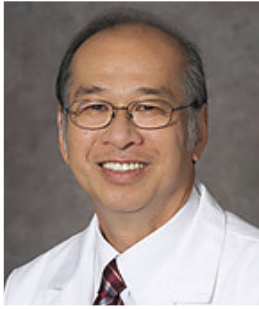


Joseph W. Leung, M.D.

Philosophy of Care	To provide the best care for my patient through clinical service, education and development of new (and improved) treatment.
Clinical Interests	<p>Dr. Joseph Leung specializes in all types of gastroenterological conditions. He is one of the leading biliary endoscopists in the United States and well-recognized in Asia for his work on biliary stents and stones.</p> <p>He pioneered several therapeutic endoscopy techniques including injection hemostasis, urgent nasobiliary drainage and stenting for patients with acute cholangitis.</p> <p>His research interests focus on design of biliary stents, bacterial biofilm and biliary infection and methods to prevent of biliary sludge and stones formation.</p> <p>His other clinical and research interests are in colorectal cancer screening using the novel water method. He is interested in teaching endoscopy especially in the use of simulation practice to improve trainees' clinical ERCP skills.</p>
Research/Academic Interests	<p>Patients with pancreaticobiliary diseases</p> <p>Teaching novice endoscopists the basic technique of ERCP and biliary intervention.</p>
Title	<p>Professor of Gastroenterology</p> <p>Chief of Gastroenterology, VA Northern California Health Care System</p>
Specialty	Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Internal Medicine, GI Cancer
Department	Internal Medicine
Division	Gastroenterology and Hepatology
Clinic	UC Davis Medical Group, Sacramento - Midtown
Center/Program Affiliation	<p>UC Davis Comprehensive Cancer Center</p> <p>UC Davis Medical Group</p>
Address/Phone	<p>UC Davis Midtown Ambulatory Care Center, Midtown GI Clinic, 3160 Folsom Blvd Suite 3500 Sacramento, CA 95816</p> <p>Phone: 916-734-0779</p>
Additional Phone	Physician Referrals: 800-4-UCDAVIS (800-482-3284)
Languages	Cantonese
Education	M.D., Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, Hong Kong China 1986



Joseph W. Leung, M.D.

MBBS, University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong China 1975

Internships Surgery, Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong China 1975-1976

Residency Queen Mary Hospital, Hong Kong China 1976-1981

Fellowships Gastroenterology, Middlesex Hospital, London UK 1981-1983

Board Certifications Hong Kong Academy of Medicine - Gastroenterology/Hepatology, 2005
Hong Kong College of Physicians - Gastroenterology/Hepatology, 1985
Hong Kong College of Physicians - Internal Medicine, 1984

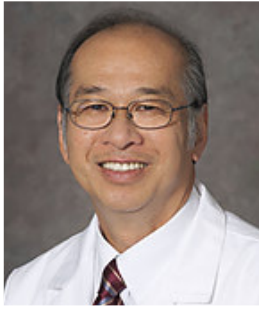
Professional Memberships American College of Gastroenterology
American College of Physicians
American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy
Hong Kong Academy of Medicine
Hong Kong College of Physicians
Royal College of Physicians
Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow

Honors and Awards Best Doctors in America (Gastroenterology), 2015
Walter Trudeau Excellence in Teaching Award, Division of Gastroenterology, UC Davis, 2015
Visiting Professor, Department of Surgery, Lanzhou University, Lanzhou, China, 2015
California Legislature Resolution Recognition Award, 2015
ASGE Ambassador to Taiwan for ERCP training program, 2012
Master of American College of Gastroenterology, 2010

Select Recent Publications Leung J. The feasibility of total water colonoscopy. J Interv Gastroenterol. 2014 Jan;4(1):19-22.

Hu B, Leung JW, Gao DJ, Wang TT, Wu J. Management of benign biliary strictures with a novel retrievable self-expandable metal stent. J Dig Dis. 2014 Mar;15(3):146-53.

Yung VY, Yen AW, Leung JW, Mann SK, Wilson MD, Leung FW. Validation of a novel method for analyzing video recordings of the withdrawal phase of air insufflation and water exchange colonoscopy - documentation of distractions from focused mucosal inspection. J Interv Gastroenterol. 2014 Jan;4(1):8-12.



Joseph W. Leung, M.D.

J Leung, V Vakulchik, J Liu, J Percy, A. Yen, F. Leung. Water aided colonoscopy without air insufflation - a comparison of suction removal of infused water during withdrawal versus during insertion. *J Interv Gastroenterol* 2014; 4(3) Page:63-67.

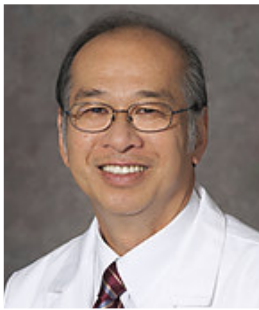
J Leung, V Vakulchik, A Yen, Y Zavadski, R Silvernail, M Wilson, F Leung. Water exchange significantly reduces the need for abdominal compression during colonoscopy - prospective comparison with air insufflation and water immersion. *J Interv Gastroenterol* 2014;4(2) Page:40-42.

J Leung, S Mann, R Siao-Salera, C Ngo, R Saroufeem, R McCreery, G Ward, O Abramyan, W Canete, F Li, M. Wilson, F Leung. Water exchange screening colonoscopy with or without indigo carmine in detecting overall and proximal colon adenoma - a randomized controlled trial. *J Interv Gastroenterol* 2014; 4(1) Page:2-7.

Leung JW, Siao-Salera R, Abramyan O, Mann SK, Ward G, Yen AW, Gutierrez R, Leung FW: Impact of water exchange colonoscopy on serum sodium and potassium levels—an observational study. *Dig Dis Sci* 2014, March:59:653-657.

Leung FW, Cadoni S, Falt, P, Hsieh Y, Leung JW, Pan Y, Radelli F, Yen AW: Digestive disease week 2014 colonoscopy topic forum—novel methods for polyps detection—state of the art lecture on optimizing polyp detection. *J Interv Gastroenterolo* 2014;4(2):43-46.

Ocampo LH, Kunkel DC, Yen AW, Tan CR, Leung JW, Leung FW: Underwater hot and cold snare polypectomy can be safely executed during water exchange colonoscopy. *J Interv Gastroenterolo*, 2013 Jul;3(3):104-106.



Joseph W. Leung, M.D.

J Leung, S Mann, R Siao-Salera, W Canete, D Prather, FW Leung. The Established and Time-Tested Water Exchange Method in Scheduled Unsedated Colonoscopy Significantly Enhanced Patient-Centered Outcomes without Prolonging Procedural Times – A RCT. J Interv Gastroenterol 2013;3: 7- 11.

© 2018 UC Regents