



Myrtle Beach (May 7-8, 2022)

**N = 18**

**1. Please rate the following on a scale of 5 = excellent to 1 = poor:**

	Excellent	Above Average	Combined
Objectives were clearly defined and presented:	86.7%	13.3%	100%
The program was well planned and organized:	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Topics were practical and relevant:	86.7%	13.3%	100%
The program objectives were met:	86.7%	13.3%	100%
My personal objectives were met:	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Overall Satisfaction with the program:	86.7%	13.3%	100%

**2. Would you recommend the program to others? Yes = 100%**

**3. On a scale from 5 (excellent) to 1 (poor), please rate the overall content and practical value of each lecture:**

	Excellent	Above Average	Combined
Identifying Malnutrition	73.3%	26.7%	100%
Enteral Nutrition: The Art and the Science	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Hydration in the EN-Fed Patient	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Perioperative Nutrition	73.3%	26.7%	100%
Parenteral Nutrition Pearls	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Refeeding Syndrome	86.7%	13.3%	100%
High Output Ileostomies	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Challenging GI Cases	86.7%	13.3%	100%

**4. On a scale from 5 (excellent) to 1 (poor), please identify whether each lecture was current, balanced, and supported by evidence (if evidence is available):**

	Excellent	Above Average	Combined
Identifying Malnutrition	80%	20%	100%
Enteral Nutrition: The Art and the Science	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Hydration in the EN-Fed Patient	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Perioperative Nutrition	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Parenteral Nutrition Pearls	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Refeeding Syndrome	86.7%	13.3%	100%

High Output Ileostomies	86.7%	13.3%	100%
Challenging GI Cases	85.7%	14.3%	100%

## 5. What did you like best about the program? How will it change your practice?

- Interactive format, small group
- I loved everything about this conference. I liked the small environment so I felt comfortable asking questions. I enjoyed how this was more of a teaching style lecture that still used evidenced based practice guidelines rather than reading over a study (which can get very dull after awhile). I felt the teaching style provided me with practical applications for my everyday clinical practice. I also enjoyed how the topics were ones that I felt I could relate to. Some of the information was a good review, but I also felt I learned something from each lecture that I can use at my job. Thank you for a wonderful conference!
- Both speakers were able to present information in way that was easy to understand. I learned so much that will enhance my ability to be a better dietitian.
- I liked understanding nutrition for whipple, diabetes management and how this relates to digestive health. I feel better with suggestions of enzymes when this is necessary.
- It was amazing! Learned so much!
- Carol was very engaging and I loved how she shared cases she has worked on as examples for us.
- I was able to apply the information immediately to practice
- The section on refeeding. We get many pts with refeeding syndrome in our facility.
- Very helpful to get a refresher on all the different causes of diarrhea- this is such a common problem and I often forget about looking at the medications for sugar alcohols or considering overflow diarrhea from stool impaction!
- Above all else, the program was a great refresher into being an advocate for the patient. I felt renewed to be a better investigator for what is actually happening with the patient along with the empowerment to communicate regularly with the team.
- As an outpatient dietitian, I believe this information helps me better identify more targeted nutrition therapy I can provide to patients to help aid in symptom management and, again, encourage me to foster more communication with the medical team about options to explore.
- Small group, professional but casual, ability to ask so many questions. Accessibility to and kindness/willingness of speakers to talk with us between/after sessions. I plan to immediately work to change how we use medications, increase use of EN, decrease use of TPN, educate/encourage improved recognition of refeeding risk, and to share what I've learned with my fellow RDs.
- I like the case studies it was good see in it practice
- Real and dynamic conversations and problem solving

## 6. What suggestions do you have for improving the program?

- None x 2
- No suggestions! It was wonderful with excellent up to date references and all the latest info!
- Leave as is. It was great!
- loved them both!

- it was excellent
- Make sure this program is offered each year! :)
- Consider moving it to the weekdays
- Maybe have a section of time for "hard cases" (patients the audience has that are difficult)
- If there is more time for round tables to work out case scenarios
- We need more! Joking, but also not. Since Carol's retiring, she obviously can't single-handedly educate everyone. :) (There is a massive black hole of availability of this kind of education for RDs. Many times webinars feel like fluff or the format just doesn't allow for digging in to the topics. Masters degrees for those of us who weren't required are just more general education, no digging in to this kind of level of clinical care. And there doesn't seem to be much between. Please pass on this need who whomever you feel might be able to step into your shoes.) Back to this weekend though, I sincerely wouldn't have changed anything. It was just fast enough to keep things moving, but slow enough to allow for new understanding to develop. I think the extra time allowed for discussion was VITAL to enriching this class. I felt safe to not know something and be able to speak up, which so often I don't in an event like this. It was so very helpful to hear what others are experiencing and questioning. I'm incredibly grateful for the opportunity. THANK YOU!!
- more on GI disorders would be great