ICA CBH 5 - General Medicine/Surgery Gastroenterology - Hornsby

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Term Objectives

1. Elicit the symptoms and signs of gastro-intestinal and hepato-biliary disorders.

2. Detect the peripheral signs of liver disease and anaemia.

3. Be familiar with the presentation, common medical and surgical gastro-intestinal disorders and their complications.
   - Oesophagus, reflux, Barrett’s carcinoma
   - Stomach, duodenum, peptic ulcer, carcinoma
   - Pancreatic and biliary disease
   - Acute abdomen
   - Small intestine and colonic disease including inflammatory bowel disease, celiac disease and diverticular disease.

4. Understand the indications and complications of common endoscopic procedures.

5. Interpret simple liver function tests, Hepatitis serology and iron studies.

6. Understand how to prepare a patient for abdominal surgery.