



# INSTITUTE IN FOCUS

An Impact Report for Members

2026-2027

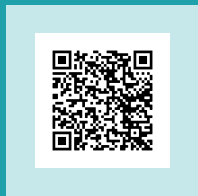
# ACG INSTITUTE FOR CLINICAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION



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## Message from the Institute Director

Welcome to the Institute in Focus, where you will find the details of the Institute's continued support of Clinical Research, Educational Resources, and Leadership Training opportunities through the robust competitive clinical research programs, provider monographs, disease-state specific schools, the Edgar Achkar Visiting Professorships, and the Institute's Leadership, Ethics & Equity Center. Learn more about the ACG Institute for Clinical Research and Education in this booklet or online: [gi.org/acg-institute/about](http://gi.org/acg-institute/about)



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## ACG Institute Mission Statement

The mission of the American College of Gastroenterology Institute for Clinical Research and Education is to promote digestive health through education of the clinician, the patient, and the public, to support clinical research and innovation in gastroenterology and hepatology, and to raise public awareness about prevention of digestive disease.

## ACG Institute Vision Statement

Promoting education, supporting clinical science, and raising public awareness for the prevention and treatment of digestive disease.

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## Edgar Achkar Visiting Professorship

2026 Visits start: January 1, 2026

2027 Applications: July 20, 2026 - August 19, 2026

2027 Visits start: January 1, 2027



## Clinical Research Awards

2027 Applications: August 31 - December 7, 2026

Awards start: July 1, 2027



## ACG INSTITUTE LEADERSHIP YOU

*Apply for the program that matches your experience!*

2027 Applications: September 14 - November 13, 2026

Courses: June 4-6, 2027

- **Emerging Leadership Program**

U.S.-based ACG member physicians in their 3rd and 4th years of fellowship training. ***Application Deadline for Emerging Leadership Program is November 23.***

- **Early Career Leadership Program**

U.S.-based ACG member physicians 1-5 years post-fellowship completion. Must have completed one full year of practice after terminal GI or hepatology fellowship.

- **Advanced Leadership Program**

U.S.-based ACG member physicians 10-20 years post-fellowship completion.

- **Clinical Research Leadership Program**

U.S.-based ACG member physicians 2-15 years post-fellowship completion. Recipients of grant funding from any institution or society (non-trainee, non-fellow) in the last 10 years.

NOTE: Most programs include ACG membership requirements  
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# ACG CLINICAL RESEARCH AWARDS

A Focus on Clinical Research and Innovation

2027 Clinical Research Awards Deadline: **December 7, 2026**

**\$3 MILLION**  
IN RESEARCH AWARDS FOR 2026

ESTABLISHED INVESTIGATOR  
BRIDGE AWARD

**\$300,000**

LEONIDAS BERRY HEALTH EQUITY  
RESEARCH AWARD

**\$75,000**

(\$50K YEAR-ONE, \$25K YEAR-TWO  
BASED ON PROGRESS)

ACG/ASGE EPIDEMIOLOGIC  
RESEARCH AWARD IN  
GASTROINTESTINAL ENDOSCOPY

**\$50,000**

CLINICAL RESEARCH AWARD

**\$100,000**

PILOT AWARD

**\$30,000**

MEDICAL RESIDENT CLINICAL RESEARCH AWARD

**\$10,000**

(PLUS TRAVEL TO ANNUAL MEETING)

MEDICAL STUDENT RESEARCH AWARD

**\$5,000**

(PLUS TRAVEL TO ANNUAL MEETING)

JUNIOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT AWARDS

**\$450,000**

(PER PARTICIPANT)

**\$150,000**

(ANNUALLY)

1994-2026 ACG INSTITUTE

FUNDED

**788**

INVESTIGATORS

TOTALING MORE THAN

**\$37.2 MILLION**

TO INVESTIGATORS

EXPANDED FROM

**1 to 8**

RESEARCH AWARDS

# ACG 2026 Junior Faculty Development Awardees

The ACG Institute is proud of its investment since 1997 of more than \$21.9 million in career development which recognizes and supports promising clinical researchers.



