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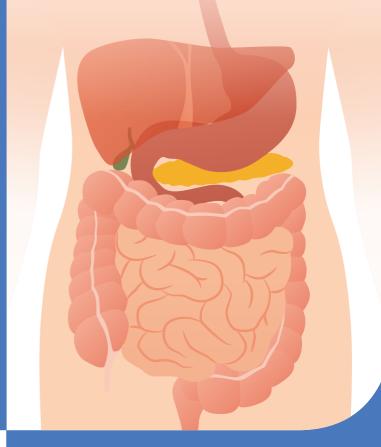
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Our Services

HKSH Gastroenterology & Hepatology Centre offers comprehensive services and well-equipped facilities, and specialises in the diagnosis and treatment of various gastrointestinal diseases and digestive issues related to the hepato-billary system. Our Centre adopts a centred approach, ensuring that patients receive efficient, high-quality, and professional care, with special emphasis on patient comfort and safety.

Gastroscopy

Our Centre provides specialist care to patients with suspected dyspepsia (indigestion), heartburn, acid reflux, and gastrointestinal motility disorders. Diagnostic and therapeutic gastroscopy services are available, including endoscopic biopsy, Helicobacter pylori infection testing (both rapid and culture testings), standard polypectomy, oesophageal variceal ligation, and gastrostomy feeding tube management. We also provide wireless oesophageal pH monitoring and gastrointestinal motility test.

Colonoscopy

Our Centre provides services including screening colonoscopy, colonic and terminal ileal biopsies, standard polypectomy, and haemorrhoid ligation. All endoscopic services are provided by specialised endoscopists. If needed, our anaesthesiologists can also provide monitored anaesthesia care. After the endoscopic examination is completed, the endoscopist will explain the endoscopy report and pathological tissue test results to the patient in detail.

Liver, Gallbladder, and Pancreatic Diseases

In addition to gastrointestinal problems, our Centre also caters to patients with liver, gallbladder, and pancreatic conditions. Comprehensive blood tests are available for hepatitis screening and follow-up, fatty liver assessment, and risk factor stratification. Our new Fibroscan elastography allows for measurement of the degree of fibrosis and fatty liver (CAP scores) to prognosticate and monitor treatment responses. Patients who require further imaging and specialised tests can also have these investigations arranged.

Colon Cancer Screening

Colon cancer is a common and highly preventable cancer in Hong Kong. Our Centre offers a comprehensive colon cancer screening package, including detailed medical and surgical history, physical examination, blood tests for anaemia, iron-deficiency anaemia, and colon cancer markers, and stool collection for occult blood detection.

For patients requiring further procedures, a colonoscopy can be arranged. This procedure serves both diagnostic and therapeutic purposes. Colonic polyps, which are often benign lesions, can progress to cancer if not removed. Using traditional white light and narrowband imaging, endoscopic detection allows for the identification of small and inconspicuous polyps that are difficult to see with the naked eye. Complete removal of polyps minimises the chance of recurrence and potential transition to cancerous growth. Medical advice and counselling will be provided to all patients for post-polypectomy care and future monitoring.

We aim to provide patients with a more holistic view of cancer prevention by discussing ways to prevent cancer with an emphasis on healthy living and eating. For individuals with a family history of colon cancer or colonic polyps at a young age before 40 years old, familial testing (both blood tests for cancer genes and colonoscopy) can be arranged with appropriate genetic counselling provided.