

October 5 & 6, 2019 - University of California – San Francisco GI Nutrition Support Program Evals (n=42 attendees)

Criterion	Excellent	Above Average	Combined
Objectives were clearly defined and presented	97%	3%	100%
Program was well planned and organized	92%	5%	97%
Topics were practical and relevant	100%	0%	100%
Program objectives were met	97%	3%	100%
Your personal objectives were met	89%	8%	97%
Presentations were free from commercial bias	97%	3%	100%
Speakers were knowledgeable and effective	100%	0%	100%
On a scale from 5 (excellent) to 1 (poor), please rate the overall content and practical value of each lecture (n=37)			
Fluid and Electrolytes	84%	16%	100%
Parenteral Nutrition Pearls	92%	8.0%	100%
Nutritional Implications of Small Intestinal Bacterial Overgrowth	84%	14%	97%
Nutritional Care of the Patient with Pancreatitis	92%	5.0%	97%
Enteral Nutrition	87%	14%	100%
The Malabsorption Work Up	89%	11%	100%
A Clinicians Guide to Short Bowel Syndrome	92%	8.0%	100%
Please rate your overall experience with the program (37)			
	89%	11%	100%
What did you like best about the program and how will the program affect your practice? (n=36)			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) This was the best, most practical and applicable clinical nutrition event I have been to in a very long time! Both speakers knew their topics and had lived and practiced them. I will recommend this program to all of my clinical nutrition colleagues! 2) The session on short bowel syndrome was fantastic! It gave me a number of pearls to try with my complex patients. 3) It's very comprehensive and all the information that I received I can use to improve my skill. 4) Interactive! 5) I am in an outpatient RD role after taking 2 years off from practice. I was hoping for some outpatient EN management suggestions for problems commonly seen in that setting. The review of inpatient EN management and especially TPN was very helpful. 6) I greatly enjoyed the practicality and relevance of the information provided. Carol Parrish is a wealth of knowledge and it was such an honor to learn from her! 7) Very applicable to my actual practice. Presented in an easy to understand manner. 8) Excellent speakers. 9) I really appreciated the opportunity to have set time to learn/focus on new material, away from the day-to-day -- many times with webinars or even in-person lectures during the work day my mind is elsewhere, thinking about patient care. It was definitely worth the flight out. I definitely appreciated all the wisdom from Dr. Corbett and Carol Rees Parrish, but I think one of the biggest takeaways for me is the reminder/inspiration that the RD has the huge opportunity to catch/truly advocate for patients -- the reminder that "the doctors don't know everything" was really important. 10) I liked that the group was small enough to ask questions when needed and that it was more casual and a comfortable learning setting. 11) Real world examples. Audience participation. No commercial bias. 12) Allowing everyone to have the opportunity to ask questions and addressing the questions to the best of their knowledge. It really showed in 			

their answers. Both speakers answered all questions asked and continued to welcome them. Wonderful speakers!