**Katie A. Dunleavy, MD**

Massachusetts General Hospital

*Lifestyle Determinants and Dietary Modulation of the Bile Acid-Microbiome Axis to Reduce Pouch Inflammation in Patients With Inflammatory Bowel Disease*



**Justin T. Field, MD**

University of California, San Francisco

*Prevalence and Determinants of Anal HSIL in Patients With Perianal Crohn's Disease*



**Corey J. Ketchem, MD, MSCE**

Northwestern University

*Defining Optimal Therapeutic and Dilation Strategies in Eosinophilic Esophagitis Using AI and Real-World Data*



**Sheila Rustgi, MD**

Columbia University Irving Medical Center

*Novel Approaches to Early Detection of Gastrointestinal Cancer for BRCA Carriers*



**Yee Hui Yeo, MD, MSc**

The Cleveland Clinic Foundation

*SOBER-VR: An AI-Powered Virtual Reality Brief Intervention for Hospitalized Patients With Alcohol-Associated Liver Disease*

The ACG Institute is proud to announce that the Health Equity Research Award is now renamed in honor of the life and legacy of Leonidas H. Berry, MD, MACG. The College and the ACG Institute recognize his contributions to gastroenterology, and tireless efforts to end discrimination in medicine and medical schools.



Learn more about the innovative clinical research supported by the Institute or apply at [gi.org/research-awards](https://gi.org/research-awards)



# THE ACG INSTITUTE CENTER FOR LEADERSHIP, ETHICS & EQUITY (THE LE&E CENTER)

## Meeting the Moment and Transforming the Future

The LE&E Center addresses the contemporary need for leadership training, equitable delivery of care, and ethically-based decision-making with a suite of training programs and activities to provide transformational tools and experiences for GI clinicians. The programs under the LE&E Center include:

- Leonidas Berry Health Equity Research Award
- Edgar Achkar Visiting Professorships *with content related to ethical decision making, disparate health outcomes, and equitable care.*
- Scholarships for High School Students Through the Prescriptions for Success: Careers in Medicine High School Visit

### ACG Institute Leadership YOU:

- Emerging Leadership Program (3rd and 4th years of GI fellowship training)
- Early Career Leadership Program (1-5 years post-fellowship completion)
- Advanced Leadership Program (10-20 years post-fellowship completion)
- Clinical Research Leadership Program (clinical investigators with recent funding, 2-15 years post-fellowship completion)

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### The LE&E Center Vision Council

The Vision Council serves to involve and seek insight from industry partners who support the core values and mission of the LE&E Center. Council members provide input and serve as a resource in identifying areas of urgent need and in developing collaborative opportunities to improve health equity, diversity, and inclusion. The Institute recognizes with gratitude the following Vision Council members:

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the ACG Institute LE&E Leadership Programs





# ACG Institute Leadership **YOU**

Leadership Training for Every Level

Course: **June 5-7, 2026, in Washington, DC**

Deadline for 2027 Applications: **November 13, 2026**

Leadership YOU provides the opportunity for all four leadership program cohorts to network and engage in combined learning sessions and speed networking, in addition to cohort-specific professional development during one weekend. Each of the four programs under Leadership YOU is tailored to a distinct career stage.

[gi.org/leadership-you](https://gi.org/leadership-you)

# ACG Institute Leadership YOU

Convening a community of established and emerging leaders to cultivate core competencies that drive effectiveness and impact.



The ACG CRLP is transformative for clinician scientists. It provides access to successful researchers in diverse career stages, providing practical solutions to the most challenging aspects of clinical research. This includes topics such as non-traditional funding strategies, managing a highly effective research team, and building strong collaborative networks. It was the most high yield in-person research conference I have attended in my early research career.

**Cristal L. Brown, MD, MHS (CRLP '25)**



My time in this program was one of the most memorable, inspiring, and enjoyable moments of my career. It was incredibly uplifting to be surrounded by and learn from so many brilliant leaders in our GI society! Highly recommended to my colleagues.

**Na Li, MD, PhD (ALP '25)**



Thank you @AmCollegeGastro, course directors, and all the amazing faculty! Truly inspiring experience and a great opportunity to build valuable leadership skills.

**Kalpit H. Devani (ECLP '25)**

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Leadership YOU





# EMERGING LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Leadership Skills for the Future of GI

Deadline for 2027 Applications: **November 23, 2026**

The LE&E Center Emerging Leadership Programs provides leadership training for fellows-in-training who are U.S.-based ACG member physicians (in their 3rd or 4th year of GI fellowship training) to develop, build, and maintain success as future leaders.

