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**LET'S TOAST TO YESTERDAY'S ACHIEVEMENTS AND TOMORROW'S BRIGHT FUTURE!**

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

You're invited!!

**Free 1 CNE educational event sponsored by Ambu- Leader in Single-Use Scopes.**

Minimizing the Risk: Disposable Scopes in the GI Suite

January 16th, 4 pm to 5 pm

RSVP by filling out the attached registration and email the completed form to Taylor Smith at [tasm@ambu.com](mailto:tasm@ambu.com).

**\*\*You will receive instructions to gain access to the event on Thursday, January 14th\*\***

[Please click the links below to register](#)

**Webinar:**  
<https://tasm0.aidaform.com/Ambu-CEC-Jan16-registration-form>

**In-person:** <https://conta.cc/3mTvmqk>

January 27, 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm  
Seating is limited to **25** participants.

Venue:  
**STIRR**  
2803 Main St.  
Dallas, TX 75226

Please Join Us for an Ambu Educational Event

**Minimizing the Risk: Disposable Scopes in the GI Suite**  
Receive 1 CNE Credit Hour via Virtual Webinar

Microsoft Teams Virtual Meeting	Saturday January 16th 4:00pm - 5:00pm CST
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Ambu is the Leader in Single-Use Scopes. We have an extensive line of scopes, including our newest addition, the aScope Duodeno.

- Sterile, single-use
- Eliminate reprocessing and repairs to reduce costs
- Eliminate patient cross-contamination

Please join Ambu and NTSGNA for a Virtual Educational Event. Upon successful completion of the entire program and submission of a completed evaluation, participants will be granted 1 contact hour CNE. Q&A will take place after the presentation.

**Additional Details**

- You will receive a link with log on instructions via email prior to the event in order to view the presentation.
- An evaluation form will need to be completed after the event to receive credit for contact hours.
- Please contact Ambu GI Clinical Training Specialist, Taylor Smith, with any questions at [tasm@ambu.com](mailto:tasm@ambu.com) or 443-775-9840.

## IT'S TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP!!

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[ColonCancerCoalition.org](http://ColonCancerCoalition.org)



We regret to inform you of the passing of one of the founders of the North Texas SGNA, Patricia Crumlish. There will be an editorial about her/us in a future SGNA Journal.

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