A FRIDAY EVENING SATELLITE DINNER CME PROGRAM AT THE GASTROINTESTINAL CANCERS SYMPOSIUM

CTDNA AND MRD TESTING:

EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES AND CLINICAL APPLICATIONS

6:00 PM-8:30 PM

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 2020

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The phenomenon of tumors shedding cell-free DNA into the blood has opened exciting opportunities in cancer diagnosis, monitoring, and treatment. Initial applications have focused on "liquid biopsy", to identify clinically actionable mutations when tissue is not available. More recently, emerging technologies have enabled the accurate assessment of molecular residual disease (MRD) in solid cancers, to enable patient stratification in the adjuvant setting, treatment response monitoring, and recurrence monitoring. These MRD technologies also promise to transform and disrupt clinical research, by enabling new trial designs enriched for MRD-positive patients and new surrogate endpoints based on MRD clearance. In this event, we will explore the various technologies being used for liquid biopsy and MRD assessment, as well as the data and applications with highest potential utility in clinical practice and research.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Define ctDNA, cfDNA, MRD, and the clinical evolution and application of these terms in monitoring for recurrence.
- Understand the different intent between liquid biopsy (therapy selection) versus MRD monitoring.
- Understand the clinical utility of MRD monitoring in GI, specifically in various stages of colorectal cancers.
- Understand various MRD monitoring methodologies: personalized, tumor-informed vs static, tumor naïve.

AGENDA

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6:00 PM-6:45 PM
REGISTRATION AND BUFFET DINNER

6:45 PM-7:05 PM



Pathological and Genomic Landscape of ctDNA and MRD
Sunil Badve, MD
Professor of Medicine
Indiana University

7:05 PM-7:25 PM



Data and Clinical Utility
Arturo Loaiza-Bonilla, MD
Vice Chair
Cancer Treatment Centers of America

7:25 PM-7:45 PM



Implications for Treatment of Colorectal Cancer: Case 1
Samuel Klempner, MD
Assistant Professor
Massachusetts General Hospital

7:45 PM-8:05 PM



Implications for Treatment of Colorectal Cancer: Case 2
Rutika Mehta, MD
Medical Oncologist
Moffitt Cancer Center

8:05 PM-8:30 PM



Implications for Treatment of Colorectal Cancer: Case 3
Arturo Loaiza-Bonilla, MD
Vice Chair
Cancer Treatment Centers of America

8:30 PM-9:30 PM
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