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The Rome Foundation Symposium On Disorders of Gut-Brain Interaction

for All Clinicians Treating DGBIs
such as IBS, Functional Constipation,
Functional Heartburn and more.

A Rome Foundation Continuing Medical Education program

Chicago, IL
Oct. 5-6, 2019

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OPTIMIZE YOUR SKILLS IN DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENTS OF DGBIs

Disorders of Gut-Brain Interactions (DGBIs), including irritable bowel syndrome, chronic GI pain and chronic constipation, are the most commonly diagnosed gastrointestinal illnesses in GI. The Rome Foundation interactive symposium will cover the diagnosis and treatment of the most common DGBIs, featuring interactive talks by the world's leading Functional GI experts. Emphasis will be placed on the most prevalent DGBI seen by clinicians, with topics chosen specifically to benefit physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, dietitians and mental health professionals.

ABOUT THE SYMPOSIUM:

- Learn how to diagnose and treat gut-brain interactions from the leading experts in the field.
- **Earn up to 12 CE/CME credits**** in one of three beautiful locations.
- Registration fee is \$175 per attendee. Includes breakfast and lunch both days.
- All attendees will receive **one month free of GI Genius Interactive Clinical Decision Toolkit**. This program will aid practitioners to successfully access Rome expertise, diagnose and treat patients with DGBI, increase their

- knowledge, and contribute to outcomes-based learning.
- Sessions will include interactive talks from the world's leading experts, and the latest in psycho-gastro techniques to manage GI pain.
- Hands-on workshops to learn communication skills with skilled preceptors.
- The latest psychogastro techniques to manage pain and emotional distress.
- Breakout sessions on patient/provider communication and workshops to improve communication skills.

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Formerly known as Functional GI Disorders (FGIDs)

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TOPICS COVERED INCLUDE:

- The burden of DGBIs on patients and their relation to other functional somatic syndromes
- Diagnostic and management strategies for primary care and gastroenterology practices
- Patient-centered approaches to care
- Biopsychosocial perspectives on DGBIs' diagnosis, communication, and clinical care
- A comprehensive list of the Rome IV DGBIs and their diagnostic criteria

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PROGRAM AGENDA

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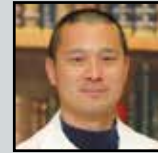
DAY ONE

7:30am-8:00	Program Registration and Breakfast
8:00-8:10	Welcome
8:10-8:40	Rome Foundation, DGBIs and Rome IV: History, Impact, Resources and the Future
8:40-10:30	Irritable Bowel Syndrome
8:40-9:00	Evidence-based Diagnostic Approach
9:00-9:20	Pathophysiology
9:20-9:40	Diet and Lifestyle Changes
9:40-10:00	Treatment Approaches
10:00-10:30	Panel Discussion/ Q & A
10:30-10:45	Break
10:50-12:30	Chronic Constipation
11:00-11:20	Subtypes and Pathophysiology
11:20-11:40	Evidence-based diagnostic approach
11:40-12:00	Treatment Approaches
12:00-12:30	Panel Discussion/ Q & A
12:30-1:30	Lunch
1:30-3:00	Upper GI Functional Disorders (Refractory Heartburn and Functional Dyspepsia)
1:30-2:00	Esophageal Disorders & Treatments
2:00-2:30	Gastroduodenal Disorders & Treatments
3:00-4:20	Centrally Targeted Treatments
3:00-3:40	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT): What is it, who benefits, and how well does it work?
3:40-4:10	Central Neuromodulators
4:10-4:20	Q & A, Demonstration & Group Participation
4:15-4:30	Break
4:30-5:10	Introduction to Clinical Skills Workshops: Key Elements of Good Patient/Provider Communications
5:10-5:45	Diagnostic Algorithm and MDCP concept, Case examples & GI Genius Interactive Clinical Decision Toolkit
8:00am-12:00	Skill Development Sessions (2 hours each)
8:00-10:00	Clinical Decision Making Using a Case-based Interactive Approach (MDCP & GI Genius Interactive Toolkit)
10:00-12:00	Communication Skills to Enhance Provider-Patient Relationship
12:00-12:15	Summary and wrap up
12:15-12:30	Departure and boxed lunches

