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INTRODUCTION

The International Gastrointestinal Cancers Congress 2023, a platform that unites clinicians, researchers, academics, and industry professionals from Qatar, the Gulf region and the world in the field of gastrointestinal oncology.

This congress will provide a multidisciplinary forum for discussions and presentations on the latest developments, cutting-edge research, new therapies, and future trends in the field of gastrointestinal cancers.

SCIENTIFIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

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CPD ACCREDITATION

This activity is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Category 1) as defined by the Ministry of Public Health's Department of Healthcare Professions - Accreditation Section and is approved for a maximum of 9 hours. Activity Code: A402

The scientific planning committee has reviewed all disclosed financial relationships of speakers, moderators, facilitators and/or authors in advance of this CPD activity and has implemented procedures to manage any potential or real conflicts of interest



OVERALL LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon the completion of this activity, the participants will:

- Describe the underlying pathophysiology, epidemiology, and risk factors associated with GI cancers.
- Define the preventive strategies, emphasizing risk reduction and screening protocols for early detection of GI cancers.
- Analyze the utility and significance of advanced imaging technologies and procedures for the accurate staging and monitoring of GI cancers.
- Understand the surgical interventions for GI cancers, including techniques, outcomes, and post-operative considerations.
- Analyze the economic considerations and implications related to the cost-effectiveness of GI cancer treatment modalities.
- Describe the principles and advancements in radiotherapy for GI cancers.
- Identify the latest in GI cancer management, covering novel therapies, recent clinical trial outcomes, and emerging research directions.
- Recognize the specific management strategies for distinct patient groups, particularly those undergoing liver transplantation or those with hepatobiliary-pancreatic tumors.
- Understand the medical management spectrum for GI cancers, which includes chemotherapy, immunotherapy, and targeted therapies.
- List the factors influencing the quality of life for patients with GI cancers.
- Understand the importance and specifics of nutritional considerations and supportive care needs for patients with GI cancers.
- Understand the role and significance of a multidisciplinary approach in managing GI cancers.

AGENDA

FIRST DAY: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1ST, 2023

3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Registration & Welcome	
4:00 PM - 4:05 PM	Opening Remarks	Dr. Khalid Bin Jabor Al Thani
Moderators: Prof. Harald Rosen, Dr. Hassan Al-Thani		
4:05 PM - 4:20 PM	Surgical Management of Primary Colorectal Cancer	Dr. Mohammed Abunada
4:20 PM - 4:35 PM	Precision Oncology in The Managment Of Colorectal Cancer	Dr. Kakil Rasul
4:35 PM - 4:50 PM	Advances In The Surgical Managment of Hepatic Colorectal Cancer Metastases	Dr. Nestor Esnaola
4:50 PM - 5:05 PM	LiverTransplantation For Metastatic Colorectal Cancer	Dr. Maen Abdelrahim
5:05 PM - 5:20 PM	ESMO Clinical Practice Guidelines for the Treatment of Meta-static Colorectal Cancer	Prof. Christoph Zielinski



FIRST DAY: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1ST, 2023

5:20 PM - 5:35 PM	Discussion	
5:35 PM - 5:50 PM	Coffee Break & Prayer	
Moderators: Dr Anas Hamad, Prof. Christoph Zielinski		
5:50 PM - 6:05 PM	Gastroesophageal Cancer in the curative setting: standards and hot topics	Prof. Sebastian Schoppmann
6:05 PM - 6:20 PM	Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors in Gastric Cancer	Prof. Christoph Zielinski
6:20 PM - 6:35 PM	Progressive Disease: Preventing Esophageal Cancer	Prof. Sebastian Schoppmann
6:35 PM - 6:55 PM	Discussion	
6:55 PM - 7:10 PM	Developing a Specialized Oesophago-Gastric Cancer Unit in	Dr. Ahmed Al- Bahrani
7:10 PM - 7:25 PM	Gastroesophageal Cancers past present and future from medical oncology prespective	Dr. Alaaeldin shablak
7:25 PM - 7:40 PM	SocioEconomic Burden of GI Cancers and the Role of Value Based Health Care	Dr. Anas Hamad
7:40 PM - 8:00 PM	Discussion	
8:00 PM - 8:05 PM	Closing Remarks	Dr. Hadi Abu Rasheed
Dinner		

SECOND DAY: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2ND, 2023

1:30 PM - 2:00 PM	Registration	
Moderators: Dr. Mohammed Al Homsy , Dr Ahmed Al- Bahrani		
2:00 PM - 2:15 PM	Qatar Colon Cancer Screening Experience PHCC	Dr. Shaikha Abushaikha
2:15 PM - 2:30 PM	GI cancers Epidemiology and Risk Reduction	Dr. Hadi Abu Rasheed
2:30 PM - 2:45 PM	Understanding Quality of Life: Insights from a Colorectal Cancer Study in Qatar	Dr. Nada Abushashem
2:45 PM - 3:00 PM	Improving functional outcome after rectal cancer surgery	Prof. Harald Rosen
3:00 PM - 3:15 PM	Discussion	
3:15 PM - 3:30 PM	Coffee Break	



Moderators: Dr. Ahmed Elaffandi, Dr. Arwa Ahmed

3:30 PM - 3:45 PM	Advances in the Surgical Management of Pancreatic Cancers	Dr. Nestor Esnaola
3:45 PM - 4:00 PM	Treatment updates and Future direction in Management of Pancreatic Cancers	Dr. Maen Abdelrahim
4:00 PM - 4:15 PM	Advances in the surgical management for liver Cancer	Dr. Doaa Salam Dr. Ahmed Elaffandi
4:15 PM - 4:30 PM	Liver Directed Therapy for Primary and Metastatic Hepatic Tumors	Dr. Yawen Dong
4:30 PM - 4:50 PM	Discussion	
4:50 PM - 5:20 PM	Coffee Break & Prayer	

Moderators: Dr. Kakil Rasul, Dr. Alaaeldin shablak, Ms. Reni Anil

5:20 PM - 5:35 PM	Advances in Imaging Modalities for Colorectal Cancers: A Comprehensive Overview	Dr. Adham Darweesh
5:35 PM - 5:50 PM	Harnessing the Power of CT-PET: Advancements in GI Cancer Diagnosis and Monitoring	Dr. Lajos Szabados
5:50 PM - 6:05 PM	Role of Advanced Gastrointestinal Endoscopy in GI Cancers	Dr. Yahaya Bensuleiman
6:05 PM - 6:25 PM	Discussion	
6:25 PM - 6:40 PM	Localized cholangiocellular carcinoma: how to approach curatively intended surgery	Dr. Yawen Dong
6:40 PM - 6:55 PM	Clinical pearls in the management of immunotherapy side effects in GI malignancy	Dr. Shereen ElAzzazy
6:55 PM - 7:10 PM	Advances in Radiotherapy of GI cancers	Dr Saju Divakar
7:10 PM - 7:25 PM	Dynamic biomarkers for prediction of radio-immunotherapy response in metastatic gastric cancer patient	Dr. Said Dermime
7:25 PM - 7:40 PM	Patient satisfaction and outcomes after implementing Clinical Nurse Specialist in the clinical practice of GI Cancers	Ms. Suha Abdo Ms. Alhan Jama
7:40 PM - 8:05 PM	Discussion	
8:05 PM - 8:10 PM	Closing Remarks	Dr. Hadi Abu Rasheed

Acknowledgements & Dinner

AUDIENCE PROFILE

This activity is directed towards Physicians, Pharmacists, Allied Health Practitioners, and Nurses.

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