIA

9:35 a.m. Endoscopic Botox Injection and Balloon Dilation
Pankaj Jay Pasricha, M.D.
9:45 a.m. Laparoscopic Myotomy
John G. Hunter, M.D.
9:55 a.m. Discussion
10:10 a.m. BREAK

GASTROESOPHAGEAL REFLUX DISEASE

10:30 a.m. Endoscopic Plication, Bulking and Radiofrequency Therapy
Ram Chuttani, M.D.
10:40 a.m. Laparoscopic Nissen Fundoplication
William O. Richards, M.D.
10:50 a.m. Discussion

ACCREDITATION:

This activity will be planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the American College of Surgeons and the Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract. The American College Surgeons is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.



FACULTY DISCLOSURE:

All faculty participating in continuing medical education activities are expected to disclose to the program audience any real or apparent conflict(s) of interest related to the content of their presentation(s). Full disclosure of faculty relationships will be made at the program.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Please see the DDW® Registration Brochure for a list of official DDW® hotels, rates, housing forms, and maps. You may mail or fax your housing reservations, use the housing form in the DDW® Registration Packet.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

SSAT Member	\$250
Non-Member	\$300
SSAT Candidate Member	\$200
Non-Member Trainee	\$250

Registration Fee will increase by \$50.00 after the pre-registration deadline of: Friday, April 12, 2003

SESSION II: STOMACH

Moderator: Barbara L. Bass, M.D.

GASTRIC VARICEAL HEMORRHAGE AND ULCER BLEEDING

- 11:10 a.m. Endoscopic Banding/Injection/Clips
Kenneth F. Binmoeller, M.D.
- 11:20 a.m. TIPS vs. Portal Systemic Shunting
Layton F. Rikkers, M.D.
- 11:30 a.m. Discussion

OBESITY SURGERY

- 11:45 a.m. Endoscopic Gastric Bypass
Christopher J. Gostout, M.D.
- 11:55 a.m. Gastric Partitioning with Long Loop
Daniel B. Jones, M.D.
- 12:05 p.m. Discussion
- 12:20 p.m. LUNCH

SESSION III: DUODENUM AND BILE DUCT

Moderator: Yuman Fong, M.D.

MALIGNANT GI LUMINAL OBSTRUCTION

- 1:10 p.m. Endoscopic Metal Stenting
Douglas K. Pleskow, M.D.
- 1:20 p.m. Double Surgical Bypass
Keith D. Lillemoe, M.D.
- 1:30 p.m. Discussion:

AMPULLARY ADENOMAS

- 1:45 p.m. Endoscopic Resection
Gregory Haber, M.D.
- 1:55 p.m. Surgical Resection (Whipple)
Mark A. Callery, M.D.
- 2:05 p.m. Discussion

Moderator: David G. Fromm, M.D.

COMMON BILE DUCT STONES

- 2:20 p.m. Endoscopic Papillotomy and Lithotripsy
Robert H. Hawes, M.D.
- 2:30 p.m. Laparoscopic Common Duct Exploration
Nathaniel J. Soper, M.D.
- 2:40 p.m. Discussion

Moderator: L. William Traverso, M.D.

BENIGN AND MALIGNANT HILAR BILIARY OBSTRUCTION

- 2:55 p.m. Endoscopic Bilateral Stenting
David L. Carr-Locke, M.D.
- 3:05 p.m. Balloon Dilation and Stenting (Postop Strictures)
Guido Costa-Magna, M.D.
- 3:15 p.m. Surgical Resection or Bypass
Douglas W. Hanto, M.D.
- 3:25 p.m. Discussion
- 3:40 p.m. BREAK

SESSION IV: PANCREAS

Moderator: Fabrizio Michelassi, M.D.

PANCREATIC PSEUDOCYST AND ABSCESS

- 4:00 p.m. Endoscopic Cystenterostomy
Todd H. Baron, M.D.
- 4:10 p.m. Surgical or Endoscopic Therapy
Gary C. Vitale, M.D.
- 4:20 p.m. Discussion

Moderator: David W. Rattner, M.D.

CHRONIC PANCREATITIS – STRICTURES AND STONES

- 4:35 p.m. Endoscopic Therapy
Richard A. Kozarek, M.D.
- 4:45 p.m. Surgical Therapy
Andrew L. Warshaw, M.D.
- 4:55 p.m. Discussion

SESSION V: COLON

GIANT COLON POLYPS

- 5:10 p.m. Endoscopic Mucosal Resection
Gregory G. Ginsberg, M.D.
- 5:20 p.m. Laparoscopic Colectomy
Robert W. Beart, Jr., M.D.
- 5:30 p.m. Discussion

SESSION VI: TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION

Moderator: Josef E. Fischer, M.D.

- 5:45 p.m. Funding for Medical and Surgical Innovation
Michael D. Laufer, M.D.



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