

41st Annual New Treatments in Chronic Liver Disease

March 13-14, 2027 - The Seabird Resort - Oceanside, California

New Treatments in Chronic Liver Disease will highlight the latest advancements in medications and therapies for liver care and transplantation. The program will offer an in-depth review of clinical trials and real-world data on oral treatments for chronic viral hepatitis B and C, non-alcoholic fatty liver disease, primary biliary cholangitis, primary sclerosing cholangitis, hepatocellular carcinoma, and complications of end-stage liver disease, including thrombocytopenia. This annual CME conference delivers a comprehensive yet targeted program designed to provide physicians with the latest updates and practical insights for managing liver diseases.

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Educational Objectives

Upon completion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Cite new strategies for identifying and managing metabolic liver disease.
- Review updated goals and guidelines for curing Delta Hepatitis, HBV and HCV.
- Discuss potential new treatments for alcohol-related liver disease.
- Summarize novel markers and therapies in PBC and PSC.
- Evaluate liver masses and new therapeutic options for HCC.
- Employ strategies for treating and managing ascites and hepatorenal syndrome.

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Agenda

Saturday, March 13, 2027

7 a.m. Registration, Breakfast & View Exhibits

8 a.m. **Welcome & Introduction**

IDENTIFYING AND MANAGING METABOLIC LIVER DISEASE

8:15 a.m. **Finding MASH in Primary Care and GI Clinics**
Sonal Komar, MD, MPH

8:45 a.m. **MASLD as a Cardiometabolic Disease: The Endo-Hepato Connection**
Melina Manolas, MD, MPH

9:30 a.m. **Real World Management of MASH**
Julio Gutierrez, MD

10:15 a.m. Break & View Exhibits

10:45 a.m. **PPAR for PBC**
Kris Kowdley, MD

11:30 a.m. **Panel Discussion/Q&A**

Noon Lunch

EVOLVING THERAPIES FOR ADVANCED LIVER CARE

1 p.m. **Topic TBD**
Raymond Lee, MD

1:30 p.m. **DEBATE: Who Should Be Treated with Bepirovirsen and Bulevirtide**
Robert Gish, MD
Kevin Pak, MD

2:45 p.m. Break & View Exhibits

3 p.m. **Advanced Management of Hepatic Encephalopathy**
Arun Jesudian, MD

3:30 p.m. **Drug-Induced Liver Injury**
Lily Dara, MD

4 p.m. **Panel Discussion/Q&A**

4:15 p.m. Adjourn

Sunday, March 14, 2027

7 a.m. Breakfast & View Exhibits

7:55 a.m. **Welcome & Announcements**

ESLD, HCC AND TRANSPLANTATION

8 a.m. **Palliative Care and Advanced Liver Disease**
Adam Deising, DO

8:45 a.m. **HCC Tumor Board**

10 a.m. Break & View Exhibits

10:30 a.m. **WILLIAM S. HAUBRICH LECTURE**
Mark Sturdevant, MD

11:15 a.m. **Panel Discussion/Q&A**

11:45 a.m. Final Adjournment

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Course Location & Hotel Information

The Seabird Ocean Resort

101 Mission Ave

Oceanside, CA 92054

Reservations: 1-800-233-1234

Visit the course website
for a link to reserve a
discounted room.

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