**2026 Course Directors:**

Josh Steinberg, MD, and Xiao Jing (Iris) Wang, MD



As someone who will be taking over as chief of gastroenterology department and endoscopy suite shortly after graduating, which is undermanned and struggling, I was intimidated to be stepping into a large leadership role so quickly while still solidifying my skills as a junior gastroenterologist. However, the presentations at this event were foundational, critical, relevant, and transformative. I now feel confident ready to lean in with strategies and networking connections to make a real difference in the department.

**Chelsea Forbes, MD (ELP '25)**

#### Course Topics:

- **Leading With Change**
- **Implicit Bias Introduction**
- **Effective Team Building in the Era of Diversity**
- **Finding Your Focus - Skills and Tips to Make the Most Out of Your Day**
- **Communication as a Physician and Gastroenterologist**
- **Negotiation for the Early Career Gastroenterologist**



The weekend was a great reminder that leadership is not about titles and awards but at the core, a focus on relationship-building and being a resource for the people around you. I appreciated that many of the lectures and exercises were structured around this central message.

**Jessica Lin, MD (ELP '25)**





# EARLY CAREER LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Elevating Great Doctors into Great Leaders

Deadline for 2027 Applications: **November 13, 2026**

The LE&E Center Early Career Leadership Program (ECLP) develops future leaders in clinical gastroenterology by providing leadership and policy training to early career physicians. These physicians have completed one full year of practice after their terminal GI or hepatology fellowship and are in their first five years of clinical practice.

**2026 Course Directors:**

**Andy Tau, MD, and Judy A. Trieu, MD, MPH**



I very much appreciated this opportunity and loved that there was a wide range of subspecialties and practice models represented. The program was well-designed and executed. There was so much personal reflection and experiences shared that added to the impact of the lectures. I have taken away so much from this experience and am looking forward to applying it.

**Kelly Pizzo, MD (ECLP '25)**

The LE&E Center Early Career Leadership Program features two in-person components:

- Participation in ACG Governor's Washington, DC Fly-in April
- In-person course in June

The program will cover:

- Leadership Styles and Behaviors: Adapting to Your Situation
- Self-Talk, Self-Confidence, and Leadership Trajectory
- Creating an Inclusive Environment: Two Sides of the Same Coin
- Art of Delegation and Promoting Growth
- Building a Collaborative/Positive Work Environment
- Disruption and Innovation: Pioneering Your Path
- It Begins With One: How to be a Successful Mentor
- Build Your Network: How to be an Effective Collaborator
- Self-Promotion and Overcoming the Imposter Syndrome



The most impactful moments from the program were the meaningful interactions with fellow ECLP cohort members and leaders in the ACG field from our jam-packed advocacy day to breakout sessions! You should consider ECLP for your own personal development and forging significant connections with colleagues across the country.

**Yuying Luo, MD (ECLP '25)**





# ADVANCED LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Elevated Leadership Tools for Advanced Leaders

Deadline for 2027 Applications: **November 13, 2026**

The LE&E Center Advanced Leadership Program (ALP) aims to develop a cohesive group of peer leaders who will serve as problem-solving consultants for each other and the College. This program offers mid-career physicians (10-20 years post-fellowship completion) the opportunity to develop comprehensive leadership skills.

**2026 Course Directors:**

Linda Anh B. Nguyen, MD, FACP, and Patrick E. Young, MD, FACP

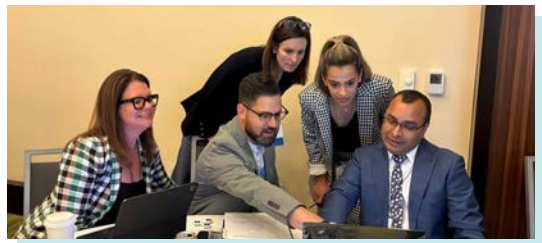


The ACG Advanced Leadership Program is indispensable for anyone looking to truly define their leadership style based on fundamentals while allowing for their individuality to shine through. Meeting both established and emerging leaders who are also in the struggle is both humbling and inspiring. You are guaranteed to emerge a better version of yourself as a leader, physician and human being.

**Neil Sheth, MD (ALP '25)**

#### Course Topics:

- **Creating Culture, Managing Relationships and Mastering Office Politics**
- **How to Run an Effective and Impactful Meeting**
- **Financial Literacy for the Physician Leader**
- **Communication – How to Become Comfortable With the Uncomfortable**
- **Actionable Emotional Intelligence**
- **How to Elevate Colleagues and Trainees Through Mentorship and Sponsorship**
- **Navigating Career Transitions**
- **Recognizing the Importance of Work-Life Integration and the Power of Gratitude**
- **Becoming Comfortable With Vulnerability**
- **Developing Strategic Thinking Skills and Intentionality When Leading**



The ACG Advanced Leadership Program was a game changer—packed with bold insights, real tools, and inspiring GI leaders who fueled my passion to lead. It sharpened my vision, voice, and impact. If you're ready to level up and lead with purpose, don't miss this opportunity.

