

UAB's "2017 Update in Gastroenterology and Hepatology" is designed to update physicians and other health care providers treating patients with GI and liver diseases about new approaches for diagnosis and management of gastrointestinal and liver disease.

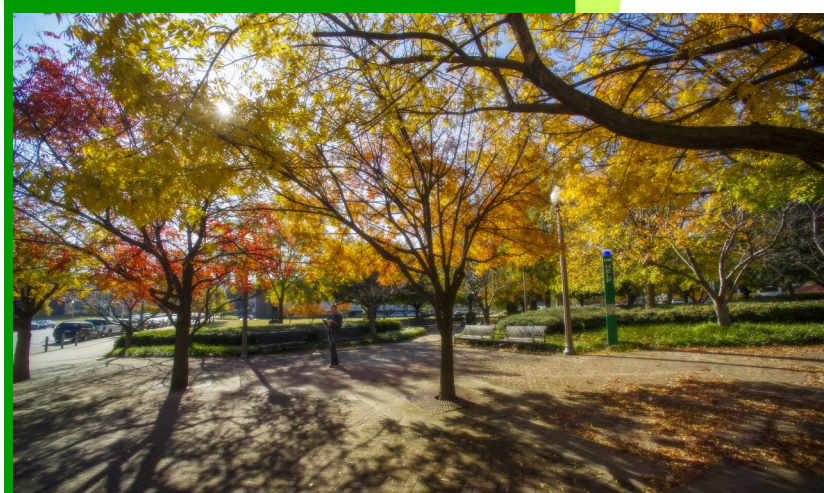
Faculty will present data on multiple topics including common disorders such as: autoimmune/cholestatic liver disease; metabolic liver disease; hepatitis B & C; histopathology; liver fibrosis; obscure GI bleed; h. Pylori; c. difficile; ascites & SBP; liver vasculature; liver cancer; pancreatitis; endoscopy in the bariatric patient; cystic pancreatic lesions; dysphagia & motility; refractory GERD; gastroparesis; eosinophilic esophagitis; Barrett's esophagus; IBD; constipation; difficult polyps; organ failure in liver disease; renal injury in liver disease; update in liver transplant

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 deal with 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:

Gastrointestinal: a) Identify risk factors and options in treatment of Barrett's esophagus b) understand management of refractory GERD; c) current management of gastroparesis; d) identify and manage eosinophilic esophagitis; e) management strategies for chronic pancreatitis; f) endoscopic treatments for obesity; g) approach to obscure GI bleeding; h) manage cystic lesions of pancreas; i) understand management of complex IBD patients; j) management of acute diarrhea & c. difficile infection; k) approach to chronically constipated patients; l) identify difficult polyps and approach for their removal;

Liver: a) decide on managing hepatitis C patients in the current era; b) basics in managing metabolic liver diseases including alcohol and fatty liver; c) recognize and treat autoimmune liver diseases; d) understand current management of hepatitis B; e) be familiar with histological findings of common liver diseases; f) manage complications of cirrhosis like ascites and SBP; g) diagnostic approach to liver lesions and current management strategies for HCC; h) intensive management of sick patient with end-stage liver disease; i) understand when to refer for liver transplantation, evaluation process and post-transplant outcomes.

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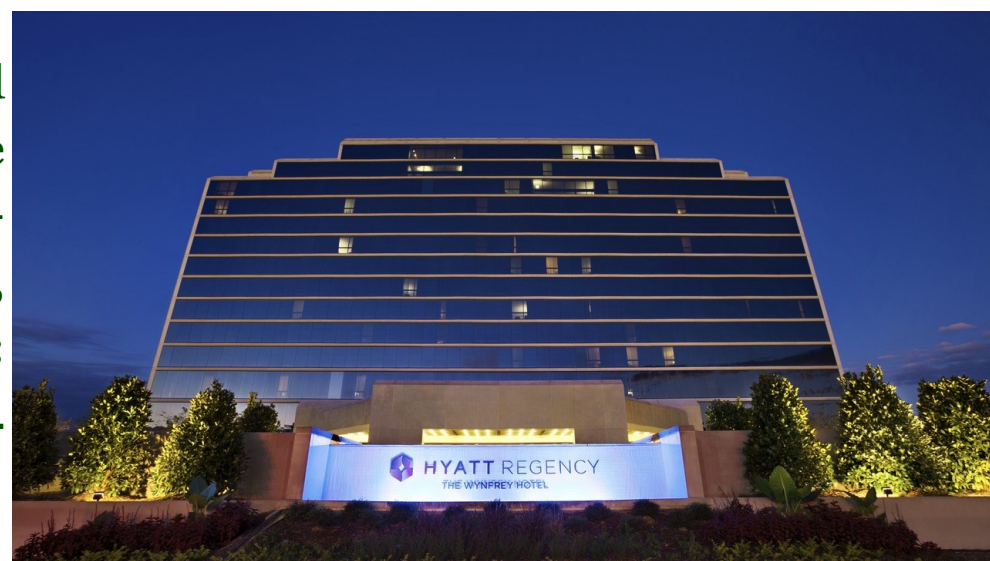
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Friday and Saturday, September 8-9, 2017

