

QUALITY AND SAFETY IN YOUR ENDOSCOPY UNIT

**MAY 15, 2015
BALTIMORE, MD**

Early Bird Registration
Deadline: **APRIL 8**

**SEPTEMBER 18, 2015
SAN ANTONIO, TX**

Early Bird Registration
Deadline: **AUGUST 20**

**DECEMBER 10, 2015*
DOWNERS GROVE, IL**

Early Bird Registration
Deadline: **NOVEMBER 5**

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This highly popular course was developed by ASGE to educate physicians and non-physician staff of endoscopy units on how to translate quality and safety concepts into everyday practice. Through a mixture of didactic lecture and interactive sessions taught by leading experts in the field, participants of the course will not only advance their knowledge of endoscopy unit quality and safety, emerging trends and evidence, but they will also be prepared to apply for the ASGE Endoscopy Unit Recognition Program or be able to renew their current participation.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this educational activity, participants will be able to:

- Identify ways to define and measure quality in endoscopy
- Describe techniques to make endoscopy more efficient while maintaining safety
- Describe methods to improve patient satisfaction in endoscopy, including improved doctor-patient communication
- Recognize the potential sources of infection from contact with various body fluids, their transmissibility during gastrointestinal endoscopy, and their susceptibility to potential disinfectants
- Specify measures for improving unit quality, including training and credentialing for new procedures, quality assurance programs, sedation and monitoring, and unit accreditation and re-accreditation

Who Should Attend

- Practicing gastrointestinal endoscopists and surgeons
- Medical directors
- Nurse managers
- Unit managers
- Allied professionals interested in advancing their knowledge in endoscopy unit quality and safety

Units interested in applying for the ASGE Endoscopy Unit Recognition Program or renewing their ASGE Endoscopy Unit Recognition Certificate are encouraged to send both a physician and a non-physician manager to the course. Program eligibility criteria require completion of this course by at least one unit representative within one year of the program application.



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AGENDA

6:30 – 7:30 am	Registration Continental Breakfast and Exhibits
7:30 – 7:40 am	Welcome
7:40 – 8:20 am	Quality in Endoscopy: Is There a Problem? What Constitutes a High-Quality Endoscopy Unit?
8:20 – 9:00 am	From Benchmarking to Accountability
9:00 – 9:40 am	Round Table Discussion I: Quality Metrics in the ASC and Hospital Endoscopy Unit
9:40 – 10:00 am	Break and Exhibits
10:00 – 10:30 am	Endoscopy Unit Efficiency
10:30 – 11:00 am	How to Design, Implement, and Sustain an Excellent QAPI Program
11:00 – 11:20 am	Assessing and Improving Patient Satisfaction
11:20 am – 12:00 pm	Round Table Discussion II: Practical Aspects of Quality Improvement
12:00 – 1:15 pm	Networking Lunch Sessions
1:15 – 1:45 pm	Quality in Sedation and Monitoring
1:45 – 2:45 pm	Infection Control Concepts of Endoscopy and Endoscopes
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Infection Control Question and Answer
3:00 – 3:20 pm	Break and Exhibits
3:20 – 3:40 pm	New Equipment and New Procedures
3:40 – 4:00 pm	Strategies for Accreditation, Reaccreditation, and Compliance
4:00 – 4:30 pm	Roundtable Discussion III: Playing by the Rules
4:30 pm	Course Adjourns

Subject to change.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

ASGE courses have a history of selling out. 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 receive confirmation of registration from ASGE.

MAY 15, 2015 BALTIMORE, MD

Hilton Baltimore

401 West Pratt Street
Baltimore, MD 21201
1.800.HILTONS (445.8667)

Rate: \$215/night for single/
double occupancy

Baltimore Marriott Inner Harbor

110 South Eutaw Street
Baltimore, MD 21202
1.877.212.5752

Rate: \$204/night for single/
double occupancy

Rooms should be reserved by
April 17, 2015 to secure the discounted
rates. To reserve a room, contact the
hotel directly and reference SGNA
when making your reservations.

SEPTEMBER 18, 2015 SAN ANTONIO, TX

Grand Hyatt San Antonio

600 E. Market Street
San Antonio, TX 78205
1.210.224.1234 or
1.888.591.1234
Fax: 210.271.8019

ASGE has arranged a room rate of
\$195 per night plus applicable state
and local taxes. Rooms should be
secured by August 17, 2015 to secure
the discounted rate. Please contact the
hotel directly to make the reservation.
Please mention American Society for
Gastrointestinal Endoscopy when
making your reservation.

DECEMBER 10, 2015* DOWNERS GROVE, IL

Doubletree Suites by Hilton Hotel

2111 Butterfield Road
Downers Grove, IL 60515
Tel: 630.971.2000
Fax: 800.222.8733

ASGE has arranged a room block for
this course at \$119 per-night, plus
applicable tax. This discount is valid
only if the reservation is made before
November 19, 2015. Please contact
the hotel directly to make room
reservations. Please reference "ASGE GI
Practice Management Essentials" when
making your reservation.

* This course offering takes place as
part of ASGE's Practice Management
Trifecta, taking place December 10-13
at ASGE IT&T in Downers Grove, IL.

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

Physicians – 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 this live activity for a maximum of 8.50 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits.TM Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Nurses – This continuing nursing education activity was approved by The Society of Gastroenterology Nurses and Associates, Inc., an accredited approver of nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. 8.1 contact hours were approved.

Practice Administrators – This program is eligible for American College of Medical Practice Executive (ACMPE) Credit Hours. To apply this program toward your ACMPE continuing medical education requirement, please calculate the total number of clock hours you spent in educational sessions and enter your hours online in the MY TRANSCRIPT area of mgma.com.

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REGISTRATION

I am registering for:

- ☐ **May 15, 2015** | Baltimore, MD
- ☐ **September 18, 2015** | San Antonio, TX
- ☐ **December 10, 2015** | Downers Grove, IL
- Early Bird Deadline:** April 8
- Early Bird Deadline:** August 20
- Early Bird Deadline:** November 5

	On or Before Early Bird Deadline	After Early Bird Dealine
Physician Member	☐ \$450	☐ \$550
Physician Non-Member	☐ \$550	☐ \$650
Member Non-Physician	☐ \$450	☐ \$550
Non-Member Non-Physician	☐ \$550	☐ \$650

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REGISTRATION FORM

NAME

DATE

ACADEMIC DEGREE(S)

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THIS INFORMATION IS MY: ☐ HOME ☐ WORK **ASGE MEMBER?** ☐ YES ☐ NO

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CARDHOLDER NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

CARD NUMBER

EXPIRATION DATE

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I've enclosed a check for \$_____ made payable to:

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