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Dr. Nilay Mehta
MBBS, MD, DM, DNB

Dr. Nilay Mehta is a senior gastroenterologist and endoscopist. He is heading the department of gastroenterology at Zydus hospital. He has been an astute clinician, skilled GI endoscopist, a teacher and a mentor. He has written several book chapters as well as published articles. He has been a teaching faculty and demonstrator at various national and international teaching courses, conferences and live endoscopy events.

Educational Qualifications

- **DNB Gastroenterology:** National Board of Examinations, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India
- **DM Gastroenterology:** Seth GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai
- **MD Medicine:** BJ Medical College, Gujarat University
- **MBBS:** BJ Medical College, Gujarat University

Awards

- **GB Mankad "Gold Medal" and Certificate of Merit for securing First Rank in MD (Medicine) Examination, Gujarat University 1994**
- **GK Kamath Award for the best thesis in DM (Gastroenterology), '95-'96**
- **Merit Scholarship Award from University of Mumbai**

Fellowships

- Visiting Fellow at Virginia Mason Medical Center, Seattle 1999
- Visiting Fellow at Beth Israel Medical School, Howard Medical school, Boston 1999
- Senior Fellow in Therapeutic GI Endoscopy, SMS Endoscopy Center, Bhatia General Hospital 1997-98
- Senior Fellow in Gastroenterology and Hepatology, King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, Mumbai 19994-1996
- Resident Fellow, General Medicine and Subspecialties, New Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad 1991-1994

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Dr. Dhaivat Vaishnav
MS, DNB (Surgical Gastroenterology)

Dr. Dhaivat Vaishnav is presently associated with Zydus Hospital, Ahmedabad as full time Sr. Consultant - Surgical Gastroenterologist.

I am a well-qualified & skilled minimally invasive Gastrointestinal and Hepato-Biliary-pancreatic surgeon. Completed DNB (Surgical Gastroenterology) from the prestigious Lakeshore Hospital & Research Centre, Kochi, Kerala.

I have special interest in constantly upgrading my skills aiming at offering better services to the patients who reach out to me for care. I have been trained in minimally invasive laparoscopic & robotic surgery.

Professional Qualification

- **GI & HPB Fellowship**, University of Heidelberg, Germany
- Mentee of Pancreas India program
- Travel fellowship at Korean society laparoscopy surgery 2019
- Ex. Sr. Consultant department of GI surgery, GCS Medical Collage Ahmedabad
- Paper presentation publications at various national & International conferences & journals

Clinical Expertise

- Laparoscopic Eso-Gastro Surgery
- Colo- Rectal surgery
- Pancreatic disorders management
- Complex Gall bladder and Biliary surgery
- Liver surgery
- Complex Ano-rectal surgery
- Robotic GI and HPB Surgery

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Dr. Vishal Soni
Surgical Gastroenterologist &
Robotic Surgeon

Dr. Vishal Soni is currently associated with Zydus Hospital, Ahmedabad as Full Time Consultant - Surgical Gastroenterologist & Minimally invasive surgeon.

He is a dynamic surgeon with rich experience in the field of Gastro - Intestinal surgeries. He is an active member of numerous National & International surgical associations including Asia Pacific Hernia Society, European Hernia Society, Abdominal Wall Reconstruction Surgeons, Hernia Society of India.

He is specially trained in Robotic (Da Vinci Xi) & Laproscopic surgeries with a Fellowship & Diploma in Minimal access surgery. He has done Observer ship at The Bumrungrad International Hospital & Chulalongkorn University, Thailand - Dept of Colorectal Surgery & Digestive Disease Center.

Professional Qualification

- **Fellow of American College of Surgeon (FACS)**
- **Fellow of Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (FIAGES), IAGES**
- **Diploma and Fellowship in Minimal Access Surgery (MAS & FMAS)**
- **Fellowship in Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery (FALS) IAGES**
- **Fellow - GI Surgery & Liver Transplant, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi**
- **MS - SION Hospital, Mumbai**
- **MBBS - KEM, Mumbai**

Clinical Expertise

- Gastro - Intestinal and Colo - rectal Surgeries
- Gallbladder - Pancreatic Liver Surgery
- Hernia & Abdominal wall Reconstruction (Complex & Recurrent)
- Robotic Surgery
- Minimal Access Laparoscopic Surgery
- Trauma Surgery & Emergency Surgery
- Surgery for Pilonidal Sinus

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Dr. Hardik Kotecha
MD, DNB (Gastroenterology)

Dr. Hardik Kotecha is currently associated with Zydus Hospital, Ahmedabad as full time Consultant - Gastroenterologist.

He has rich experience in his field. He was awarded as Best student during DNB study at Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi.

He has special interest in Acute on Chronic liver failure, Fatty liver disease, Endoscopic Ultrasonography, Therapeutic Endoscopy including POEM, EMR, ESD, STER.

Professional Qualification

- **Fellow - Advanced Therapeutic Endoscopy**, Zhong Shan hospital, Fudan University, Shanghai, China
- **Sr. Fellow Transplant Hepatology**, Medanta the Medicity, Gurgaon, NCR
- **DNB (Gastroenterology and Hepatology)**, GRIPMER, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi
- **MD (Internal Medicine)**, Shri M. P. Shah Medical College, Jamnagar, Gujarat
- **MBBS**, Shri M. P. Shah Medical College, Jamnagar, Gujarat

Clinical Expertise

- Diagnostic and Therapeutic Endoscopy including advanced endoscopic procedures like EMR, ESD, STER, POEM, Endoscopic Necrosectomy
- Management of all forms of complex acute and chronic liver and pancreatic diseases
- Endosonography and guided therapeutic procedures
- Management of patients of Inflammatory Bowel diseases
- Transplant Hepatologist

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Dr. Pathik M Parikh
MD, DM (Gastroenterology)

Dr. Pathik Parikh is currently associated with Zydus Hospitals, Ahmedabad as Full Time Consultant-Gastroenterologist.

