



2018 Update in Gastroenterology and Hepatology

Friday and Saturday

September 7-8, 2018

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UAB's "2018 Update in Gastroenterology

and Hepatology" is designed to update physicians and other health care providers who treat patients with GI and liver diseases about novel approaches for the diagnosis and management of commonly seen disorders.

Faculty will present data on multiple topics including disorders such as: acute liver failure; hepatitis C; NASH; what's new in liver transplant; palliative care in end stage liver disease; management of alcoholic liver disease; interpreting hepatitis serologies; ergonomics of endoscopy; difficult colon polyps; endoscopy in chronic pancreatitis; Barrett's and EMR in the esophagus; dysphagia; PPIs; esophageal function testing; extraesophageal reflux; pathophysiology and pharmacotherapy of portal hypertension; anticoagulation in cirrhosis; autoimmune hepatitis; ascites; TACE; celiac disease; IBD; update on biologics; data behind diets.

The goal is to provide attendees with improved competency, performance and quality of care for patients.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND & COURSE FORMAT:

This course is designed for those in primary care, gastroenterology/hepatology and other physicians, residents, nurses and allied health professionals who treat patients with acute and chronic gastrointestinal and liver issues.

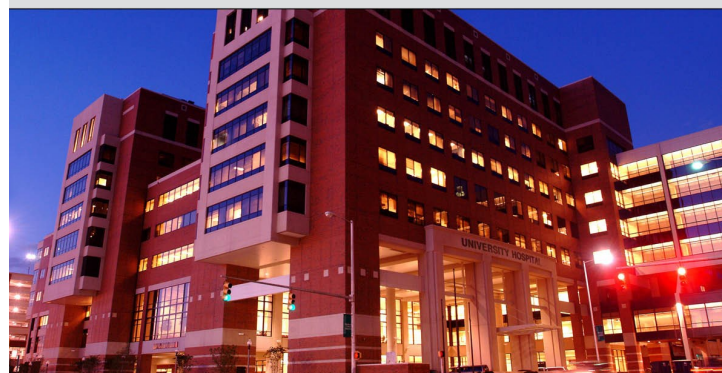
- We will provide you with important information in just 1 1/2 days
- Plenary sessions will contain didactic updates on the most recent developments and the application of those in clinical care
- Breakout sessions will use clinical case presentations and informal discussions to explore the practical aspects of diagnosis and therapy.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES:

Upon conclusion of this program, participants should be able to:

Gastroenterology: 1) understand how to manage difficult colon polyps; 2) recognize complications of chronic pancreatitis and understand approach to endoscopic therapeutic options; 3) review the management of Barrett's & endoscopic mucosal resection in the esophagus; 4) review the work up and management of dysphagia; 5) understand the appropriate use of PPIs and potential side effects; 6) recognize importance of esophageal function testing; 7) Review non-pharmacologic therapy and management options in inflammatory bowel disease; 8) Review upcoming pharmacologic therapies in inflammatory bowel disease; 9) Understand the usefulness of diets and the data behind them in GI disorders; 10) review the surgical management of inflammatory bowel disease

Hepatology: 1) Accurately identify the presentation of acute liver failure; 2) recognize when to refer patient for liver transplant; 3) understand the role of palliative care in end stage liver disease; 4) understand new modalities and treatment of autoimmune liver disease; 5) understand treatment of hepatitis C; 6) review treatment strategies and management of patients with NASH 7) understand the role of TACE in the management of hepatocellular cancer; 8) understand the MELD score and how to use it



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REGISTRATION

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ONLINE: Register online with a credit card at : www.uab.edu/gihepconf

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FAX: Fax your completed form to 205-975-9777. Mail your check to the address below.

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FEES: **Early Registration until August 3, 2018** (must be postmarked by 8/3/18):

Physicians \$250.00 Residents/Nurses: \$125.00 Students \$25.00

After August 3, 2018 — Physicians \$280.00 Residents/Nurses \$155.00 Students \$50.00

Name: _____

Degree: _____ Specialty: _____

Office/Institution: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Conference Banquet: _____ I will attend. Entrée choice: ____ Chicken ____ Fish ____ Vegan
_____ I will bring a guest. \$50.00 additional cost) Entrée Choice: _____

SYLLABUS: Syllabus will be provided this year on a flash/thumb drive with lanyard. ***If you wish to have a printed syllabus, there will be an additional charge of \$25.00.***

Yes, I would like to have printed syllabus _____ (please add \$25.00 to your registration)

No, I would like to have syllabus on thumb drive _____ (no additional charge).

