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SECTION OF GASTROENTEROLOGY, HEPATOLOGY & NUTRITION

4TH ANNUAL **WOMEN IN DIGESTIVE DISEASES: AT THE FOREFRONT**

A HYBRID CONFERENCE – IN PERSON AND STREAMING

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Virtually or
In Person (limited attendance)
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CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION

Women face unique challenges in the field of digestive diseases, both as patients and as practitioners. While formal medical training and most published literature do not typically address gender differences, the 4th Annual Women in Digestive Diseases: At the Forefront will address these challenges in an exciting and interactive forum. Topics include the symptoms, diagnosis, and treatment of gastrointestinal and liver diseases that afflict women more commonly and/or differently than men. In addition, the conference will also present strategic solutions to barriers women gastroenterologists and other women providers in gastroenterology face in their career development.

The educational information presented in this activity will add to participants' knowledge about gastrointestinal diseases that afflict women more commonly than men and provide guidance on how to recognize and manage them in women; as such, it will improve participants' competence and performance as they apply the knowledge in their own practices. Consequently, this activity will result in better patient outcomes. The career development topics will help women gastroenterologists and other women providers navigate career challenges, whether in private practice or academia, so they can progress more productively in their chosen career paths.

Moreover, this year's conference features faculty from other specialties such as pathology, radiology, endocrinology,

and psychology lending their expertise on topics relevant to digestive diseases. This addition will add a multidisciplinary dimension to the activity, heightening its educational value.

For the fourth year of this conference, this activity will also offer a virtual streaming option, allowing participants to join the event even if they are not able to attend in person. The goal of this feature is to reduce barriers for clinicians to receive this important education so more practitioners can have an even greater impact on patient care. This option will provide greater access for clinicians who may not have adequate time or resources to participate in person.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This activity is designed for physicians, nurses, and other healthcare professionals interested in the treatment of women with gastrointestinal illnesses and the career development of women providers in the field of gastroenterology.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- *Discuss the appropriate use of emerging therapies in the management of celiac disease, a disease more common in women;*
- *Describe the role of specific GI radiology studies that can aid in the diagnosis and management of gastroenterological diseases in women;*
- *Explain the interpretation of anorectal manometry and how to use these results in the management of patients with dyssynergic defecation;*
- *Determine strategies that help women healthcare providers overcome barriers in the advancement of their careers and promote success in their chosen paths.*

ACCREDITATION AND CREDIT DESIGNATION

PHYSICIAN CREDIT

The University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine has been long recognized for its exemplary performance in physician education. During the November 2017 re-accreditation review by the ACCME, the University of Chicago was awarded Accreditation with Commendation status through November 2023.

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The University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 5.25 *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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Other healthcare professionals will receive a Certificate of Participation.

EDUCATIONAL GRANTS/COMMERCIAL SUPPORT

A complete listing of commercial support received will be provided in the conference materials.

CONFERENCE FACULTY

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CONFERENCE AGENDA

SATURDAY, MARCH 26, 2022

7:30 a.m. **REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST**

8:00 **Welcome Remarks** Course Directors

SESSION 1

8:10 **The Role of GI Psychology in Digestive Disease Health**
Alyse Bedell, PhD

8:30 **Anorectal Manometry: Use and Interpretation**
Kinga Skowron Olortegui, MD

8:50 **Helpful Pearls in GI Radiology** Carla Harmath, MD

9:20 **Celiac Disease: Therapies on the Horizon** Sonia Kupfer, MD

9:40 **Panel Discussion** Session 1 Faculty

9:50 **BREAK**

SESSION 2

10:00 **Management of IBS** Lin Chang, MD

10:20 **Novel Therapeutics in the Treatment of Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease** Mary E. Rinella, MD

10:40 **Inflammatory Bowel Disease: Updates and New Therapies**
Sushila Dalal, MD

11:00 **Transgender Health for the GI Physician** Isabel Caimiro, MD, PhD

11:20 **A Review of GI Pathology** Namrata Setia, MD

11:40 **Panel Discussion** Session 2 Faculty

12:00 p.m. **LUNCH BREAK**

SESSION 3

12:30 p.m. **KEYNOTE: Career Paths for Women in GI** Lin Chang, MD

1:20 **Promoting Equity in Women Post-Pandemic** Vineet Arora, MD, MAPP

1:40 **Panel Discussion** Session 3 Faculty

1:55 **Closing Remarks** Course Directors

2:00 p.m. **ADJOURN**

REGISTRATION DESCRIPTION

How To Register

 **ONLINE** <https://cme.uchicago.edu/WomeninDD2022>
(credit card payment only)

To pay by check, you must mail this registration form with payment to:

 **MAIL** The University of Chicago
Women in Digestive Diseases: At the Forefront
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Chicago, IL 60637

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about before in
younger population.
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presentation!”

“Great topic that
doesn’t get addressed
enough in practice.”

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