



“Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (ESD) for treatment of esophageal cancer”

Join the Manitoba Operating Room Nurses Association for an education session, “*Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (ESD) for treatment of esophageal cancer*”. presented by Dr. Biniam Kidane. This event is hosted by HSC-Adult.



When: Wednesday, April 27, 2022 | 6:30 pm

Where: Online via Zoom, [click here to register](#)

Presenter: Dr. Biniam Kidane MD, MSc, FRCSC Thoracic and Foregut Surgeon

Dr. Kidane is a Thoracic and Foregut Surgeon with a special interest in minimally invasive and endoscopic approaches to benign and malignant thoracic/foregut disease. He was recruited to Manitoba to establish an advanced diagnostic and therapeutic endoscopy program for thoracic diseases. He completed his MD at the University of Toronto and his General Surgery Residency at Western University. He then completed Thoracic Surgery Residency at the University of Toronto. During this time, he benefited from the mentorship of global leaders in the fields of Thoracic Oncology (Dr Gail Darling) and Interventional Pulmonary Endoscopy (Dr Kazuhiro Yasufuku). He had the privilege of pursuing further training in Interventional Endoscopy at McGill with Dr Lorenzo Ferri and at the CHUM (Centre hospitalier de l'Université de Montréal) with Dr Moishe Liberman.

Dr. Kidane joined the Department of Surgery in August 2016. Since that time, he has established the Endoscopic Submucosal Resection program in Manitoba for incision-less treatment of esophageal cancer. He also established the Per-Oral Esophageal Myotomy (POEM) program in Manitoba. This has allowed incision-less treatment of conditions like Achalasia, Zenker's Diverticulum and gastroparesis - conditions that all have traditionally required invasive surgeries. He established the Non-Intubated VATS (Video-Assisted Thoracic Surgery) program in Manitoba, which has increased access to this modality for the management of high-risk thoracic patients as well as patients with malignant pleural effusions. All of these treatments are now being offered as outpatient therapy in the Wilf Tailleu Thoracic Endoscopy Clinic.

Research Focus

Dr Kidane has a research interest in peri-operative care specifically in the thoracic surgery sphere but also in all surgical disciplines. His major interest is in lung protective ventilation during thoracic surgery as well as peri-operative practice variation and quality improvement. He also has a research interest in health services and outcomes research as it relates to esophageal and lung cancer. A major focus of his esophageal cancer research is in health-related quality of life. Esophageal cancer is a devastating illness with historically poor survival; furthermore, the treatment of esophageal cancer can also be difficult and cause significant reductions in the quality of life of patients with esophageal cancer. Dr Kidane's program of research in esophageal cancer brings together elements of surgical quality, patient quality of life, oncologic outcomes and health resource utilization with the ultimate goal of identifying the right treatment for the right patient at the right time.

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