



Program Description:

The Massachusetts Gastroenterology Association (MGA) Education Program Committee's mission is to provide practical, evidence-based lectures and seminars to practicing New England gastroenterologists, GI fellows and Advanced Practice Providers. This course will provide education on the management of GERD and refractory reflux.

Program Objectives:

As a result of participating in this program, learners should be able to:

- Apply the recent GERD ACG guidelines to a patient with reflux symptoms.
- Evaluate and manage a patient with refractory GERD.
- Appraise the utility of endoscopic reflux therapy to GERD patients.
- Review the current indicated use and anticipated use of Potassium-competitive acid blockers (P-CABs) in management of GERD.
- Interpret pH wireless capsule and pH impedance testing.

Massachusetts Gastroenterology Association (MGA) in joint providership with the Massachusetts Medical Society presents:

MGA FALL MEETING
GERD Management
Thursday, October 12, 2023
6:00 p.m. – 8:10 p.m.
Virtual Online Meeting

- 6:00 p.m. **Welcome**
Uri Avissar, MD
Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA
- 6:10 p.m. **Management of the patient with GERD: What's Here and What's Coming**
Philip O. Katz, MD
Weill Cornell Medicine, New York City, NY
- 7:10 p.m. **Break & Virtual Exhibit Hall-**
(Not eligible for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*)
- 7:40 p.m. **pH Wireless Capsule and pH/ Impedance Interpretation**
Thomas Carlton C. Moore, MD
Boston Medical Center, Boston, MA.
- 8:10 p.m. **Adjournment**

Accreditation Statement

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Massachusetts Medical Society and the Massachusetts Gastroenterology Association. The Massachusetts Medical Society is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

AMA Credit Designation Statement

The Massachusetts Medical Society designates this live activity for a maximum of 1.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Registration Fees:

MGA Paid Members: \$40
Office Staff of Members: \$40
Students/Residents/Fellows: FREE
Non-Members: \$50

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