DAY TWO

SYMPOSIUM SPEAKERS

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William Chey, MD
University of Michigan Health System



Lin Chang, MD
David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA



Douglas Drossman, MD
UNC School of Medicine and Drossman Gastroenterology, Chapel Hill, NC



Joel Heidelbaugh, MD
University of Michigan Medical School



Laurie Keefer, PhD
Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, New York, NY



Sarah Kinsinger, PhD
Loyola University Medical Center, Chicago, IL



Brian E. Lacy, MD
Mayo Clinic Jacksonville, FL



Anthony Lembo, MD
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA



Alben Halpert, MD
Harvard Medicine Boston, MA



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Earn up to 12 CE/CME credits** by attending one of our comprehensive symposiums.

LEARN

Learn to diagnose and treat Gut-Brain Interactions using a patient-centered approach.

MEET

Meet world-leading experts & join interactive sessions outlining the latest psycho-gastro techniques to manage GI pain & symptoms.

WHAT OUR ATTENDEES ARE SAYING:

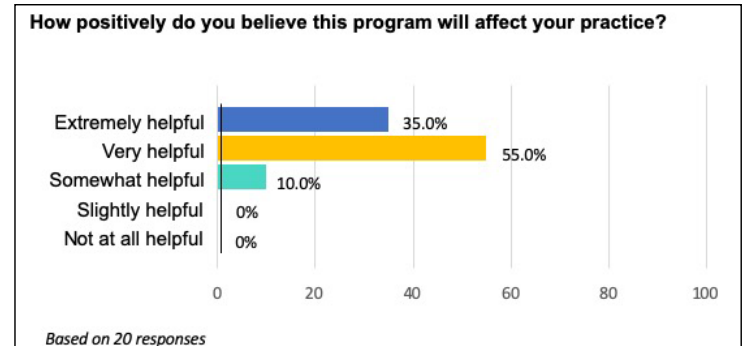
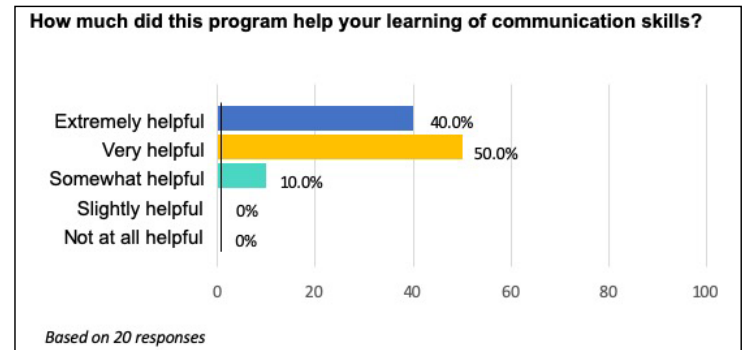
“The high quality content and the opportunity to interact with an esteemed panel of GI experts, as well as other attendees has been a wonderful opportunity for me. This is the second one I attended and I got just as much out of it this weekend as I did the first time!” - Pediatric MD practicing in N.C.

“I was impressed with the variety of the panel, giving you all aspects of approaching Functional Disorders. Having the Psychologist as well as the Primary Care and Gastroenterology perspectives is extremely helpful.” - GI NP practicing in S.C.

Overall evaluations of the presentations in the 4 courses. % of attendees who rated each aspect of the presentations as Excellent*, averaged across all the speakers in each course.

	Santa Fe October 2018 N=17	New York January 2019 N=15	San Antonio February 2019 N=16	Myrtle Beach June 2019 N=11
Knowledge gained	90.7%	97.3%	90.6%	86.9%
Presentation effectiveness	91.4%	96.9%	92.9%	96.6%
The material presented was clear and understandable	95.4%	92.9%	91.4%	95.4%
The information will be useful to me in my line of work	92.5%	93.9%	95.3%	91.5%
The presenter seemed knowledgeable	98.7%	99.5%	97.8%	94.7%
The handouts provided (when available) were useful	93.0%	93.0%	92.2%	94.0%
The speaker met the objectives as stated	96.2%	98.6%	96.2%	90.2%

*Ratings based on: Excellent, Very good, Good, Fair, Poor



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