

ASGE Masterclasses: A Weekend with the Masters



New York Marriott Marquis, New York, NY | JULY 8 – 9, 2017

ASGE Masterclass: Advanced Colonoscopy Techniques

SATURDAY, JULY 8, 6:00 am – 3:15 pm



Douglas K. Rex, MD, FASGE
Indiana University School of Medicine
Indianapolis, Indiana

■ WHY YOU SHOULD PARTICIPATE

This ASGE Masterclass will give participants the unique opportunity to spend a day engaging in-depth with Douglas K. Rex, MD, FASGE, an internationally recognized expert on topics impacting everyday clinical practice. This course features a comprehensive didactic course that will review in detail the performance of modern high level colonoscopy.

Don't miss this opportunity to explore tips and techniques for enhancing your colonoscopy practice.

■ WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

An extensive array of clinical tips will be discussed, including how to:

- Achieve and exceed the targets for the principle quality indicators including adenoma detection rate and bowel preparation adequacy
- Recognize and characterize the full spectrum of pre-cancerous colorectal lesions
- Recognize cancer in colorectal polyps
- Perform chromoendoscopy in IBD
- Achieve cecal intubation in patients with angulated sigmoids and redundant colons
- Avoid adverse events (complications) and malpractice actions
- Perform endoscopic mucosal resection, including specific approaches to large lesions, flat lesions, hard to access lesions, and serrated lesions, as well as specific techniques such as cap-fitted resection, underwater resection, and avulsion.

See complete course agenda on page 2.

■ WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Gastroenterologists, Endoscopists, GI nurses, GI Nurse Practitioners and GI Assistants

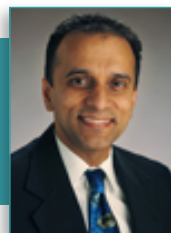
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COURSE***

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2017 Masterclasses!
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ASGE Masterclass: Managing Refractory GERD and Barrett's Esophagus: Practical Tips

SATURDAY, JULY 8, 3:00 – 5:30 pm

SUNDAY, JULY 9, 6:30 am – 1:30 pm



Prateek Sharma, MD, FASGE
University of Kansas Medical Center
Kansas City, Kansas

■ WHY YOU SHOULD PARTICIPATE

This ASGE Masterclass features a comprehensive didactic review in detail of the modern high-level management of patients with Refractory GERD and Barrett's esophagus. Join Prateek Sharma, MD, FASGE, as he discusses refractory GERD and Barrett's esophagus, the pre-malignant lesion for esophageal cancer – common indications for upper endoscopy in day-to-day practice. Screening, surveillance, medical treatment and ablation are issues faced by clinical gastroenterologists.

■ WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

An extensive array of clinical tips will be discussed, including how to:

- Perform quality endoscopy in patients with GERD and Barrett's esophagus
- Manage patients with refractory GERD
- Deal with patients with irregular z line
- Perform targeted and random biopsies according to published guidelines
- Manage patients with non dysplastic Barrett's esophagus
- Diagnostic algorithm for patients with GERD and normal endoscopy
- Recognize dysplasia/cancer in Barrett's esophagus
- Perform brushing, spray and virtual chromoendoscopy
- Select patients for endoscopic therapy
- Perform endoscopic mucosal resection, radiofrequency ablation, cryotherapy, hybrid-APC
- Referring GERD patients for surgery or endoscopic therapy

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**EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE:
June 1, 2017**

