



## The Chairman's Message



I am happy to bring you the first issue of the "Gateway Gastro Update". This news letter will bring you the updates and information about Laparoscopy and Robotic surgery and diseases related to gastroenterology & gynaecology. I have introduced a column for guest writer, where one article will be chosen from the doctors for mass education in this field.

So I invite your inputs, feedback & articles for future Newsletters. I am glad to introduce my Super Speciality department team members. Our mission is to deliver the highest level patient centered care for all GI Medical and Surgical diseases and all GI Cancer surgeries and multimodality treatments along with Day care surgery for Appendicitis, GB Stones, Hernia, Uterine and Ovarian Problems, Piles, Fissure and Fistula. I am delighted to announce the inauguration of the department of Obesity & Metabolic Minimal Access Surgery to fight the nation's upcoming threat obesity, DM, HTN, CAD, etc., I look forward & welcome your comments, questions & participation!!

Yours' sincerely

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Dr.K. Sendhil Kumar, Founder and Chief, Gateway clinics, did his Under graduation and Post graduation at Coimbatore medical College. After completing his post graduation, he joined Dr. C. Palanivelu and worked with him for 14 years (from 1995 to 2009). During this period he completed DNB in surgical Gastroenterology. In DNB Surgical Gastroenterology exit examination, he scored nationwide 1st rank. He is experienced in all Advanced Laparoscopic Gastro surgery work and also in diagnostic as well as therapeutic endoscopy work, including advanced ERCP work for biliary and Pancreatic pathologies. He along with his team has organized two live National Laparoscopic Surgery workshops "Celioscope 2013 and 2014". His work on laparoscopic surgery for choledochal cyst has been kept in SAGES (Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons) Library as teaching material. He has presented and published papers in various international conferences and journals. He is a member of ASI (Association of Surgeons of India), AMASI (Association of Minimal Access Surgeons of India), IHS (Indian Hernia Society), SELSI (Society of Endoscopic and Laparoscopic Surgeons of India), IAGES (Indian Association of Gastro Intestinal Endoscopic Surgeons), SAGES (Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons) and ACS (American College of Surgeons) etc., His special interest is in the field of Laparoscopic GI Cancer surgery and Therapeutic Endoscopy.

## About Team



### Dr. Satheesh K.M

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Dr. Satheesh K M is a surgical gastroenterologist with special interest in coloproctology. He completed his M.Ch from Madras Medical College and was working with Global Hospitals Chennai, before joining Gateway clinics. Also with the experience of working in other corporates in Chennai like Chettinadu hospitals and Lifeline hospitals, he is looking forward to work with Gateway clinics in providing the highest quality of care to the patients.

### Dr. Latif Bagwan

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Dr.Latif Bagwan is a Consultant GI and Laparoscopic Surgeon at Gateway Clinics and Hospital. He did his PG at Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Kolhapur and stood first in his batch. He has worked in the Department of Surgery as Asst. Professor in UCMS and GTB Hospital Delhi. He is trained in Surgical Gastroenterology, Basic and Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery. He has a vast experience in complicated Gastrointestinal surgery as well as basic and advanced Laparoscopic surgery. He has organized various meeting and conferences and was organizing secretary of Celioscope 2014. He has published articles in national journal and presented papers in national and international conferences. He is a faculty of Laparoscopic Skill course, a training program for surgeons at Gateway Clinics. He along with his team are striving their best to scale newer heights of excellence, to uphold the noble profession. As a Gateway team member he is committed to make available to the public the benefit of the most modern tech developments in the field of medical sciences



### Dr. Piyush Patwa

DNB., FMAS.,

Dr. Piyush Patwa, DNB, Fellow in Minimal access surgery is experienced in Basic and Advanced laparoscopic surgery and working as consultant surgeon at Gateway Clinics, Coimbatore for the past 3 years. Beside basic and advance laparoscopy, his area of interest is Bariatric and Metabolic surgery. He has presented papers in state & national level conferences. He was Organizing commettee member of 1st National live laparoscopy conference "Celioscope 2013- Beyond Basics", and Organizing secretary of 2nd National live laparoscopy conference "Celioscope 2014-A step Ahead of Basic Laparoscopy". He is Life Member of Association of Surgeons of India (ASI), Association of Minimal Access Surgeons of India (AMASI), HSI (Hernia society of India), SELSI, ACRSI etc. He is actively involved in training fellow surgeons in the art of Laparoscopic surgery at Gateway Clinics, Coimbatore.



