

Conference Registration Form

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Fees: please check one

Early Bird Member Fee \$45.00 _____

Non-Member Fee \$55.00 _____

GI Techs/Students \$25.00 _____

After 12/31/16 \$65.00 _____

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6th Annual Regional
Conference

TEEING OFF TO EXCELLENCE IN GI NURSING



Presented by the Eastern Division of
the Georgia Society of
Gastroenterology Nurses and
Associates and by Augusta
University Medical Center, Center
for Nursing Education

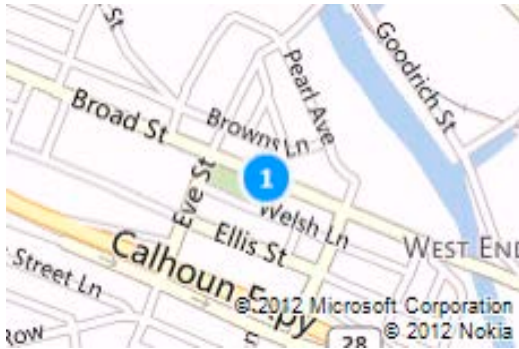
6 CONTACT HOURS

PURPOSE

Expand the knowledge base of gastroenterology practitioners through continuing education.

OBJECTIVES

1. Explore the role of endoscopy in post-operative Crohn's disease
2. Identify the latest diagnostic testing and therapies for evaluating and treating chronic constipation
3. Identify anesthesia errors that can occur in endoscopy and discuss how to prevent them
4. Discuss the Whipple procedure and define the role of the GI nurse in the care of patients who require it
5. Recognize the importance of proper endoscope reprocessing from an epidemiology standpoint
6. Explore strategies to rise above obstacles and become a successful professional



Kroc Center, Augusta

1830 Broad Street, Augusta, GA 30904

Directions from Atlanta or Columbia

I-20 to Augusta, Exit I-20 at River Watch Pkwy (exit 200), Exit River Watch Pkwy at Green Street, Turn right onto Broad Street (1st light) continue approx. 1.5 miles, Kroc Center on the right

Directions from Savannah, GA

Entering Augusta on Hwy 25 (Peach Orchard Rd), Continue on Hwy 25 (merges into Gordon Hwy - includes Hwy 1, 25 and 78), Continue 3 miles, Turn left at Walton Way (Red Lobster on right), Turn right onto 15th Street, turn left on Broad Street. Continue approx. 1.5 miles, Kroc Center is on right

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Saturday February 4, 2017

Intended audience: GI Nurses, GI Technicians, and GI Associates

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| 7:00 am | Registration, Exhibits, Breakfast* |
| 7:45 am | Welcome |
| 8:00 am | Endoscope Reprocessing: What keeps the Infection Preventionist awake at night? |
| 9:00 am | Chronic Constipation: More complicated than you think |
| 10:00 am | Break/Vendor Exhibits |
| 10:30 am | Medication errors in GI anesthesia |
| 11:30 am | "Rice to Grits"-be the best you can be in healthcare |
| 12:30 pm | Lunch* |
| 1:00 pm | Vendor Exhibits |
| 1:30 pm | The role of Endoscopy in the management of postoperative Crohn's |
| 2:30 pm | Pancreatic surgery: What nurses need to know |
| 3:30 pm | Evaluations/ Adjourn |

*Cost of breakfast and lunch included in tuition price
This activity has been submitted to the Georgia Nurses Association for approval to award contact hours. The South Carolina Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. For more info call Rebecca Lewis 706-446-1255.



FACULTY

Don Wright, RN, BSN, CIC, Certified Infection Preventionist and administrator of Infection Control Program, Aiken Regional Medical Center

Amol Sharma, MD, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Department of Medicine-Gastroenterology, Augusta University Medical Center

John Koncelick, DO, Anesthesiologist at Ocala Regional Medical Center

Jason Robertson, Motivational speaker that has overcome adversity to become a successful business owner of a home care company

Humberto Sifuentes, MD Assistant Professor and associate fellowship program director, department of Medicine-Gastroenterology, Augusta University Medical Center

Edward J. Kruse, DO-Assistant Professor of Surgical Oncology, Department of Surgery, Augusta University Medical Center



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