- 13) Practical case discussion.
- 14) I found the malabsorption workup presentation and case studies most helpful. I feel more confident in interpreting labs now.
- 15) How practical and applicable the entire presentation was. Having the fluid & electrolyte presentation first was excellent as the foundation for the rest of the seminar, and it was explained so well too!
- 16) Carol's real life experience.
- 17) The presenters! I've already incorporated many of the information learned into my clinical practice
- 18) How to monitor and advocate for your patients.
- 19) I like the flow of the lectures: start with knowledge and concepts then followed by case studies.
- 20) What I enjoyed most was just being able to learn from such experienced clinicians. All advice was extremely applicable. It's been a week and I carried my slides to work every day and referred back to them about every day last week while dealing with my patients.
- 21) It was very practical and relevant to my practice.
- 22) I loved learning from CRP's extensive experience. It was an honor to hear her speak. The program was immensely relevant to my practice. This week back at work, I am constantly finding myself utilizing pearls from this weekend, especially from the enteral nutrition discussion. I appreciated CRP's discussion of her patient cases as well as the open forum allowing us all to ask questions from our experiences!
- 23) Knowledge condense program, two days program seems like I have learned a lot from it. Case studies, great way to explain complex concepts. This program definitely can affect the quality of care in my practice.
- 24) The question-answer format. Being able to ask relevant questions. The program will affect my practice because I will take a closer look at the medications in relationship to stooling habits. Also, the ALS comment about constipation was informative and I'll be more quick to recommend imaging.
- 25) All topics were great and pertinent to my current responsibilities. The program helped my stay up to date with current practice.
- 26) Carol's energy! Time to network with other dietitians. The location. Able to re-organize my materials/thoughts and program idea. Learn about topics that I am not directly involved in, but can apply to my specific practice.
- 27) The small group was very nice, people could ask questions and discuss cases. There are many pearls of wisdom Carol provided that I have taken away and am now reviewing policies and procedures. I am also sharing many tips with the clinical team.
- 28) Being able to ask questions and learn hands on, practical skills that we can't get from textbooks. I think that there is a gap in training dietitians, where we do not fully get the explanations for physiology and what the doctors are looking at, and it cripples our conversations and credibility with doctors at times. Learning about medications and physiology and hearing the research (or lack thereof) and learning from Carol what she has learned in over 3 decades of practice was so helpful. It inspired me to keep reading and learning so that I can continue to grow as a practitioner and improve my skills. Attending this weekend program allowed me to improve my understanding of GI conditions and will improve my care and ability to problem solve what is going on with patients and how we can make it better.
- 29) I really appreciate the setting that I feel comfortable asking questions.
- 30) There was so much helpful information in all the lectures. I loved the abnormal electrolyte cases table and learning more about SIBO. In general, I will think more critically about how practices started and challenge them if they are not helpful or supported by data. Thinking about litigation risks was also new for me. I hope to have more confidence in my practice and be less nervous about debating with doctors.
- 31) I loved the practical considerations and the example cases that both speakers used in their presentations. The clinical pearls I learned will be very useful for my practice where I see several patients with SBS, SIBO, on parenteral nutrition, etc. I have already started using some of the information I learned in the conference at my practice.
- 32) The amount of experience and knowledge Carol has/will be the biggest influencer in modifying my practice in any of the topics covered.
- 33) Excellent, practical information that can be utilized immediately in my practice.
- 34) The case studies provided were very helpful along with allowing the class to answer questions throughout the program rather than at the end.
- 35) The variety of topics and the Case Study examples on how to put the info into practice.
- 36) The practical "how to" do something whether it is for assessment of implementing a plan. Really appreciated the straightforward approach.
- 37) Possible create protocol for TG lab when on propofol/clivudinpine. Stop using stop time for cyclic/intermittent TF and use volume for stop time.

Reinforced caution off using probiotics in ICU pts
38) Carol able to show what worked in her current practice. The program provided a deeper understanding of the GI function and nutrition support.

What suggestions do you have for improving the program? (n=31)

- 1) I wish the Q and A time was longer.
- 2) The program was incredibly well-rounded, it is difficult to identify an area of improvement. If I had to choose, I would say I would have enjoyed having more time to discuss SIBO and short bowel management.
- 3) Potentially less subjects so there is more time for questions/discussions or consider building in more time for that.
- 4) An auditorium/"college lecture hall" type room (with arm desks) would have been nice! Otherwise, it was truly a great program.
- 5) Nothing! Do more programs!
- 6) I would suggest to put the short gut session earlier in the day or on day 1 since it is a hot topic that requires more focus and questions than at the end of day 2.
- 7) I cannot think of anything. This is the BEST workshop I've ever attended. Thank you!
- 8) I thought it was great and well organized!
- 9) I think more clarification between ICU acute care guidelines and ambulatory stable patient guidelines would be helpful.
- 10) I actually really enjoyed how Dr Corbett had his presentation. I actually learn best by taking notes, so that was very helpful for me.
- 11) I can't think of anything that could have improved this program! It was beyond interesting and useful!
- 12) The contents of the program was wonderful; I didn't have any suggestions on it.
- 13) Make it longer, 3 days.
- 14) None! Thank you to Carol for continuing to be such a mentor and resource to so many dietitians across the country!
- 15) Longer! It was SO good and such a wealth of information. I would love more!
- 16) Nothing, thought it was great!
- 17) Tailoring a bit more for those of us who only work outpatient. Loved how interactive the program was and how accessible the speakers are to us! Thanks!
- 18) None x 2

Would you recommend this program to others?

Yes: 100% (37/37)