



**Focused Workshop in Endoscopy -
Ablation/Endoscopic Mucosal Resection Techniques:
An In-Depth Review with Live Observations and Hands-On Practice
Tuesday, February 28, 2017**

Dear Colleague,

The Jefferson Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology is pleased to invite you to attend an educational program, *Focused Workshop in Endoscopy - Ablation/Endoscopic Mucosal Resection Techniques: An In-Depth Review with Live Observations and Hands-On Practice*, to be held on the campus of Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia. The program will begin at 7:25AM and will conclude at 3:30PM.

The workshop is part of an on-going series directed by the Therapeutic Endoscopy Section of Jefferson's Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology. This activity is planned for licensed healthcare professionals who perform or wish to perform Barrett ablation/EMR in their practices. Teams of physicians, nurses, and/or technicians are encouraged to apply to strengthen team learning and communication.

This full-day "boutique" CME accredited workshop will focus on *Radiofrequency Ablation (RFA) for Barrett's Esophagus* and *Cryoablation* along with *Volumetric Laser Endomicroscopy (VLE)* and *Endoscopic Mucosal Resection (EMR)* in an intimate small group learning experience. The workshop uniquely combines didactic material and live-case demonstrations along with a hands-on pig explant lab to provide interested gastroenterologists with a comprehensive learning experience. Focused topics include: patient selection, RFA using the 360/90/60 and ultra-ablation devices, Cryotherapy, EMR and post ablation follow-up, including the use of advanced Brush Cytology and VLE.

Participants will have the opportunity to enter the procedure room to directly observe live cases and to interact in-person with Jefferson's therapeutic endoscopy team. In this fashion, nuances of performing ablation and EMR, often lost in large scale live endoscopy courses, can be optimally conveyed and appreciated. The informal setting promotes an atmosphere conducive to questions and discussions on all aspects of Barrett ablation and EMR. During the hands-on lab, participants will have the opportunity to participate in guided practice advanced endoscopy techniques under the direct instruction of Jefferson's expert faculty.

Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University designates this live activity for a maximum of **7.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™**. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The registration fee is \$225 per participant. A "Team Rate" is available for a Physician and Nurse/Allied Health Professional from the same institution. Please contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education for details. Please note that the registration fee includes parking on the Thomas Jefferson University campus (specific location will be included in registration confirmation email). Given the unique, interactive and observational nature of this course, **registration is limited to 10 physicians or healthcare providers specializing in gastroenterology.**

Registrants will also be required to complete a HIPAA-related confidentiality statement in order to participate in the course. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Continuing Medical Education at 1-888-JEFF-CME. We hope you will join your colleagues for this informative Sidney Kimmel Medical College Continuing Medical Education event!

*For additional information and to register online, please visit the course website at
<https://cme.jefferson.edu/content/RFA-EMR-Techniques2017>*



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Course Objectives

At the conclusion of this conference, participants should be able to:

- Identify patients for whom RFA/Cryotherapy are appropriate.
- Discuss the risks and benefits of these techniques.
- Identify technological advances in RFA/Cryotherapy and analyze how and when new technologies should be incorporated into practice.
- Demonstrate the proper and safe use of the equipment associated with EMR/RFA/Cryotherapy.
- Review current authoritative clinical recommendations for the appropriate use of EMR/RFA/Cryotherapy.
- Review potential complications and their management.
- Examine post-ablation follow-up guidelines.
- Recognize and apply advanced Brush Cytology and VLE technique.
- Assess their individual practice in light of the information and discussions during the workshop, and identify specific strategies to implement as part of a continuing improvement process for their practices.

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Faculty Disclosure

All faculty at continuing education activities for nurses, physicians, and allied health professionals are required to disclose to the audience:

1. Any significant financial relationships with the manufacturer(s) of any commercial products, goods or services.
2. Any unlabeled/unapproved uses of drugs or devices discussed in their presentations.

Such disclosures will be made in writing in the course presentation materials. *Jefferson Conflict of Interest resolution process may result in changes to the program agenda.*

With confirmed registration, you will receive specific information relating to the course location.

Program Agenda (Subject to Change)

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| 7:00AM - 7:25AM | <i>Registration & Breakfast</i> | |
| 7:25AM - 7:30AM | Opening Remarks | Anthony Infantolino, MD, AGAF, FACP, FACP |
| 7:30AM - 8:10AM | Radiofrequency and Cryoablation: Basic Requirements, Patient Selection and Post Ablation Follow-Up | Anthony Infantolino, MD, AGAF, FACP, FACP |
| 8:10AM - 8:30AM | EUS: Clinical Utility in Barrett's Patients | Robert M. Coben, MD, FACP |
| 8:30AM - 9:00AM | EMR/Clips: Who, When, and How | Ali Siddiqui, MD |
| 9:00AM - 9:15AM | <i>Questions & Answers</i> | |
| 9:15AM - 9:30AM | <i>Break</i> | |



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| 9:30AM - 12:00PM | <i>Live Cases in Endoscopy (Viewed in Procedure Rooms)</i> |
| 12:00PM - 12:45PM | <i>Lunch</i> |
| 12:45PM - 3:00PM | <i>Hands-On Lab - RFA 360/90/60/Ultra/Cryoballoon/EndoCDx® Brush/EMR and Clips</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anthony Infantolino, MD, AGAF, FACG, FACP• Robert M. Coben, MD, FACP• David M. Kastenberg, MD, FACP, AGAF• Ali Siddiqui, MD |
| 3:00PM - 3:30PM | <i>Questions & Answers</i> |
| 3:30PM | <i>Course Adjourns</i> |

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215-955-6992 if you have any questions.