# Dr. Niveditha Aarthy

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Dr Niveditha Aarthy is Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist at Gateway Clinics. She spearheads the department of OBG in Gateway Clinics. She did her under graduation in Coimbatore Medical College. She excelled in her academics and secured distinctions and honours in many subjects. She received Best Outgoing student Gold medal. She did MD - OG at Coimbatore Medical College. She has presented papers in renowned medical journals as well as in national conferences. She was winner of medical quizzes. She has also received DNB -OG from National Board of Examinations as well as MNAMS from National Academy of Medical Sciences. She has had exposure in Reproductive medicine .Her fields of interest are Reproductive Medicine and Endogynaecology. She is keen to learn the latest methodology of treatment to render the best to her patient. She was organising secretary of Celioscope 2014, a national live laparoscopy conference. She aspires to become a renowned expert in her fields of interest true to the Hippocratic oath

## GATEWAY CLINICS CHENNAI Inauguration...!!

Our branch at chennai was blissfully inaugurated by Dr. Balasubramanian MD.DV, The State president, IMA, Tamilnadu, on 11/11/2014, in the presence of our Chairman and Managing director Dr. K Sendhil Kumar & Director Dr. Gunasekaran, which recieved a warm welcome from the people.



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We thank each and everyone behind this noble effort of us  
to help and serve the people even more!!



# A glimpse into our surgeries....

## I. Cocoon Abdomen:

A 55 years old male patient came with complaints of mass in abdomen, abdominal pain and continuous vomiting since 15 days. Patient was passing hard stool all these days. When examined and evaluated patient was found to have a "Abdominal Cocoon" (Cocoon menas : a silky envelope spun by the larvae of many insects to shelter themselves while they grow). Patient was taken up for operation on the same day. And to look, it was like a white foot ball in which small bowel was packed up and that was the reason for all the symptoms like pain, vomiting.

The Cocoon Abdomen was completely freed from the DJ flexure to the rectum and the patient got relieved of all symptoms. in the last three years we have treated four such patients.

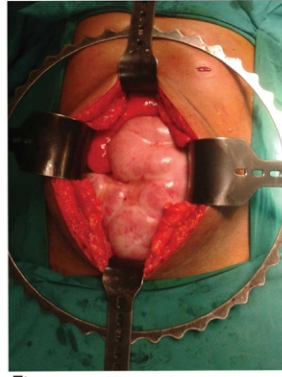


Figure a: Typical appearance of a cocoon abdomen involving the whole small and large bowel loops



Figure b: Complete release of the covering membrane. The entire bowel loops were freed.

**II. Gastric lipoma:** A 67 years old obese patient presented with malena. OGD scopy showed a large submucosal lesion in stomach with bleeding. There was a large ulcer in the summit of the swelling with yellow coloured base. CT confirmed it as lipoma at the antrum of the stomach along its anterior wall. After giving blood transfusion, laparoscopic Gastric lipoma Excision was performed

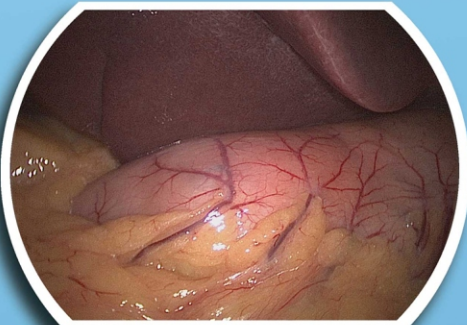


Figure a: Mass lesion at the antrum.

