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Risks and Predictors of Gastric Adenocarcinoma in Patients with Gastric Intestinal Metaplasia and Dysplasia: A Population-Based Study

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After this activity, the participant will identify the risk factors for gastric adenocarcinoma in patients diagnosed with gastric intestinal metaplasia and dysplasia.

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- Specify a treatment plan for the various gastric and esophageal diseases, including but not limited to GERD, Barrett’s esophagus, eosinophilic esophagitis, gastroparesis, IBS, chronic diarrhea.
- Apply colorectal cancer screening methods and the most current screening guidelines.
- Describe nutritional issues related to GI illness and the complications facing these GI patients.
- Evaluate new and emerging endoscopic methods in the management of GI disease.
- Implement appropriate treatment strategies for the various GI illnesses facing the pediatric patient.
- Provide resources and applicable training information to GI fellows.

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