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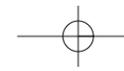
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## Gastrointestinal Specialists

University-Level Care  
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## A Practice Led by Experts

The highest quality care for the digestive system isn't just available at major university medical centers but also at the foremost specialty groups associated with respected community hospitals. Gastrointestinal Specialists is a leading example: a top-level gastroenterology practice offering care – at community, medical-center locations – that is as good as or better than that available anywhere. With senior gastroenterologists who have the broadest experience, faculty teaching expertise, and appointments in Frankford's Division of Gastroenterology, the GI Specialists group offers first-rate, comprehensive care for gastrointestinal conditions.

Our accomplished, board-certified gastroenterologists lead a practice that provides the full range of preventive, diagnostic, and treatment capabilities available today. Working as part of a team that also includes nurse practitioners, nurses, and other dedicated staff members, these physicians offer the most advanced and up-to-date care – delivered compassionately and right in your community (at locations in Philadelphia, Bucks County, and Bala Cynwyd, Pa.)

GI Specialists is devoted to the full spectrum of GI conditions, including reflux disease, irritable or inflammatory bowel diseases, ulcer disease, digestive-tract

bleeding, and precancerous and cancerous growths. Our staff members are all certified in hepatology (liver conditions) and thus offer care as well for hepatitis, liver cancer, and diseases of the biliary tree. The staff works closely with patients and their families, with referring physicians, and with consulting specialists. Our digestive-disease specialists have teaching appointments at Drexel University College of Medicine, and have received their training from such institutions as Harvard, the Cleveland Clinics, Massachusetts General Hospital, Duke, and Emory. They bring a leading-edge level of knowledge to their practice every day.

## Excellence in Gastrointestinal Care

Caring for patients with all types of digestive-system-related disease, this GI specialty group is one of the most active in the Philadelphia and Delaware Valley area. It uses a thorough approach and delivers the most effective help available, including for the many patients who seek care for common GI problems.



Services include video endoscopy via swallowed, PillCAM capsule.

Our office staff has established a particular expertise in treating patients with IBD, IBS, and reflux disease. In addition, our experts use a team approach for diagnosing and helping to manage patients with gastrointestinal cancer, working with the surgery, radiation oncology, and medical oncology services that are part of The Cancer Center at Frankford. Among special features also offered by GI Specialists:

- Endoscopy Center. Our group is one of the few in the area that owns and operates its own ambulatory care center. This facility offers endoscopy

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services and other procedures at Frankford Hospital-Torresdale. The center is a valuable resource, permitting our skilled GI staff to provide diagnostic and treatment steps in which they visualize the stomach and colon, detect precancerous and cancerous growths, and perform interventions. Endoscopy procedures are also available at the Bucks County and Bala Cynwyd locations. Every year, thousands of patients undergo endoscopies and colonoscopies, or other tests or procedures, at these locations.

- Biliary Center. GI Specialists is also dedicated to performing ERCP, an important diagnostic and therapeutic procedure used for evaluating and treating patients with jaundice or pancreatic cancer and for removing bile duct stones. ERCP permits our specialists to place biliary stents for bile obstructions caused by stones or cancerous growths.
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease Center. Our practice offers infusion services for patients with severe IBD that has not responded to other forms of care.
- Hepatitis C Clinic. The group also provides screening, testing, symptoms management, and medical management for chronic HCV infection.

Each of our GI specialists has areas of special interest and expertise, while offering general care for conditions of the digestive system for inpatients and outpatients. Our team is committed to patient-friendly service and the latest in care.

## A Respected, Accomplished Service

Gastrointestinal conditions can be very difficult to live with, seriously affecting physical and emotional quality of life. In severe forms, they can be life threatening. For patients with risk factors for, or signs and symptoms of, GI-related disease, vigilance and regular care with a qualified physician is important.

Gastrointestinal Specialists has provided more than thirty years of outstanding care in its field. The group carefully selects staff members to assure that each has the best in skills and a record of providing personalized care for every patient. Our staff members have hospital-admission privileges at Frankford's Torresdale and Bucks County locations, and at Roxborough General Hospital.

Our GI practice strives for patient-care experiences that are always respectful, courteous, and individualized. We offer all of this, and the most current knowledge and capabilities, at the convenience of community locations.



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