**Ekta Gupta, MD (ALP '25)**





# CLINICAL RESEARCH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

Elevating Leadership Skills for Clinical Researchers

Deadline for 2027 Applications: **November 13, 2026**

The Clinical Research Leadership Program is a signature program of the ACG Institute's Center for Leadership, Ethics & Equity. Receiving a grant award is a celebratory milestone, inherent with several new responsibilities for the awardee – as a scientific leader, financial administrator, manager, and mentor. This unique interactive program will provide funded clinician investigators with the skill set to start, grow and maintain success as research leaders. Participants will learn research leadership skills to maintain a successful independent research program.

The goal of the program is to provide leadership training for early to mid-career clinical investigators who are ACG member physicians (between 2-15 years out of fellowship training), are working in the U.S., and have active or recent funding as a Principal Investigator or Co-Principal Investigator.

**2026 Course Directors:**

**Millie D. Long, MD, MPH, FACG, and Brennan Spiegel, MD, MSHS, FACG**



The CRLP was transformative—equal parts strategic masterclass and personal awakening. It gave me the clarity to define my research vision, the tools to build it, and the confidence to lead with intention. Hearing the candid journeys of leaders I've long admired—failures, pivots, and triumphs—was as inspiring as it was instructive. I left with a new network, sharper skills, and a deep sense of purpose. For anyone serious about leadership in clinical research, this is not optional—it's essential.

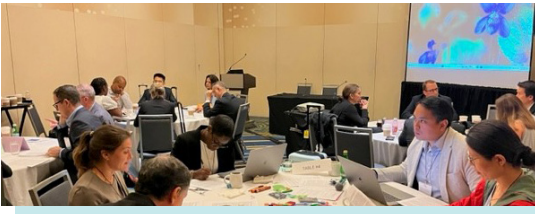
**Amol Sharma, MD, MS, FACC (CRLP '25)**

The LE&E Center Clinical Research Leadership Program features:

- Pre-course assignments
- In-person course (lectures, interactive 1:1, small group sessions, individual assignments)
- Virtual sessions

The program will cover:

- Grant Finance and Administration
- Research Operations and Strategy
- Fostering a Collaborative and Productive Team Environment
- How to Integrate Opportunities for Mentees
- Diversifying Your Funding Portfolio
- Grant Writing
- Advice for the Early-Career, Mid-Career, and Senior Investigators
- Guide to Creating a Research Network



I would strongly encourage my peers to consider CRLP. It is a rare chance to broaden your perspective, gain invaluable advice from leaders in the field, and join a supportive network of colleagues who share your passion for impactful clinical research. One of the most memorable aspects was learning directly from experienced researchers about their career trajectories and how they have successfully built and led research teams. The sessions offered practical insights into collaboration, leadership, and fostering a culture of innovation—ideas that I am excited to bring to my own team moving forward.

**Shirley Cohen-Mekelburg, MD, MS (CRLP '25)**





# THE ACG EDGAR ACHKAR VISITING PROFESSORSHIP

Providing Noteworthy Speakers for Training in Your Community



Deadline for 2027 Applications: **August 19, 2026**

The ACG Edgar Achkar Visiting Professorships provide on site lectures and ground rounds as a resource for fellows-in-training. This may include an added component of creating awareness around issues and challenges of delivering equitable care, respecting diversity, and instilling ethical decision-making in addition to a disease state topic driven visit.

**The Edgar Achkar Visiting Professorship Program**, which honors former ACG Institute Director, Edgar Achkar, MD, MACG, enables GI fellowship programs to host high quality visiting professors to enhance the training program with lectures, small group discussions, and one-on-one visits with trainees and faculty. Additionally, this program allows community gastroenterologists to learn from an expert through an evening event or medical grand rounds.



Edgar Achkar, MD, MACG and Tyler Berzin, MD, FACC at Cleveland Clinic

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The ACG Edgar Achkar Visiting Professor Program is an outstanding initiative by the American College of Gastroenterology. At our institution, we currently do not have a dedicated esophageal disorders program and have only recently begun incorporating advanced diagnostic tools such as Bravo pH monitoring, EndoFLIP, and high-resolution manometry into our practice. The opportunity to spend a full day learning directly from a distinguished expert [Dr. Yadlapati] in the field was immensely valuable. It not only enhanced our understanding of these procedures but also significantly increased our confidence in performing them independently moving forward.

