Central Mesenteric Lymph Node Micrometastases in Colorectal Cancer


Announcement

25th European Gastroenterology and Endotherapy Workshop

Brussels, Belgium, June 18–20, 2007

The Gastroenterology and Endotherapy European Workshop is intended for practicing gastroenterologists with varying levels of training and experience, for fellows in training as well as GI nurses.

It will include live video demonstrations permitting maximal interaction between faculty and attendees during procedures, using an interactive voting system, evidence-based didactic comments and quizzes. The procedures will be performed by international expert endoscopists in collaboration with radiologists, pathologists and surgeons of the Brussels faculty. Two or three state-of-the-art lectures will be presented every day and illustrated by live video cases allowing comprehensive didactic sessions on almost all range of diagnostic and therapeutic issues.

The aim of these demonstrations is not only to show the new devices and tricks for succeeding in each type of procedure, but above all to explain clearly how to avoid the complications and to offer attractive and interactive discussion on practical cases management and multidisciplinary approach.

This year will be very special since it is the 25th meeting organized on a yearly basis in Brussels.

Major procedures to be demonstrated: New diagnostic tools in upper and lower gastrointestinal endoscopy; Dilation of gastrointestinal strictures and stenting; Hemostasis of bleeding ulcers and varices; EUS for staging, FNA; Enteroscopy – double balloon endoscopy; Capsule endoscopy/colonoscopy; Percutaneous gastrosotomy and jejunoscopy; Mucosal resection and submucosal dissection; All techniques for GERD endoscopic treatment; Zenker’s diverticulotomy; Endoscopic treatments in obesity; Endocytoscopy, confocal endoscopy; Therapeutic ERCP; Therapeutic EUS – transmural anastomoses – pseudocyst drainage; Extracorporeal shock wave lithotripsy; Transjugular liver biopsies, TIPS; Percutaneous transhepatic cholangiographies.

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