

Clinical PEARLS in Asthma & GERD Management

Date: 14th May 2022 (Sat)
Time: 1300 – 1500 hrs
Venue: Jurong Ballroom, Shangri-La Hotel
22 Orange Grove Road
Singapore 258350

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Programme

1230 - 1300	Registration
1300 - 1315	Opening Remarks Dr. Suraj Kumar, Drs Bain & Partners
1315 - 1400	Making Sense of Key Asthma Guidelines and Inhaler Devices Dr. Alvin Ng, The Respiratory Practice
1400 - 1445	<i>H. pylori</i> and GERD – A Complex Relationship Dr. Desmond Wai, Mount Elizabeth Novena Hospital
1445 - 1500	Q&A

Lunch will be served concurrently

Key Topics

- ▶ Practice points for primary care according to local and international asthma guidelines
- ▶ The impact of asthma inhaler device selection on clinical outcomes
- ▶ The unusual relationship between *H. pylori* and GERD and how to best manage them in primary care

Our Speakers



Moderator

Consultant Family Physician
Dr. Suraj Kumar

M.Med (Family Medicine), MCFP, FCFP (S), FAMS

Dr Kumar is currently practising in Drs Bain and Partners LLP and a council member of the Singapore Medical Council. He has been in private practice for over 30 years. He is actively involved in teaching and training family medicine trainees for over 10 years and is the current Programme Director for the CFPS MMed (Family Medicine) programme.



Intensivist and Pulmonologist
Dr. Alvin Ng Choon Yong

MBBS (SG), M.Med (Internal Medicine), MRCP (UK), FAMS (Respiratory), FAMS (Intensive Care), FRCP (Glasg), FRCP (Edin)

Dr Alvin Ng is a Consultant Respiratory Physician and Intensivist with The Respiratory Practice. He was the President of the Society of Intensive Care Medicine and the Vice President of the Singapore Thoracic Society. He was awarded the Singapore Armed Forces Medical Scholarship in 1996 to study Medicine in the National University of Singapore (NUS). He has special interests in Asthma, COPD, and Invasive Mechanical Ventilation for ICU patients.



Consultant Hepatologist and Gastroenterologist
Dr. Desmond Wai

MBBS, M.Med (Internal Medicine), MRCP (UK)

Dr Desmond Wai was the president of the American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases (AASLD) in 2002-3. He has published more than 90 full articles in peer-reviewed journals and 3 book chapters on liver and digestive diseases. He has been awarded numerous awards such as Young Clinician Award, Digestive Disease Week Thailand in 1999, National Healthcare Group Courage Award 2003, APDW 2005, SMJ Reviewer Recognition Award, SMJ Best Reviewer Award 2006, and Mother Theresa Award.

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