AGENDA

SUBJECT TO CHANGE

ASGE Masterclass: Advanced Colonoscopy Techniques

■ SATURDAY, JULY 8, 6:00 am – 3:15 pm

6:00 – 7:10 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:10 – 7:30 am	The Perfect Bowel Preparation: Achieving and Surpassing the New Quality Standards for Rates of Adequate Preparation <i>Identify patient criteria for selecting more aggressive bowel preparations, salvage techniques for inadequate preparations, and cleansing scales that are appropriate for clinical practice.</i>
7:30 – 7:40 am	Q & A
7:40 – 8:25 am	Lesion Recognition and Classification <i>Know the major categories of molecular routes to colorectal cancer and their precursor lesions, the Paris classification, the NICE classification, the WASP classification, and the clinical and endoscopic features of conventional adenomas, serrated lesions, and malignant polyps.</i>
8:25 – 8:40 am	Q & A
8:40 – 9:10 am	Detection: Quality Measurement and Tools for Improvement <i>Recognize subtle endoscopic lesions, and understand the range of tools available to improve the adenoma detection rate and detection of serrated lesions.</i>
9:10 – 9:25 am	Break
9:25 – 9:40 am	Chromoendoscopy in IBD <i>Prepare the tools for chromoendoscopy, prepare the colon for spraying, and perform pan and targeted chromoendoscopy.</i>
9:40 – 9:55 am	Serrated Lesions: Proper Terminology, Pathology, Recognition and Resection <i>Use appropriate terminology for description of serrated lesions, how to recognize them, differentiate hyperplastic polyp from sessile serrated polyp, and effectively resect serrated lesions by EMR.</i>
9:55 – 10:25 am	Pit Pattern and Vessel Recognition: Polyp Differentiation and EMR Follow-up <i>Utilize the NICE classification to differentiate conventional adenomas from serrated class lesions, recognize deep submucosal invasion, and use the WASP classification to differentiate hyperplastic polyp from sessile serrated polyp.</i>
10:25 – 10:35 am	Q & A
10:35 – 11:05 am	Video Quiz # 1
11:05 – 11:15 am	Key Takeaway Points
11:15 am – 12:15 pm	Polypectomy and EMR: How and What to Inject, Cautery Principles, Snare Selection, Methods of EMR, Follow-up of EMR <i>Identify tools for successful endoscopic mucosal resection of large, flat, and difficult to access colorectal lesions.</i>
12:15 – 12:45 pm	Working Lunch (Please grab lunch and return to session room)
12:45 – 1:15 pm	Navigating the Difficult Colon <i>Optimize technique for achieving cecal intubation in challenging intubations.</i>
1:15 – 1:45 pm	Avoiding, Recognizing and Treating Complications <i>Identify tools for preventing the major colonoscopy complications and associated medical-legal risk including missed lesion, perforation, bleeding, aspiration and splenic injury.</i>
1:45- 2:15 pm	Avoiding and Defending Malpractice Actions in Colonoscopy
2:15 – 2:30 pm	Q & A
2:30 – 2:45 pm	Video Quiz # 2
2:45 – 3:15 pm	Final Q & A with Key Takeaway Points
3:15 pm	Course Adjourned

ASGE Masterclass: Managing Refractory GERD and Barrett's Esophagus: Practical Tips

■ SATURDAY, JULY 8, 3:00 – 5:30 pm

3:00 – 3:40 pm	Registration
3:40 – 4:00 pm	The Basics of Endoscopic Diagnosis of GERD and Barrett's Esophagus: Identification of the Gastro-Esophageal Junction and Describing the LA and Prague C and M Classification <i>Identify the endoscopic landmarks utilized during upper endoscopy to accurately diagnose Barrett's esophagus and know the classification systems used for erosive esophagitis and columnar metaplasia</i>
4:00 – 4:45 pm	The Enigma of the Irregular z Line: Is It Barrett's Esophagus, Should You Biopsy, Should You Survey? <i>Know when to obtain biopsies in the distal esophagus and to diagnose changes associated with GERD and Barrett's esophagus</i>
4:45 – 5:15 pm	How to Approach GERD Patients with No Esophagitis on Endoscopy <i>Utilize various other modalities to diagnose acid reflux in the distal esophagus including 24 hour pH monitoring and impedance technologies. Recognize additional therapies available to treat non acid reflux and functional GERD symptoms</i>
5:15 – 5:30 pm	Q & A
5:30 pm	Adjourn for Day