**Vikram Kotwal, MD, FACG, Program Director, Gastroenterology and Hepatology Fellowship Program, Cook County Health**



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Our interactive, case-based discussions allowed for a rich exchange of knowledge - particularly around the real-world application of evidence-based practices in IBD management. This initiative fosters academic exchange and supports the next generation of gastroenterologists through meaningful, in-person engagement.

**Anita Afzali, MD, MPH, MHCM, FACG, visiting professor at University of New Mexico**



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The most engaging part of the visit was seeing a very young division that is clearly primed for growth. They have substantial resources to build a GI and liver faculty with a new hospital coming as well. The interactions were particularly fruitful with junior faculty who are developing their career paths and clinical areas of expertise. It was also interesting to discuss what parts of liver disease are areas of unmet need that also matched resources that UT Austin could provide.

**Paul Y. Kwo, MD, FACP** visiting professor at **The University of Texas at Austin Dell School of Medicine**



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It was a consensus after this visit [with Dr. Anyane Yeboa] that faculty and trainees felt inspired to identify barriers to achieving the high level of patient outcomes that we set for ourselves through the lens of our individual patients or patient groups. It was a great opportunity to explore these issues with a scholar of the field and to gain insight on practices that may or may not be successful in improving patient outcomes.

**Meghana Doniparthi, MD, Advocate Lutheran General Hospital**

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EAVP NUMBERS



NUMBER OF VISITS

144



NUMBER OF STATES

34



NUMBER OF INSTITUTIONS

108



YEARS RUNNING

12



APPROVED APPLICATIONS

83%

TOPICS COVERED

- Anorectal Problems
- Artificial Intelligence in Endoscopy
- Barrett's Esophagus
- Bile Duct Disorders
- *C. difficile*
- CardioGastroenterology
- Chronic Liver Disease
- Colon Cancer
- Colonoscopies
- Colorectal Cancer Screening
- Diet and Irritable Bowel Syndrome
- Dietary Myths and Diverticular Disease
- Digital Health
- Dyspepsia
- Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection
- Eosinophilic Esophagitis
- Esophageal Disorders and Motility
- Functional Bowel Disorders
- GERD
- GI Motility Disorders
- Health Information Outcomes Technology and Utilization
- Health IT in Improving Healthcare Delivery
- Hepatic Porphyria
- Hepatitis Treatment Update
- Hepatology and Liver Transplantation
- IBD and Management of Pregnancy
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- Lower GI Bleeding
- NAFLD
- Nutrition, Microbiome, Immunology
- Obesity
- Pancreatic Disease
- Pancreatobiliary and Interventional Endoscopy
- Per-oral Endoscopic Myotomy (POEM)
- QI Programs
- Robotic Endoscopy
- Small Bowel Bleeding
- The Effects of Sleep on GI Health
- Ulcerative Colitis Management
- Upper GI Motility and Endoscopic Ultrasound
- Video Capsule Training

ETHICAL DECISION MAKING, DISPARATE HEALTH OUTCOMES, AND EQUITABLE CARE TOPICS COVERED

- Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
- DEI and Colorectal Cancer Screening
- Disparities in Care
- Ethical Issues in the Care of Patients With Liver Diseases
- Health Disparities in GI, and Diversity in GI
- How Implicit Bias Affects Healthcare Outcomes
- Applying Neurogastroenterology/Motility Principles to Historically Marginalized Communities
- Colorectal Cancer Screening: Meeting Patients Where They Are
- LGBTQ+ Inclusive Care for Individuals With IBD

MOST REQUESTED TOPICS



DIET AND IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME



ENDOSCOPY



ESOPHAGEAL DISORDERS AND MOTILITY



HEPATOLOGY



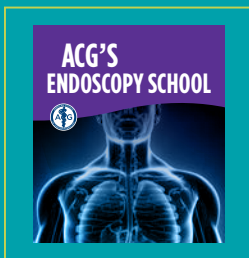
INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE

# ACG DISEASE STATE FOCUSED SCHOOLS

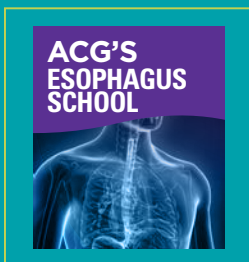
## A Focus on Educating Clinicians

The ACG Institute for Clinical Research and Education serves as a resource for comprehensive education for GI clinicians and patients, and raises public awareness of GI disorders. The Schools developed by the ACG Institute are regional, single-day, disease state-specific clinical education programs. They are intended for gastroenterologists, gastroenterology trainees, primary care physicians, nurses, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, and other members of the health care team interested in the latest information on diagnostic and state-of-the-art treatment of GI and hepatic illnesses. These programs are often held in conjunction with select ACG Regional Postgraduate Courses and are offered on a rotating schedule.

