

## Update on the Management of Ascites and Hepatorenal Syndrome

**3/16/2022**

This activity was created to address the professional practice gaps listed below:

- Recognizing the warning signs of HRS which may be similar to other GI disorders and can be overlooked or misdiagnosed.
- Identifying a strong and likely causal association between chronic hepatitis C virus, kidney disease, and HRS.
- Discussing lifestyle modification with patients to guard against disease and disease progression.
- Identifying criteria and current trends for liver treatment and perhaps transplant for patients with Cirrhosis and HRS.

### 1. Please respond regarding how much you agree or disagree that the gaps listed above were addressed.

	Disagree		Agree	
Participating in this educational activity changed your KNOWLEDGE in the professional practice gaps listed above. [9-3.56]	(0)	(0)	(4) 44.44%	(5) 55.56%
Participating in this educational activity changed your COMPETENCE in the professional practice gaps listed above. [9-3.44]	(0)	(0)	(5) 55.56%	(4) 44.44%
Do you feel participating in this educational activity will change your PERFORMANCE in the professional practice gaps listed above? [9-3.44]	(0)	(1) 11.11%	(3) 33.33%	(5) 55.56%

### 2. Please elaborate on your previous answers. (6)

practical subject I am dealing daily as a Interventional Radiologist  
better  
Good review with some updates info.  
good review but not really new for me  
The content is just right  
learn to recognize better patient selection

### 3. Please evaluate the effectiveness of the following speakers in improving your knowledge, competence and/or performance. (Poor = 1, Excellent = 4)

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Paul Pockros, MD [9-3.44]	(0)	(0)	(5) 55.56%	(4) 44.44%

**4. Please elaborate on your previous answers. (5)**

knowledgeable speaker

better

Clinically inclined.

Relevant for clinicians

clear presentation

**5. Please identify a change that you will implement into practice as a result of attending this educational activity (new protocols, different medications, etc.) (5)**

I may apply new medication

update knowledges

Closer follow up with specialist.

None

better awareness for medication recommendation

**6. How certain are you that you will implement this change?**

**(5)**

Certain <sup>(3-</sup>  
60.00%)

Very Certain <sup>(1-</sup>  
20.00%)

Maybe <sup>(1-</sup>  
20.00%)

**7. What topics do you want to hear more about, and what issues(s) in your practice will they address? (5)**

Diabetic foot ulcer

esophagus cancer

Pancreatic cancer

Cancer

NA

**8. Were the patient recommendations based on acceptable practices in medicine?**

**(8)**

Yes <sup>(8-</sup>  
100.00%)

**10. Do you think the presentation was without commercial bias?**

**(8)**

Yes <sup>(8-</sup>  
100.00%)

**12. Please provide any additional comments you may have about this educational activity. (5)**

Very practical subject and excellent delivery

excellent lecture  
Fairly mainstream.  
Good topic, right amount of knowledge  
NA

As one of the participants of this educational activity, we want to encourage you to implement those ideas that were appropriate to your healthcare environment.

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We look forward to seeing you at future University of Louisville events. Thank you very much.



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**1. Please respond regarding how much you agree or disagree that the gaps listed above were addressed.**

	Disagree		Agree	
Participating in this educational activity changed your KNOWLEDGE in the professional practice gaps listed above. [4-3.75]	(0)	(0)	(1) 25.00%	(3) 75.00%

Participating in this educational activity changed your COMPETENCE in the professional practice gaps listed above. [4-3.75]	(0)	(0)	(1) 25.00%	(3) 75.00%
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Do you feel participating in this educational activity will change your PERFORMANCE in the professional practice gaps listed above? [4-3.50]	(0)	(0)	(2) 50.00%	(2) 50.00%
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**2. Please elaborate on your previous answers. (2)**

N/A

After learning more about HRS and the practice gaps, patients will be referred to specialist quicker.

**3. Please evaluate the effectiveness of the following speakers in improving your knowledge, competence and/or performance. (Poor = 1, Excellent = 4)**

	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Kirti Shetty, MD [4-3.75]	(0)	(0)	(1) 25.00%	(3) 75.00%

**4. Please elaborate on your previous answers. (2)**

She explained the pathophysiology and clinical presentation very well.

Very knowledgeable

**5. Please identify a change that you will implement into practice as a result of attending this educational activity (new protocols, different medications, etc.) (3)**

I have a better understanding of management of ascites and hepatorenal issues.

Different edications

Different medications and refer as needed

**6. How certain are you that you will implement this change?**

(2)

Maybe (1-  
50.00%)

Certain (1-  
50.00%)

**7. What topics do you want to hear more about, and what issues(s) in your practice will they address? (3)**

Management of cardiology and transfer rehab patients

Cirrhosis and its complications, GI bleeding

Pharmacology updates

**8. Were the patient recommendations based on acceptable practices in medicine?**

(4)

Yes (4-  
100.00%)

**10. Do you think the presentation was without commercial bias?**

(4)

Yes <sup>(4-</sup>  
100.00%)

**12. Please provide any additional comments you may have about this educational activity. (1)**

Excellent, thank you

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