

We provide optimal patient care through timely and accurate diagnosis and treatment.

At the Department of Gastroenterology, we perform diagnosis and treatment for all types of gastrointestinal diseases performing endoscopic examinations and treatments, especially for the gastrointestinal tract, biliary tract, and pancreas.

Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection (ESD) is a method to remove a tumor by endoscopically peeling the submucosal layer, and has become very popular over the past few years. Although the difficulty of treatment varies with the size and location of the tumor, it is said that treatment is possible if the tumor is retained at the surface, regardless of its size (but depending on the grade of the tumor/ unless the tumor is highly malignant). We actively perform ESD for the esophagus, stomach duodenum, and large intestine. We provide transnasal endoscopy for patients who cannot endure esophagogastroduodenoscopy (gastric endoscopy) because of a strong pharyngeal reflex. In general, we perform colonoscopy without sedation since we prefer to perform the examination while communicating with the patient and showing the actual picture. Sedatives are used only in patients who have had an extremely hard time with previous colonoscopies because of a history of abdominal surgery or severe constipation.

Advanced medical equipment such as CT, MRI, and ultrasonography have been used for timely diagnosis for other abdominal diseases.

