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OCTOBER 6, 2021

**“Gastroparesis- Diagnosis and Management in 2021”
Samar Harris, M.D.**

Gastroenterologist, Digestive Health Associates of Texas – Dallas, Texas

Objectives:

- Review the etiology and most common causes of gastroparesis.
 - Discuss diagnostic testing in gastroparesis.
- Discuss management strategies for gastroparesis- medical and surgical.

OCTOBER 13, 2021

**“New Concepts in the Pathophysiology and Treatment of GERD”
Stuart J. Spechler, M.D.**

*Chief, Division of Gastroenterology | Co-Director, Center for Esophageal Diseases
Baylor University Medical Center at Dallas – Dallas, Texas
Co-Director, Center for Esophageal Diseases, Baylor Scott & White Research Institute – Dallas, Texas*

Objectives:

- Discuss the basis for the new concept that GERD develops as a cytokine-mediated injury rather than as a caustic chemical injury (an acid burn).
- Identify potential mechanisms underlying GERD symptoms that are refractory to PPI therapy.
- Describe how to formulate an approach to the management of patients with PPI-refractory GERD.

OCTOBER 20, 2021

**“The Management of Chronic Idiopathic Constipation and
Irritable Bowel Syndrome with Constipation (IBS-C)”
David John Cangemi, M.D.**

*Senior Associate Consultant and Assistant Professor
Division of Gastroenterology, Mayo Clinic Jacksonville – Jacksonville, Florida*

Objectives:

- Identify ways to make a confident diagnosis of CIC or IB-C.
- Discuss the importance of pelvic floor dysfunction in chronic constipation.
 - Review existing treatment options for CIC/IBS-C.

OCTOBER 27, 2021

**“The Role of Endoscopy in Post Bariatric Surgery”
Tarek Sawas, M.D., MPH**

*Assistant Professor/ Advanced Endoscopist
UT Southwestern Medical Center – Dallas, Texas*

Objectives:

- Discuss post bariatric surgery complications.
- Review and become familiar with post bariatric surgery complications management.

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

Department Chair: David Gonzales, M.D. – *chairman*, Department of Internal Medicine
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Format: Didactic lecture with question-and-answer session

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