



**Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School**  
**“NAFLD / MASLD: What Metabolic  
 & Bariatric Surgeons and Teams  
 Need to Know”**

### Breakfast Lecture

7.30 to 8 AM

Sponsored by Baxter  
"Hemostasis in surgery"

Alan Saber MD  
Chief of Bariatric Surgery,  
Newark Beth Israel Medical  
Center.

"Hiatal Hernia – update on  
current options".

8.15 to 8.45 AM

Frank Barao MD  
Chief of Bariatric Surgery,  
Monmouth Medical Center.

"Endobariatrics for weight loss:  
Sleeve and Ablation".

8.45 to 9.15 AM

Avik Sarkar MD  
Gastroenterologist,  
New Jersey

"Magnetic Metabolic Surgery  
Update"

9.15 to 9.45 AM

Michel Gagner, M.D.  
Chief of Surgery, Westmount Sq,  
Surgical Center, Canada

"Is Bariatric Surgery still  
relevant in the Era of GLP-1  
Medications?"

9.45 to 10.15 AM

Christopher Still MD  
Chief of Medicine  
Geisinger Medical Center

Coffee Break 10.15 to 10.30 AM

"Strategies for combined surgical  
and medical treatment for  
Obesity and its Complications".

10.30 AM to 11.00 AM

Lee Kaplan MD  
Gastroenterologist, Geisel School  
of Medicine at Dartmouth

### Keynote Lecture 11 to 12 PM

"Current status of OABG"

12 to 12.30 PM

Helmuth Billy, MD-  
Bariatric surgeon  
Ventura Advanced Surgical  
Associates

### Lunch 12.30 to 1 PM

### Bariatric Reimbursement Overview

Scott Wollen

Johnson and Johnson

"Adolescent Bariatric Surgery- and  
medications: Challenges and  
current status".

Sathyaprasad Burjonrappa MD

1 to 1.30 PM

Chief, Adolescent Bariatric Surgery  
Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson  
Medical School,  
New Brunswick, New Jersey

"Wernicke's Encephalopathy in  
Metabolic Surgery (MBS): Dire  
Consequences and Often  
Overlooked"

1.30 to 2 PM

Dr. Lillian Dino  
Support Group  
Coordinator and Bariatric  
Dietician, Florida

Sleeve Plus Dor Fundoplication  
for  
Bypass Refusing Patients"

Sharique Nazir MD,  
2.30 to 3 PM

Chief, Bariatric/Robotic surgery  
NYC Health +Hospitals/Harlem

"Precision Obesity and  
Bariatrics: The next frontier"

3 PM to 3.30 PM

Acosta, Andres J., M.D., Ph.D  
Gastroenterology and  
Hepatology, Mayo Clinic

"Obesity pharmacotherapy in  
the pipeline"

3.30 PM to 4 PM

Hannah Lawman PhD  
Obesity Medical Liaison  
Novo Nordisk  
*Not-CME Eligible*

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