FOURTH SYMPOSIUM
Defining a new era in digestive disease therapies

Thursday, May 4th, 2017
Clinique de Genolier
Route du Muids 3, 1272 Genolier
Invitation

Dear Sir or Madam,

Swiss Medical Network is pleased to invite you to the fourth Symposium on a new era in digestive disease therapies, which will take place at “La Clinique de Genolier”, Route du Muids 3, 1272 Genolier, on Thursday, May 4th, 2017.

This fourth Symposium is designed not only for discussing the new scientific developments of digestive disease interventions but also to promote discussions and exchanges on a large international scale.

For achieving that, this year we focused on futuristic aspects of digestive medical care, improving outcomes in advanced GI malignancies (peritoneal carcinomatosis) and advanced laparoscopic surgery for colon and rectal cancer. Latest developments in bariatric and metabolic surgery will be discussed. Special attention is given to the combination of surgery and IORT in the management of retroperitoneal soft-tissue sarcoma.

We hope that you will enjoy the scientific progress as well as the intense discussion.

We look forward to welcoming you next May in order to define the future of digestive disease therapies.

Sincerely yours,

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START

08:45 Welcome and overview of course objectives
By J.-P. Chevalley, MD; P. Glasson, MD; J. Milsom, MD; F. Volonté, MD

SESSION 1

09:00 New technologies
Moderators: F. Volonté, MD; M. A. Reymond, MD; H. Bleuler, Engineer

— “Fluorescence enhanced surgery for preventing complication in lap surgery” L. Boni, MD
— “The future of endoluminal surgery is now (ESP, CELS)” J. Milsom, MD
— “Innovations in robotic surgery” H. Bleuler, Engineer

10:10 Break

SESSION 2

10:40 Peritoneal carcinomatosis
Moderators: C. Kettelhack, MD; V. Kirchner, MD

— “Oncological aspects” M. Aapro, MD
— “Peritoneectomy and HIPEC” O. Huber, MD
— “Pressurized IntraPeritoneal Aerosol Chemotherapy (PIPAC): many opportunities, many questions” M. A. Reymond, MD

12:20 Cocktail dinatoire
SESSION 3

13:45  Bariatric surgery
Moderators: O. Huber, MD; P. Glasson, MD
— “Robotic surgery” F. Pugin, MD
— “Sleeve gastrectomy / Nissen sleeve” D. Nocca, MD
— “Metabolic surgery” D. Savioz, MD

SESSION 4

15:45  Adenocarcinoma of the rectum and sarcomas: What’s new?
Moderators: J.-P. Chevalley, MD; F. Ris, MD
— “Transanal total mesorectal excision” C. Soravia, MD
— “Diagnostic and management of retroperitoneal soft-tissue sarcomas” C. Kettelhack, MD
— “Revisiting IORT in retroperitoneal malignancies. New opportunities” J.-C. Horiot, MD

USEFUL INFORMATION

Cocktail dinatoire
Free standing lunch with all the participants

Parking lot
Free parking courtesy of Swiss Medical Network

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**Train**
From Geneva or Lausanne railway station, via Nyon, change in Nyon for St Cergue – La Cure. Leave the train at “La Joy / Clinique de Genolier”.

**Plane**
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