



CME FOUNDATION OF INDIA



GI SUMMIT

EVENT REPORT

G. I. SUMMIT

"G. I. Summit" was held in 13th & 14th July, 2024 at Della Resort, Lonavala. It was organized by the CME Foundation of India (CMEFI).

The sole objective of the was to bring leading KOLs amongst General Physician and Gastroenterologists on one platform and discuss their clinical experiences and expertise in the screening, treatment of Gastrointestinal conditions.

The Introductory speech was given by CMEFI.

CMEFI emphasized the main role played by the CME Foundation of India and we all know how important it is to spread the knowledge known only to a select few to the practising doctors at large.

Date: 13th & 14th July, 2024

Venue: Della Resort, Lonavala

Total Participants: 39

AGENDA

Date : 13th July, 2024

Time: 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Topic	Speaker	Timing
Lecture: Management of Acute Pancreatitis Q & A	Speaker: Dr. Roysuneel V. Patankar	5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Real-world challenges in the management of Acute Pancreatitis in Indians.	Moderator: Dr. Roysuneel V. Patankar	6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Panel Discussion: Management of Acute Pancreatitis	Speaker: Dr. Nilesh H. Doctor and Dr. Deepakkumar Gupta	7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

SUMMARY OF CONCLAVE

- The CME conducted G. I. Summit in Della Resort, Lonavala. It was aimed to bring together well-known General Physician and Gastroenterologists on one platform and discuss their clinical experiences and expertise in the screening and treatment of Gastrointestinal conditions.
- **CMEFI** welcomed the forum and shared a few thoughts on the topics that were on the agenda.
- **Management of Acute Pancreatitis- Dr. Roysuneel V. Patankar**

Dr. Roysuneel V. Patankar has provided a comprehensive overview of the management of acute pancreatitis. He explained the importance of early diagnosis through clinical assessment and imaging techniques, such as abdominal CT scans and MRIs, to confirm the diagnosis and assess the severity. Dr. Patankar emphasized the need for immediate supportive care, including fluid resuscitation, pain management, and nutritional support to stabilize the patient.

He discussed the role of antibiotics in treating infected pancreatic necrosis and the criteria for surgical intervention, highlighting the benefits of minimally invasive techniques when necessary. Dr. Patankar also addressed the importance of identifying and managing underlying causes, such as gallstones or alcohol use, to prevent recurrence. He emphasized the need for a multidisciplinary approach involving gastroenterologists, surgeons, and critical care specialists to optimize patient outcomes.

Furthermore, Dr. Patankar highlighted the advancements in therapeutic endoscopy and interventional radiology that have improved the management of complications associated with acute pancreatitis. He concluded by stressing the importance of patient education on lifestyle modifications and follow-up care to ensure long-term recovery and prevent future episodes.

- **Real-world challenges in the management of Acute Pancreatitis in Indians – Dr. Roysuneel V. Patankar**

Dr. Roysuneel V. Patankar has provided an in-depth explanation of the real-world challenges in managing acute pancreatitis among Indian patients. He highlighted the delayed diagnosis often seen in rural areas due to limited access to advanced imaging and diagnostic facilities. Dr. Patankar discussed the high incidence of gallstone-related acute pancreatitis in India, emphasizing the need for improved surgical and endoscopic interventions. He also addressed the challenge of managing patients with severe pancreatitis who require intensive care, noting the scarcity of specialized critical care units equipped to handle such cases. Dr. Patankar highlighted the issues of affordability and accessibility, with many patients unable to afford the necessary treatments and follow-up care due to financial constraints.

Additionally, Dr. Patankar emphasized the importance of public health education to increase awareness about the early symptoms of acute pancreatitis and the significance of timely medical intervention. He discussed the impact of traditional dietary habits and alcohol consumption on the prevalence of pancreatitis, advocating for lifestyle modifications and preventive measures.

Finally, Dr. Patankar underscored the need for a multidisciplinary approach, involving gastroenterologists, surgeons, and critical care specialists, to address the complexities of acute pancreatitis management in the Indian context. He called for more research and better healthcare policies to improve patient outcomes and reduce the burden of this condition.

- **Panel Discussion: Management of Acute Pancreatitis - Dr. Nilesh H. Doctor and Dr. Deepakkumar Gupta**

During the panel discussion on the management of acute pancreatitis, Dr. Nilesh H. Doctor and Dr. Deepakkumar Gupta provided comprehensive insights into the topic. Dr. Doctor explained the critical importance of early diagnosis, utilizing clinical assessments, laboratory tests, and imaging techniques like CT scans and MRIs to confirm the condition and evaluate its severity. He emphasized prompt supportive care, including fluid resuscitation, pain management, and nutritional support, as essential components of initial treatment to stabilize patients.

Dr. Gupta elaborated on the use of antibiotics in cases of infected pancreatic necrosis and the criteria for surgical intervention. He highlighted the advantages of minimally invasive surgical techniques and the role of therapeutic endoscopy in managing complications. Dr. Gupta also discussed the necessity of identifying and addressing underlying causes, such as gallstones or chronic alcohol use, to prevent recurrence.

Both speakers emphasized the importance of a multidisciplinary approach, involving gastroenterologists, surgeons, radiologists, and critical care specialists, to optimize patient outcomes. Dr. Doctor highlighted the advancements in interventional radiology and endoscopy that have significantly improved the management of acute pancreatitis complications.

Furthermore, Dr. Gupta stressed the role of patient education in recognizing early symptoms and making lifestyle modifications to reduce risk factors. The panel concluded with a discussion on the importance of ongoing research and the development of comprehensive healthcare policies to enhance the management of acute pancreatitis and improve patient outcomes.

- Different cases were explained to the audience, and the entire case discussion focused on the complications and management of Gastrointestinal conditions. The audience actively participated, engaging in a dynamic and interactive session. The delegates thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to contribute to the discussion and share their insights on various aspects of Gastrointestinal complications and their management.
- Participants were keen to share their experience and knowledge and they also provided their critiques and recommendations on the conclave.
- **In the end of this CME, the CME Foundation of India extended, its sincere vote of thanks to the attending delegates and acknowledged the academic industry partners for their valuable support and contribution to the success of this conclave.**

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Panel Discussion on Management of Acute Pancreatitis



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