CME CERTIFICATION: The University of Alabama School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The University of Alabama School of Medicine designates this live education activity for a maximum of 13.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

CANCELLATION POLICY: There will be a \$50 cancellation fee for cancellations received prior to **August 18, 2018** after which time there are no refunds. ***UAB reserves the right to cancel or reschedule the conference due to unforeseen circumstances.***

Agenda

Friday, September 7, 2018

6:00 AM—Registration & Continental Breakfast

Session I—Meet the Professor

7:00 AM— **Early Morning Case Conference**
Vijay Shah, MD

Session II—Management of Liver Disease

7:45 AM— Welcome / Opening Remarks
Mohamed Shoreibah, MD
8:00 AM— Acute Liver Failure
Brendan McGuire, MD
8:25 AM— Hepatitis C—Is it a systemic disease?
Omar Massoud, MD
8:50 AM— Non-Alcoholic Steatohepatitis
Ashwani Singal, MD
9:15 AM— Break
9:40 AM— What's New in Liver Transplantation
Devin Eckhoff, MD
10:05 AM— Palliative Care and Hospice in End Stage
Liver Disease
Sandhya Mudumbi, MD
10:30 AM— **State of the Art Lecture—**
Evidence Based Management of
Alcoholic Liver Disease
Vijay Shah, MD
11:00 AM— Questions & Answers
11:10 AM— Break

Session III—Breakout Sessions & Discussions

Nurses

11:20 AM— Novel Approaches to HCV Screening
Delphine Powell, CRNP &
Shannon Fagan, CRNP
11:40 AM— Hepatic Encephalopathy
Cherie Reed, CRNP
12:00 PM—Questions & Answers

Internists/Primary Care

11:20 AM— Interpreting Viral Hepatitis
Serology's
Taylor Richardson, MD
11:40 AM—Case Presentation
12:00 PM—Questions & Answers

Gastroenterologists

11:20 AM—Ergonomics of Endoscopy
Omair Atiq, MD
11:40 AM—Case Presentation
12:00 PM—Questions & Answers

12:15 PM— Lunch
1:15 PM— Poster Session

Session IV—Meet the Professor

1:45 PM— Early Afternoon Case Conference
Michael Vaezi, MD, PhD, MS

Session V—Updates in Gastroenterology

2:30 PM— Difficult Colon Polyps
Kondal Kyanam, MD

Session V — continued

2:55 PM— Endoscopy in Chronic Pancreatitis
Ali Ahmed, MD
3:20 PM— Barrett's and EMR in the Esophagus
Shajan Peter Sugandha, MD
3:45 PM— Break
3:55 PM— Dysphagia: Easier to Swallow Than You
Think
James Callaway, MD
4:20 PM— PPIs: Myths and Legends
Chad Burski, MD
4:45 PM— **State of the Art Lecture—**
Esophageal Function Testing
Michael Vaezi, MD, PhD, MS
5:15 PM—Questions & Answers
5:25 PM—Closing Remarks

Session VI—Conference Banquet

5:30 PM—Conference Banquet
6:15 PM—Extraesophageal Reflux
Michael Vaezi, MD, PhD, MS
6:45 PM — Pathophysiology and Pharmacology of
Portal Hypertension
Vijay Shah, MD

Saturday, September 8, 2018

6:00 AM—Registration & Continental Breakfast

Session VII—Early Morning Poster Presentation

7:00 AM— Trainee Research Presentation
7:30 AM— Break

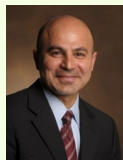
Session VIII—Update in Management of Liver Disease

7:45 AM— Welcome / Opening Comments
James Callaway, MD
7:50 AM— INR/Anticoagulation in Cirrhosis
Meagan Gray, MD
8:15 AM— TACE
A.J. Gunn, MD
8:40 AM— Autoimmune Hepatitis
Mohamed Shoreibah, MD
9:05 AM— Ascites
Adam Edwards, MD
9:30 AM— Questions & Answers
9:40 AM— Break

Session IX—Updates in Management of Gastrointestinal Disorders

9:55 AM— Surgical Management of IBD
Greg Kennedy, MD
10:20 AM— IBD-Beyond Medical Therapy
Talha Malik, MD
10:45 AM— Update on Biologics
Peter Mannon, MD
11:10 AM— Celiac Disease
Charles Elson, MD
11:35 AM—The Data Behind Diets
Fred Weber, MD
12:00 PM—Questions & Answers
12:10 PM—Closing Remarks

Distinguished Faculty



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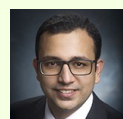
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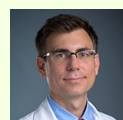
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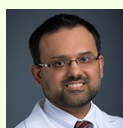
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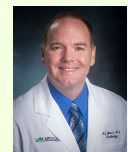
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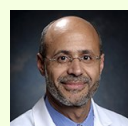
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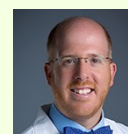
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