■ SUNDAY, JULY 9, 6:30 am – 1:30 pm

6:30 – 7:10 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:10 – 7:30 am	Tips on Surveillance and Recognizing Dysplasia/Cancer in Barrett's Esophagus: Inspection Time of Esophagus, Targeting Biopsies and Seattle Protocol <i>Use of the Seattle biopsy protocol to obtain targeted biopsies first followed by random biopsies of the esophagus. Understand the concept of the esophagus inspection time which will improve recognition of subtle lesions in Barrett's esophagus</i>
7:30 – 8:00 am	Advance Imaging Techniques for GERD and BE: Dye Spray (Acetic Acid, Indigo Carmine) and Brushing, NBI, BLI, I Scan – What Should You Be Using in Practice? <i>List the various technologies and tools available for better detection of minimal esophageal changes associated with GERD and dysplastic Barrett's esophagus. Understand how they work and which ones would be useful in clinical practice</i>
8:00 – 8:30 am	Approach to Non-Dysplastic Barrett's Esophagus: Should You Ablate? <i>Understand the progression risk of non dysplastic Barrett's esophagus to cancer and the risk factors associated with progression. Based on this, know the risks and benefits of ablation therapy in this setting.</i>
8:30 – 9:00 am	Video Quiz 1 (Test Your Skills in Recognizing Esophagitis and Early Neoplastic Lesions in Barrett's Esophagus)
9:00 – 9:15 am	Q & A with Key Takeaway Points
9:15 – 9:30 am	Break
9:30 – 10:30 am	GERD Symptoms Refractory to PPI Therapy and Long Term PPI Therapy: Is It safe? <i>Identify the reasons why PPI therapy may fail to controls symptoms in GERD patients and how to approach these patients. List the alternative therapies available in this setting. Understand the risks of long term PPI therapy.</i>
10:30 – 11:00 am	Endoscopic Resection: Tips for EMR, How and When and How to Manage Adverse Events (Complications) <i>Identify tools for performing a successful EMR in patients with visible lesions in Barrett's esophagus and how to select patients for EMR. Recognize complications associated with EMR and how to identify and treat them.</i>
11:00 – 11:30 am	Mucosal Ablation Techniques: RFA, Cryotherapy, APC - Selecting the Right Technology, How to Manage Adverse Events and Recurrences <i>List the various mucosal ablative therapies available to treat patients with Barrett' esophagus, their efficacy and adverse events. Recognize risk factors for recurrences post ablation and how to treat them.</i>
11:30 am – 12:00 pm	Break for Lunch
12:00 – 12:30 pm	Minimally Invasive Therapies for GERD (Laparoscopic Fundoplication, Linx, Endoscopic Therapies) When to Consider? <i>Know when to refer patients with GERD symptoms for minimally invasive therapies and their success and complication rates.</i>
12:30 – 1:00 pm	Video Quiz #2 (Test Your Skills in the Endoscopic Treatment of Barrett's Esophagus)
1:00 – 1:30 pm	Final Q & A with Key Takeaway Points
1:30 pm	Course Adjourned

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Hotel Accommodations

It is recommended that you make your hotel reservations as soon as possible. However, you may want to wait to make your airline reservations until you have received confirmation of registration from ASGE.

New York Marriott Marquis
1535 Broadway, New York, NY 10036
Reservations: 877-303-0104 or 212-398-1900

ASGE has arranged a room block for this course at \$219 per night plus applicable tax. This discount is valid only if the reservation is made before Friday, June 16, 2017. Please contact the hotel directly to make hotel reservations. Please mention the name "ASGE Masterclass" when making your reservation.

Transportation

Whether you live across the Hudson or across the Atlantic, getting to NYC is easy.

By plane: If you're coming from far away, you'll probably want to fly into one of the New York City area's major airports.

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Continuing Medical Education

The American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (ASGE) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. ASGE designates the Advanced Colonoscopy Techniques live activity for a maximum of 7.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. ASGE designates the Managing Refractory GERD and Barrett's Esophagus: Practical Tips live activity for a maximum of 7.25 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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 Course Fee if registered on or before JUNE 1, 2017
 Course Fee if registered after JUNE 1, 2017

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