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# Join us as a number of well-respected, knowledgeable experts in the field of Interventional Endoscopy share the latest techniques and innovations in the world of GI!

In the interest of broadening your knowledge base, Northwest Community Hospital of Arlington Heights, Illinois, presents: Interventional Endoscopy Course for GI Nurses & Technicians.

A number of well-respected, knowledgeable experts in the field of Interventional Endoscopy will be on hand to help you get up to speed on the latest techniques and innovations.

**Presented by:**  
Northwest Community Hospital,  
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Center for Advanced Therapeutic Endoscopy,  
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**Northwest Community Hospital** is an award-winning 496-bed hospital northwest of Chicago, Illinois, with nationally recognized physicians, state-of-the-art technology, and inpatient and outpatient services in a full range of medical specialties. We exist to provide quality, compassionate healthcare services to the people of the northwest community.

**Center for Advanced Therapeutic Endoscopy** provides gastroenterology service to Chicago and the northwest suburbs,

as well as Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin. Specialties include ERCP, EUS, BARRX, EMR, Capsule Endoscopy, GERD, esophagitis, and the treatment of other gastrointestinal and pancreaticobiliary diseases.

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# Learn

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## Accreditation

Northwest Community Hospital, Professional Development Department, will be seeking approval for continuing education and nursing contact hours. Total number of 13.25 contact hours have been applied for.

## Location

From the moment you walk through the doors of Caesars Palace, you know you've arrived at the most prestigious resort in the world. Impeccable service. Luxury. All the little details that make the difference between an ordinary visit and a spectacular experience. This is the site of the 4th Annual NCH GI Conference.

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# Schedule

## Friday, February 10

7:00–8:30 am	Early Registration/ Vendor Exhibits	1:00–1:30	Vendors Available
7:30–8:30	Buffet Breakfast	1:30–2:00	Deep Enteroscopy <i>P. Akerman, MD</i>
8:30–8:40	Welcome <i>K. Lamont, RN, BS, MBA</i>	2:00–2:40	Pancreaticobiliary Anatomy & Diseases: The Meat and Potatoes <i>C. Himan, RN, APN</i>
8:40–9:10	Barrett's: Burn Baby, Burn! <i>W. Parsons, MD</i>	2:40–3:00	Coffee Break
9:10–9:45	Advanced Colonoscopy Techniques <i>TBA</i>	3:00–4:00	<b>Group A:</b> Vendor Competency Stations
9:45–10:10	Variceal Bleeders: Don't Fear the Reaper <i>D. Kim, MD</i>		<b>Group B:</b> Anesthesia CO <sup>2</sup> and airway demo <i>B. Cadre, MD</i>
10:10–10:30	Coffee Break	4:00–4:30	ERCP Complications: Avoiding and Managing the Train Wreck <i>L. Bucksot, RN</i>
10:30–11:15	Video Case Presentation— Panel Discussion <i>D. Kim, MD</i> <i>W. Parsons, MD</i>	4:30–5:00	Upper Foreign Body Management: Chew on This! <i>D. Kim, MD</i>
11:15–12:15	Designing and Managing a GI Lab: Mission Impossible <i>K. Lamont, RN, MBA</i>	5:00–6:00	Reception
12:15–1:00pm	Lunch—On Your Own		

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9:00–9:05	Announcements <i>K. Lamont, RN, BS, MBA</i>		<b>Group B:</b> Vendor Competency Stations
9:05–9:50	ERCP: Stone and Stricture Management <i>W. Parsons, MD</i>	3:30–4:15	Esophageal Stenting: Plumb the Goose <i>T. Baron, MD</i>
9:50–10:25	EUS: Seeing is Believing <i>R. Alasadi, MD</i>	4:15–5:00	Fluoro Quiz: Improve Your Image <i>W. Parsons, MD</i>
10:25–10:45	Coffee Break	5:00pm	Course Adjourns
10:45–Noon	Video Case Presentation— Panel Discussion <i>W. Parsons, MD</i> <i>R. Alasadi, MD</i> <i>T. Baron, MD</i> <i>J. McLenna, RN, CGRN</i>		
Noon–1:00pm	Lunch—On Your Own		
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# Presenters

## Willis G. Parsons, MD

*Course Director,  
Medical Director*  
Northwest Community Hospital

## Kathy Lamont, RN, BS, MBA

*Course Director,  
NCH Faculty*  
Northwest Community Hospital

## Rameez Alasadi, MD

*Faculty*  
Center for Advanced  
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## Brian M. Cadre, MD

*NCH Faculty*  
Northwest Community Hospital

## Colleen Himan, MSN, APN

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## David Kim, MD

*Northwest Gastroenterologists*  
Northwest Community Hospital

## Paul Akerman, MD

University Gastroenterology

## Todd H. Baron, MD

*Professor of Medicine*  
Mayo Clinic

## Lois Bucksot, RN

Indiana University

# Register

## To register by phone

Call 847.618.4YOU (4968)

## To register online

Register online at [nch.org/ginurse](http://nch.org/ginurse)

Your confirmation will be mailed or e-mailed to you.

## Registration Fee

Nurses and Associates: \$245 for those registering by February 6, 2011. Includes buffet breakfasts, Friday evening reception, syllabus and contact hours.

## Cancellations/Refunds

Request for refunds must be submitted in writing by February 1, 2011 and will be subject to a \$25 administrative fee. No refunds will be given after this time.

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