

THE SOCIETY FOR SURGERY
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MAINTENANCE OF
CERTIFICATION COURSE

The General Surgeon Performing GI Surgery: Current Management of Benign and Malignant Foregut Diseases

Saturday, May 3, 2014

McCormick Place Convention Center
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COURSE DIRECTOR:

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The SSAT Maintenance of Certification 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 3-6, 2014.

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COURSE GOAL & AUDIENCE

The 2014 SSAT Maintenance of Certification Course will focus on the management of diseases of the stomach and esophagus as well as bariatric surgery. This course will explore the evidence that supports the management of these disorders, and experts will provide a "How I Do It" approach to their subject areas. The format will be a mix of didactic sessions, a video session with experts providing commentary, a debate, and finally a session where experts will discuss the management of common and not-so-common clinical problems in a case-based format. We expect all participants to leave with an enhanced understanding of both the current state-of-the-art and where we are going as GI physicians. Completion of this course will help fulfill Part II Maintenance of Certification (MOC) requirements.

This activity is designed to address the following ABMS/IOM competencies:

- Patient Care or Patient-Centered Care
- Medical Knowledge
- System-Based Practice
- Quality Improvement

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FORMAT

The course will be divided into four sessions and, at the conclusion of the course, participants will be able to:

SESSION I

- Outline the modern management of pre-malignant and malignant lesions of the stomach and esophagus
- Identify the arguments for and against the benefits of performing all surgery for gastric and esophageal cancers in high volume centers

SESSION II

- Discuss what bariatric procedures are available to the obese patient in 2014
- Summarize the controversies in the management of achalasia
- Explain the roles of medical and surgical treatment in patients with GERD
- Identify how to manage perforations of the esophagus and stomach

SESSION III

- Outline decision making and surgical management of patients with complex benign and malignant diseases of the stomach and esophagus
- Outline decision making and surgical management of complex obese patients requiring bariatric surgery
- Discuss the management of complications following surgery on the stomach and esophagus

SESSION IV

- Explain the surgical principles and techniques in the management of paraesophageal hernias
- Outline the indications and the technique for performing per-oral esophageal myotomy
- Explain the surgical technique and limitations of repairing perforated duodenal ulcers laparoscopically
- Summarize the indications and technique for performing magnetic sphincter augmentation for GERD
- Describe the principles and surgical technique in performing gastrectomy for GIST
- Explain the surgical techniques used to minimize the risk of small bowel herniation following gastric bypass

ACCREDITATION

The Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract (SSAT) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

SSAT designates this live activity for 7 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*.™ Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



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8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

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Course Director:

Robin S. McLeod, Toronto, ON

8:00 AM – 8:15 AM

Welcome & Introduction

Robin S. McLeod, Toronto, ON

SESSION I:

CURRENT STATUS OF MANAGEMENT OF MALIGNANT DISEASE

Moderator:

Fabrizio Michelassi, New York, NY

8:15 AM – 8:30 AM

What Are the Options for Premalignant Lesions of the Esophagus and Stomach?

Jeffrey M. Marks, Cleveland, OH

8:30 AM – 8:45 AM

Current Management of Esophageal Cancer

Lorenzo E. Ferri, Montreal, QC

8:45 AM – 9:00 AM

Current Management of Gastric Cancer

Roderich E. Schwarz, Indianapolis, IN

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM

Panel & Audience Discussion

DEBATE:

SURGERY FOR ESOPHAGEAL AND GASTRIC CANCERS: HIGH VOLUME SURGEONS IN CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE VS. GENERAL SURGEONS

9:30 AM – 9:45 AM

Surgery for Esophageal and Gastric Cancers Should Only Be Performed by High Volume Surgeons in Centers of Excellence

Natalie G. Coburn, Toronto, ON

9:45 AM – 10:00 AM

Surgery for Esophageal and Gastric Cancers Can Be Performed by General Surgeons with Equivalent Results

Jennifer F. Tseng, Boston, MA

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM

COFFEE BREAK

SESSION II:

CURRENT STATUS OF MANAGEMENT OF BENIGN DISEASE

Moderator:

Jeffrey B. Matthews, Chicago, IL

10:30 AM – 10:45 AM

Current Status of Bariatric Procedures

Matthew M. Hutter, Boston, MA

10:45 AM – 11:00 AM

Controversies in Management of Achalasia

Marco G. Patti, Chicago, IL

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11:00 AM – 11:15 AM

GERD Procedures: When and What?

P. Marco Fisichella, Maywood, IL

11:15 AM – 11:30 AM

Perforations of the Esophagus and Stomach: What Should I Do?

Vic Velanovich, Tampa, FL

11:30 AM – 12:00 PM

Panel and Audience Discussion

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM

LUNCH

SESSION III:

CASE PRESENTATIONS: MANAGEMENT OF COMPLEX CASES AND COMPLICATIONS

Moderator:

Robin S. McLeod, Toronto, ON

1:00 PM – 2:30 PM

Case Presentations: *Brant Oelschlager, Seattle, WA*
Allan Okrainec, Toronto, ON

Panelists: *Gerald M. Fried, Montreal, QC*
John G. Hunter, Portland, OR
Simon Y. K. Law, Hong Kong, China
Alfons Pomp, New York, NY

2:30 PM – 3:00 PM

COFFEE BREAK

SESSION IV:

VIDEO SESSION: HOW I DO IT!

Moderator:

Nathaniel J. Soper, Chicago, IL

Panelists: *Jeffrey H. Peters, Rochester, NY*
Bruce D. Schirmer, Charlottesville, VA
Lee L. Swanstrom, Portland, OR

3:00 PM – 3:20 PM

Repair of a Complex Paraesophageal Hernia

Brant K. Oelschlager, Seattle, WA

3:20 PM – 3:40 PM

Peroral Esophageal Myotomy

Eric S. Hungness, Chicago, IL

3:40 PM – 4:00 PM

Laparoscopic Repair of a Perforated Duodenal Ulcer

Allan Okrainec, Toronto, ON

4:00 PM – 4:20 PM

Management of Reflux with Magnetic Sphincter Augmentation

C. Daniel Smith, Jacksonville, FL

4:20 PM – 4:40 PM

Surgery for Gastric GIST

B. Todd Heniford, Charlotte, NC

4:40 PM – 05:00 PM

Maneuvers to Prevent Small Bowel Herniation following Gastric Bypass

Sayed Ikramuddin, Minneapolis, MN



ACCOMMODATIONS

Please visit the DDW® website at www.ddw.org to view a list of the official DDW® hotels, rates, housing forms, and maps to make your housing reservations.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

	On or before MARCH 26	After MARCH 26*
SSAT Active, Senior, or Honorary Member	\$300	\$350
Non-Member	\$350	\$400
SSAT Candidate Member	complimentary	\$50
Non-Member Trainee	\$95	\$145

**All Fees will increase by \$50 after the Early Bird Registration deadline of Wednesday, March 26, 2014.*

Please visit the DDW® website at www.ddw.org to register.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Should you have questions regarding this CME activity, please contact our administrative office. In addition, per the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you require special accommodations to attend or participate in this CME activity, please provide information about your requirements to our administrative office.

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