



LUNCH 'N LEARN WITH THE DOCTORS OF



GASTROESOPHAGEAL REFLUX DISEASE

WITH SUGIRDHANA VELPARI, MD

Friday, October 23 at 12:00 pm

This talk will focus on gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD). It will review the definition, symptoms, risk factors, diagnostic tests, treatments, and complications of reflux disease. Dr. Velpari is the director of the Gastrointestinal (GI) Motility and GERD Therapy Laboratory at Saint Peter's University Hospital, which provides comprehensive testing that includes pH Bravo testing, pH impedance testing, and high resolution esophageal manometry. He is also the assistant program director of Saint Peter's Gastroenterology and Hepatology Fellowship Program.

BASICS OF INFLAMMATORY BOWEL DISEASE

WITH DEBRA GOLDSTEIN, MD

Friday, November 6 at 12:00 pm

This workshop explains what inflammatory bowel disease is and how it is treated. It also discusses how other factors, including pregnancy and age, impact the disease. Dr. Goldstein has over 20 years of experience in treating patients with this condition.

COLON POLYP SCREENING...NOT THE SAME AS COLON CANCER SCREENING!

WITH ARKADY BRODER, MD

Friday, December 18 at 12:00 pm

Colorectal cancer is the third leading cancer in the world with an expected 1.8 million deaths. Colon cancer prevention and early detection is the goal of a high quality screening exam. This talk is meant to introduce the audience to the benefits of colon cancer screening, and ultimately, prevention. Dr. Broder is the chief for the division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology at Saint Peter's University Hospital.

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED FOR
THESE FREE PROGRAMS.
REGISTER ONLINE AT
www.ebpl.org/calendar**

