

# Internal Medicine Grand Rounds

Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas, Fogelson Bldg., Haggard Hall, 8200 Walnut Hill Lane, Dallas, TX 75231  
Noon – 1 p.m.

## GASTROENTEROLOGY



**October 2, 2019**

### “The Management of Ascites”

**Rotonya M. Carr, M.D.**

*Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, Division of Gastroenterology  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

**Objectives:**

- Discuss the pathophysiology of portal hypertension and ascites in a cirrhotic patient.
  - Identify new onset ascites in a cirrhotic patient.
- Review the evidence supporting ascites management strategies.

**October 9, 2019**

### “Bariatric Surgery”

**Benjamin E. Schneider, M.D., FACS**

*Associate Professor - Department of Surgery, UT Southwestern Medical Center – Dallas, Texas*

**Objectives:**

- Describe the incidence of obesity.
- Discuss the surgical options in the treatment of morbid obesity.
- Describe improvement in health outcomes following bariatric surgery.

**October 16, 2019**

### “Providing Quality Inflammatory Bowel Disease Care: The IBD Care Referral Pathway”

**Jami Kinnucan, M.D.**

*Assistant Professor of Medicine, Adult Inflammatory Bowel Disease; Director of IBD Fellowship Education  
Michigan Medicine, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor, Michigan*

**Objectives:**

- Discuss the IBD Care Referral Pathway.
- Describe implementation of Pathway in Practice Settings.
- Review of high quality health maintenance in IBD.

**October 23, 2019**

### “Elevated Liver Enzymes: What to do next?”

**Nantha Surkunalingam, D.O.**

*Gastroenterologist, Digestive Health Associates of Texas, P.A. – Dallas, Texas*

**Objectives:**

- Identify what normal values are.
- Review acute hepatitis versus acute liver failure.
- Discuss the initial approach to elevated liver associated enzymes.
- Discuss nonalcoholic fatty liver disease and nonalcoholic steatohepatitis, the new era of liver disease.
  - Discuss endoscopic ultrasound/guided liver biopsy, another tool in the box.

**October 30, 2019**

### Administrative Update/Internal Medicine Department meeting (Not for CME)

**Target Audience:** Internal medicine physicians, residents, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, allied health care professionals

**Program Director:** Rajeev Jain, M.D. – *gastroenterologist*, Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Dallas – Dallas, Texas

**Format:** Didactic lecture with question and answer session

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