Flexible & Rigid Endoscopy
July 14-17, 2019 | Oquendo Center

Day 1: Sunday, July 14, 2019

**Time** | **Topic**
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Full day lecture 8:00a-5:00p with lunch from 12:00-1:00p | Lecture:
- Introduction to Flexible Endoscopy
- Indication for performing GI endoscopy
- Case examples highlighting clinical utility of endoscopy
- Equipment selection with an eye toward versatility in clinical practice (not all flexible scopes are created equal!)
- How to convince clients to say yes to your recommendations to perform endoscopy
- How to charge for endoscopy
- How to become proficient in endoscopy as quickly as possible (you can do it you just need to practice!)
- Esophagoscopy - Technique
- Disorders of the esophagus that can be diagnosed and/or managed with endoscopy
- Gastroscopy - Technique
- Duodenoscopy - Technique
- Biopsy techniques
- Important disorders of the stomach and small intestines - diagnosis and management
- Prepping animals for colonoscopy
- Colonoscopy - Technique

Day 2: Monday, July 15, 2019

**Time** | **Topic**
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8:00a-12:00p | Upper GI endoscopy demo
- Esophagoscopy and gastroscopy practice
- Endoscope cleaning
- Q & A

12:00-1:00p | Lunch
1:00-5:00p  Nasopharyngoscopy, gastroscopy and duodenoscopy.  
All participants perform nasopharyngoscopy and practice upper GI endoscopy.
Colonoscopy demo
Colonoscopy practice
Q & A

**Day 3: Tuesday, July 16, 2019**

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<td>8:00-10:00a</td>
<td>Lecture: Review of techniques, foreign body retrieval and clinical GI topics with case examples</td>
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<td>10:15a-12:30p</td>
<td>Laboratory: Continue practicing upper GI endoscopy, focus on helping the participants successfully traverse the pylorus</td>
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<td>Foreign body retrieval demo (Dr Tams)</td>
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<td>3:30-4:30p</td>
<td>Final round of upper GI endoscopy practice</td>
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<td>4:30-5:30p</td>
<td>Wrap-up in classroom</td>
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**Day 4: Wednesday, July 17, 2019**

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| 8:00a-12:00p| Lecture:  
- Laparoscopy  
- Rhinoscopy  
- Cystourethroscopy  
- Otoscopy |
| 12:00-1:00p | Lunch                                                                 |
| 1:00-5:00p  | Rigid endoscopy lab                                                   |

WVC uses canine and feline cadavers in continuing education laboratories. The animals used have been humanely euthanized at an animal shelter for reasons unrelated to the educational laboratory.