A DAY IN THE GUT XXV
ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES IN GASTROENTEROLOGY
FRIDAY APRIL 13, 2018
Montefiore Medical Center
Tishman Learning Center
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Bronx, New York 10467
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Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore
STATEMENT OF NEED
This program is designed to teach practicing gastroenterologists and other physicians about current issues and controversies in gastroenterology. Using their knowledge of important issues in the field of gastroenterology, the course directors selected the topics. The recent medical literature was reviewed to help identify current topics of interest. For example, recent data suggest that physicians need more education about fertility and pregnancy issues in patients with inflammatory bowel disease. Therefore, expected problems and concerns for both patients and caregivers in the management of patients with IBD related to fertility and pregnancy will be reviewed. Course evaluations submitted by course attendees are carefully scrutinized, and topics and speakers are chosen to reflect the needs expressed by those attendees. Thus, the role of cannabis in gastrointestinal and liver disease management will be discussed, emphasizing both its utility and regulation as described in the recent literature. In addition, topics are also selected based upon suggestions from course participants in previous years to address issues that merit updates. For example, participants asked for updates in the microbiome and IBS and this is deserving of review.

ACTIVITY GOALS
The program in 2018 will be devoted to current issues and controversies in gastroenterology and hepatology. Each presentation is designed to update practicing gastroenterologists, hepatologists and internists on important and challenging areas of this complex and ever-changing field of medicine. In addition, discussions will focus on recent laboratory discoveries and the potential impact of these findings on patient management in the upcoming years. Ample opportunity for interaction between participants and faculty will be provided during the formal sessions as well as during the intermissions.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
At the conclusion of the program, participants should be able to:
1. Describe the role of cannabis in the management of gastrointestinal and hepatic disease
2. Discuss current innovations in capsule endoscopy
3. Understand the importance of the microbiome in the pathogenesis and treatment of irritable bowel syndrome
4. Recognize the importance of high-resolution anoscopy in the management of patients with anal HPV infection
5. Identify important issues related to fertility and pregnancy in the management of patients with inflammatory bowel disease
6. Understand the signs of physician burnout and techniques to help avoid that condition
7. Develop a greater understanding of the pathogenesis and current treatment of Wilson disease

INTENDED AUDIENCE
Practicing Gastroenterologists, Hepatologists, Internists GI Fellows, Residents, NPs, Nurses and PAs

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

MORNING SESSION
Moderator: Lawrence J. Brandt, MD

7:15 – 7:55 AM  Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:55 – 8:00  Welcoming Remarks
Lawrence J. Brandt, MD and David A. Greenwald, MD
8:00 – 8:30  The Odyssey of Wilson Disease
Michael Schilsky, MD
8:30 – 8:45  Q & A
8:45 – 9:15  Capsule Update 2018 – Viewing the GI Tract Differently
Daniel S. Mishkin, MD
9:15 – 9:30  Q & A
9:30 – 10:00  Coffee Break
10:00 – 10:30  The Microbiome and IBS: Causation or Just Association?
Olga C. Aroniadis, MD
10:30 – 10:45  Q & A
10:45 – 11:15  Words That Tell A Story
Joel Chodos, MD
11:15 – 11:30  Q & A
11:30 – 12:30 PM  Luncheon

AFTERNOON SESSION
Moderator: David A. Greenwald, MD

12:30 – 1:00  The Role of High Resolution Anoscopy in Managing Patients
with Anal HPV Infection
Jessica D. Korman, MD
1:00 – 1:15  Q & A
1:15 – 1:30  Avoiding Physician Burnout
Marvin A. Chinitz, MD
1:30 – 2:00  Fertility and Pregnancy Issues in IBD
Patricia Kozuch, MD
2:00 – 2:15  Q & A
2:15 – 2:45  Refreshment Break
2:45 – 3:15  The Role and Regulation of Cannabis within Gastrointestinal
and Hepatic Disease – “High” Time to Consider
David J. Hass, MD
3:15 – 3:30  Q & A
3:30  Program Adjourn and Followed by Reception

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