



ASGE POSTGRADUATE COURSE

OPTIMIZING ENDOSCOPIC OUTCOMES IN LIVER DISEASE

Held in conjunction with AASLD's The Liver Meeting® 2018

Friday, November 9, 2018 — Moscone Convention Center, San Francisco, CA

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WHY YOU SHOULD ATTEND

Gastrointestinal endoscopy plays an integral role in the evaluation and management of patients with advanced liver diseases as well as patients with biliary tract disease. The endoscopic management of these patients is often complex and challenging. Attendees of this session will have the opportunity to enhance their knowledge with state-of-the-art presentations on the endoscopic management of a variety of conditions related to this special population.

WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

Upon completion of the course participants should be able to:

- Identify how to perform high quality colonoscopy in patients with liver disease
- Employ current, evidenced based interventions for managing bleeding related to portal hypertensive gastropathy, GAVE, gastric and esophageal varices
- Discuss the role of endoscopy in managing biliary adverse events in the post-liver transplant patient
- Recognize controversies in the management of cholangiocarcinoma
- Discuss the role of endoscopic bariatric procedures in patients with liver disease

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Hepatologists
- Physician Assistants
- Gastroenterologists
- Surgeons
- Nurse Practitioners
- Fellows/Trainees



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Friday, November 9, 2018 — 8:00am-4:00pm

AGENDA (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)	
8:00-8:05am	Welcome Remark
SESSION I: PERFORMING HIGH QUALITY ENDOSCOPY	
8:05-8:20am	Do I Need to Give Platelets or Plasma? Understanding Bleeding Risk of Cirrhotic Patients
8:20-8:40am	Choosing Safe and Effective Sedation
8:40-8:55am	Sweating the Small Stuff: A Checklist of Things to Consider before Endoscopy
8:55-9:15am	Performing the Perfect Colonoscopy: Special Considerations in Liver Disease
9:15-9:30am	Panel Discussion
9:30-9:45am	Break
SESSION II: DIAGNOSTIC DILEMMAS IN ENDOSCOPY	
9:45-10:05am	Incidental Pancreas Cyst: What Do I Need to Do?
10:05-10:25am	Determining the Etiology of an Indeterminate Biliary Stricture
10:25-10:45am	Endoscopic Controversies in Cholangiocarcinoma
10:45-11:05am	Evolving Managing of Complex Post-Transplant Strictures: From Roux to Ischemic
11:05-11:55am	Endoscopic Video Forum: What Would You Do?
11:55am-12:55pm	Intermission
SESSION III: WHEN IT BLEEDS, IT POURS	
12:55-1:15pm	Endoscopic Management of Esophageal Varices: "TIPS" from an Expert
1:15-1:35pm	Let Your Radiologist Sleep: Learning to Glue
1:35-1:55pm	New Tools to Manage Non-Variceal Bleeding
1:55-2:15pm	Managing GAVE and Portal Hypertensive Gastropathy
2:15-2:30pm	Panel Discussion
2:30-2:45pm	Break
SESSION IV: NEW FRONTIERS IN ENDOSCOPY: HOW WILL IT CHANGE YOUR LIVER PRACTICE?	
2:45-2:55pm	Pro: EUS-Guided Liver Biopsy is Ready for Prime Time
2:55-3:05pm	Con: We Aren't Ready to Change the Gold Standard
3:05-3:25pm	Is Endoscopy the Cure for Fatty Liver Disease?
3:25-3:45pm	Measuring Portal Vein Pressure: Should we be doing it and if so how?
3:45-4:00pm	Panel Discussion
4:00pm	Course Adjourns

Registration and housing opens July 25th for AASLD Fellows and Members and August 1st for General Registration (Non-Members)

Register at www.aasld.org/LiverMeeting