

## **1st IBDHorizons Gulf Coast Symposium**

### **Course Information**

1 day - multiplatform meeting for in-person & virtual participation covering Louisiana and the surrounding region with an estimated 200 attendees. An exclusively virtual conference platform will be offered if an in-person meeting cannot be safely conducted.

### **Intended Audience**

This activity was developed for healthcare providers caring for IBD patients, including gastroenterologists, surgeons, gastroenterology nurses, advanced nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and pharmacists.

### **Learning Objectives**

At the conclusion of this learning activity, participants will do the following:

1. Recognize the particular challenges related to fertility, pregnancy, prenatal and postnatal care in IBD and review the latest recommendations.
2. Describe the comparative efficacy of the currently available therapies and the rationale for optimal positioning of these agents in IBD today.
3. Recognize the various medical and surgical challenges for patients who receive an ileoanal pouch and the latest management recommendations.
4. Assess the latest evidence regarding the role of therapeutic drug monitoring, proactive and reactive, to optimize response to biologic therapy in patients with IBD.
5. Describe the clinical presentation of Crohn's disease patients with strictures and discuss the best management for strictures including surgical intervention, endoscopic management and medical treatments.
6. Recognize the postoperative clinical course for IBD patients who undergo surgery and review the medical and surgical challenges and their optimal management.
7. Apply up-to-date practice in managing dysplasia in IBD from detection to endoscopic and surgical intervention.
8. Discuss the newly approved and soon to be approved biologic and non-biologic therapies for IBD, including the risks, efficacy, and special considerations when utilizing these therapies.

### **Accreditation and Certification**



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#### **Pharmacists**

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