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CANCELLATION POLICY: There will be a \$50 cancellation fee for cancellations received prior to **August 8, 2017**, after which time there are no refunds. **UAB reserves the right to cancel or reschedule the conference due to unforeseen circumstances.**

Agenda

Friday, September 8, 2017

Session I—Etiology Based Management of Liver Disease

6:00 AM—Registration & Continental Breakfast
7:00 AM—Meet the Professor— Scott Friedman MD
7:35 AM—Welcome / Opening Remarks
Ashwani Singal, MD
7:45 AM—Autoimmune & Cholestatic Liver Disease
Mohamed Shoreibah, MD
8:05 AM—Metabolic Liver Disease
Ashwani Singal, MD
8:25 AM—Update on Hepatitis B
Joseph Bloomer, MD
8:45 AM—Hepatitis C Update
Omar Massoud, MD
9:05 AM—Histopathologist & Hepatology
Leona Council, MD
9:25 AM—Questions & Answers
9:40 AM— State of the Art Lecture—Liver Fibrosis
Scott Friedman, MD
10:00 AM—Questions & Answers
10:10 AM—Break
Session II—Small Bowel & Colon
10:30 AM—Obscure GI Bleeding
Shajan Sugandha, MD
10:50 AM— Update in h.Pylori
Phillip Smith, MD
11:10 AM—c. Difficile Infection
Charles Elson, MD
11:30 AM—TBD
Talha Malik, MD
11:50 AM—Questions & Answers
12:00 PM— Lunch
Session III— Breakout Sessions & Discussions
1:00 PM— Nurses, Internal/Primary Care, GI
2:00 PM—Break
Session IV—Managing Liver Disease Complications
2:20 PM—Management of Ascites & SBP
Adam Edwards, MD
2:40 PM—Liver Vasculature in Managing Liver Disease
Sudha Kodali, MD
3:00 PM—What Is This Spot On My Liver
Desiree Morgan, MD
3:20 PM—Now That I Have Liver Cancer—What Next?
Jared White, MD
3:40 PM—Questions & Answers
4:00 PM—Break

Session V—Pancreatic-Biliary Disorders

4:15 PM—Management of Chronic Pancreatitis
C. Mel Wilcox, MD
4:35 PM—Endoscopy in the Bariatric Patient
Ali Ahmed, MD
4:55 PM—Cystic Lesions of Pancreas
Kondal Kyanam, MD
5:15 PM—Questions & Answers
5:30 PM—Closing Remarks
Session VI—Conference Banquet
5:45 PM—Banquet / Keynote Addresses
7:15 PM—Closing Remarks

Saturday, September 9, 2017

6:15 AM—Registration & Continental Breakfast
Session VII—Upper GI Tract Pathologies
7:00 AM— Meet the Professor—Nicholas Shaheen MD
7:30 AM—Welcome & Opening Remarks
7:35 AM—Managing Dysphagia & Motility Disorders
James Callaway, MD
7:55 AM—Strategies for Managing Refractory GERD
Chad Burski, MD
8:15 AM—How to manage Gastroparesis
Fred Weber, MD
8:35 AM—Eosinophilic Esophagitis
Reed Dimmitt, MD
8:55 AM—Questions & Answers
9:10 AM—State of the Art Lecture Barrett's Esophagus
Nicholas Shaheen, MD
9:30 AM—Questions & Answers
9:40 AM—Break
Session VIII—Small Bowel & Colon
9:55 AM—IBD
Peter Mannon, MD
10:15 AM—Constipation
Nipun Reddy, MD
10:35 AM—How to Remove Large Difficult Polyp
Jamie Cannon, MD
10:55 AM—Questions & Answers
Session IX—Intensive Management of End-Stage Liver Disease
11:00 AM—Organ Failure & Decompensated Liver Disease
W. Steve Stigler, MD
11:20 AM—Renal Injury—When to Call Nephrology
Ashita Tolwani, MD
11:40 AM—Liver Transplantation—Practical Update
Brendan McGuire, MD
12:00 PM—Questions & Answers
12:10 PM—Closing Remarks

Distinguished Faculty



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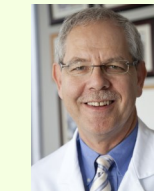
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