Find the next course: [bit.ly/Educational-Resources](https://bit.ly/Educational-Resources)

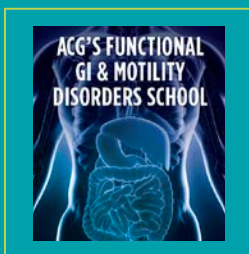


**ACG's Endoscopy School** provides updates on new devices and endoscopic techniques. The program is designed to educate on the best endoscopic approaches and offers the opportunity to learn techniques in the form of hands-on workshops. This program allows those in practice an opportunity to upskill to the latest technology and techniques, no matter how long they have been out of formal training.



**ACG's Esophagus School** reviews diseases and disorders of the esophagus and a clinical update on new therapeutic and monitoring approaches. Topics include GERD, Barrett's esophagus, achalasia, and EoE, as well as current and emerging treatments and therapies.

Course Date: **Washington, DC, June 6-7, 2026**

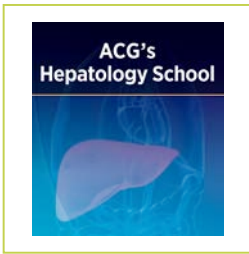


**ACG's Functional GI & Motility Disorders School** reviews current goals of therapy and management strategies for IBS, utilizing the ACG Clinical Guideline for the Management of Irritable Bowel Syndrome as a primary resource. The program's goal is to improve communication, diagnosis, and management of patients with IBS, CIC, and other functional GI diseases.

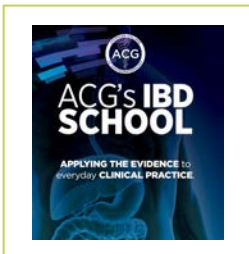
Course Date: **Detroit, MI, August 14, 2026**



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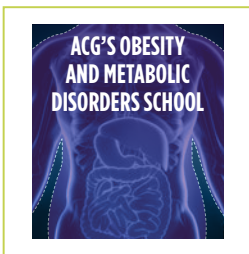


**ACG's Hepatology School** provides immersion in hepatology and a clinical update on new therapeutic and monitoring approaches. The goal is for clinicians to be able to summarize the current management options for HCV and HBV and to recognize the challenges of treating patients with MASLD, PBC, PSC, upper GI bleeding, and more.



**ACG's IBD School** provides immersion in IBD diagnosis and treatment, and the latest clinical and guideline updates on new therapeutic modalities and approaches. The course also highlights preventative care and management of IBD. The goal of this program is to improve the diagnosis and treatment of patients more efficiently.

Course Date: **Washington, DC, June 5-6, 2026**



**ACG's Obesity and Metabolic Disorders School** provides GI and hepatology practices the tools to coordinate medical and endoscopic management care effectively, promote adherence to therapy, and ultimately optimize patient outcomes. The goal is to increase practice's comfort with the intensive evaluation and consultation requirements to manage the challenging realities of patient management for obesity and metabolic disorders.

Course Dates: **Williamsburg, VA, August 28, 2026 and Louisville, KY December 4, 2026**

## ACG Monograph on Geriatrics and GI



The ACG Institute and LE&E Center are proud to share the Monograph on Geriatrics and GI, published as a supplement to the October 2025 issue of *The American Journal of Gastroenterology*. The monograph serves as a comprehensive practice update on the care of older adults with overlapping GI conditions, addressing gap areas in need of future research. It highlights differences in clinical presentation and management of gastroenterological conditions that are unique to older adults, and features seven chapters of concise, clinically relevant summaries on the latest scientific insights.

Editors: Adam S. Faye, MD, MS, Sunanda V. Kane, MD, MSPH, MACG, and Aasma Shaukat, MD, MPH, FACG

→ Read the ACG Geriatrics and GI Monograph: [amjgastro.com](http://amjgastro.com)



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