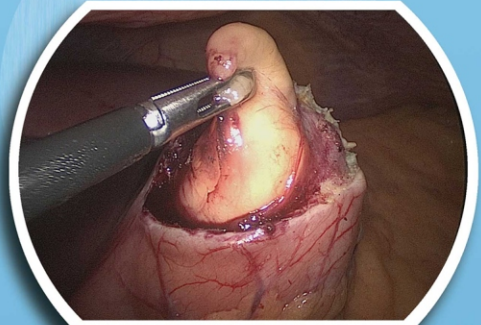


Figure b: Excision of Lipoma

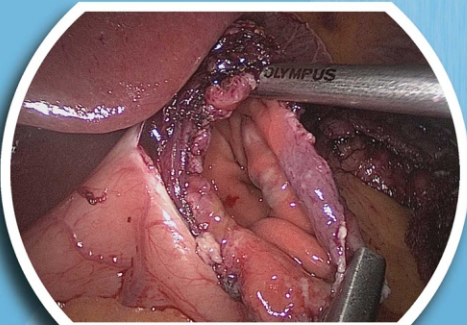


Figure c: After complete excision of Lipoma

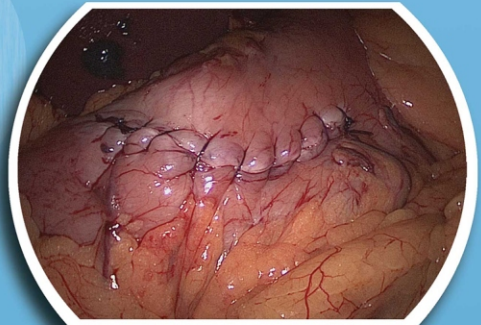


Figure d: Closure of stomach wall

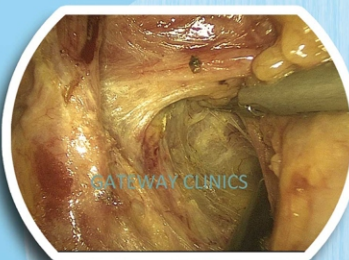


### III.Carcinoma OG Junction Thoracolaparoscopic Esophagogastrectomy with intrathoracic anastomosis. (Ivor - Lewis type)

## Laparoscopic View



Growth @ OG junction



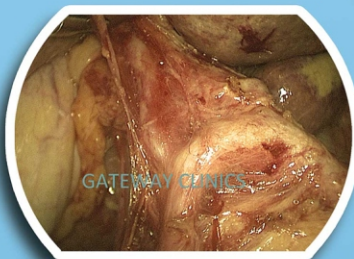
Dissection at the hiatus



Mobilisation of the stomach



Left Gastric Artery



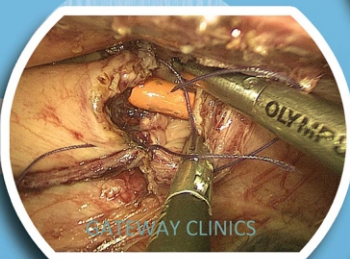
CHA,GDA and Hepatic Artery proper

## Thoracoscopic view

Lung Adhesions



Ryles tube in Situ



Completed intrathoracic Anastomosis



# About Gateway Clinics

The clinic was established by Dr.K.Sendhil kumar in March 2009 at RS Puram, Coimbatore. Since then it is providing world class service in the field of Diagnostic and Therapeutic Endoscopy, Laparoscopy, Surgical Gastroenterology and Gynaecology. This clinic has got state of art facility for managing all complicated surgeries by Laparoscopy. This centre is one of the few centres in India, which has performed all Advanced surgeries like Oesophageal Cancer surgery, Advanced Colorectal Cancer and Hepatobiliary surgeries. Since inauguration, many international presentations have been made and two well attended live workshops have been conducted. The "Hernia Clinic" of this institute has got the reputation of lowest recurrence and complication rate. The team of Bariatric Surgery and Gynaecology are capable of handling all difficult cases. The experienced Anaesthetists team form the backbone of this centre.

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