He has rich experience in the field of Hepatology. He has a special interest in treatment of Acute Liver Failure patients.

During his training, he has won many awards and honors and had secured highest marks in the state during his Gastroenterology training period and was awarded best super-specialist resident award in 2014. He was also awarded prestigious Dr. P. N Berry scholarship and J N TATA endowment scholarship in 2015. He has done special training in liver transplant from Mayo clinic, USA.

Professional Qualification

- **Fellow Liver Intensive Care**, King's College Hospital, London, UK
- **Fellow Hepatology & Liver Transplant**, Royal Free Hospital, London, UK
- **DM**, Lokmanya Tilak Municipal Medical College and Hospital, Mumbai
- **MD**, B.J. Medical College and Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad
- **MBBS**, B.J. Medical College and Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad

Clinical Expertise

- All types of liver and gastrointestinal disease related diagnostic and therapeutic work in form of consultancy, endoscopies and ERCP
- Inpatient and Intensive care management of acute liver failure (ALF) and acute on chronic liver failure (ACLF)
- Long term management and surveillance of chronic liver disease and pre and post-transplant management
- Management of portal hypertension and hepato-renal dysfunction
- Alcoholic liver disease, Fatty liver disease, hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, Acute viral hepatitis, autoimmune hepatitis, Wilson's disease, Vascular and metabolic liver diseases

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Dr Bhavin Patel
MS

Dr Bhavin Patel is presently associated with Zydus Hospital, Ahmedabad as full time Sr. Consultant - Surgical Gastroenterologist.

He has expertise in Gastro Intestinal, Hepato-Biliary–Pancreatic and advanced laparoscopic surgery. He is having experience of more than 10,000 major surgery both open and laparoscopic.

He has been trained extensively at world's best medical center like Heidelberg Germany, Memorial Sloan-Kettering cancer center, USA. He is also trained for Robotic Pancreatic surgery from UPMC, Pittsburg, USA.

Professional Qualification

- **GI & HPB Fellowship**, University of Heidelberg, Germany
- **MS**, Govt Medical Collage, Surat
- **MBBS**, Govt Medical Collage, Surat

Clinical Expertise

- All major Gastro-Intestinal & Colo-Rectal Surgery
- Hepato-Biliary-Pancreatic Surgery
- Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery
- Robotic GI Surgery, Pancreatic resection like Whipple's operation

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Dr. Tejas Modi
MD, DM (Gastroenterology)

Dr. Tejas Modi is presently associated with Zydus Hospital, Ahmedabad as full time Consultant - Gastroenterologist.

He has rich experience in treatment of Pancreas related disorders & Inflammatory bowel disease. He has special interest in treatment of Liver transplant patients.

He has various publications related to Budd Chiari Syndrome, Automative Hepatitis & GERD.

Professional Qualification:

- **DM**, Seth GS medical college, KEM Hospital, Mumbai
- **MD**, N.H.L .Municipal medical college, Ahmedabad
- **MBBS**, N.H.L .Municipal medical college, Ahmedabad

Clinical Expertise:

- GERD & Complications
- Functional Gastro intestinal (Irritable Bowel Syndrom)

Endoscopy

- Diagnostic & Therapeutic upper GI endoscopy & colonoscopy
- Endoscopic retrograde cholangio pancreaticogram (ERCP)
- Endoscopic ultrasound (EUS)
- Single balloon enteroscopy
- Capsule endoscopy

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Dr Ajay Choksey
MD, DM (Gastroenterology & Hepatology)

Dr Ajay Choksey is a consultant Gastroenterologist with over 18 years of experience in the field of medicine and more than 10 years of experience in the field of Gastroenterology with Indian and European board-certification. He has worked at various renowned institutes - BJ Medical college, LTMMC, Sion and BYL Nair Hospital Mumbai.

He performs various – diagnostic and therapeutic endoscopic procedures, Ercp and EUS. He has an experience of over 12,000 endoscopic procedures. He is the first gastroenterologist to bring motility studies to the state of Gujarat and performs Esophageal Manometry, Anorectal Manometry, and gives biofeedback therapy.

Professional Qualification

- **MBBS** from PDU Medical College in Rajkot.
- **DM Gastroenterology** From Maharashtra University of Health Sciences.
- He secured 99% in Step 1 and Step 2 of USMLE (United States Medical Licensing Examination). During his decade old practice, he has worked with some prestigious hospitals which include Civil Hospital in Ahmedabad as Junior Resident of Internal Medicine and Rotating Internship House Officer, BJ Medical College & Civil Hospital as Senior Resident-Internal Medicine, and Lokmanya Tilak Municipal Medical College & Lokmanya Tilak Municipal General Hospital as Resident in Gastroenterology and Medical Officer in the Department of Gastroenterology.

Clinical Expertise

- Management of acute and chronic liver diseases - cirrhosis
- Management of inflammatory bowel diseases
- Management of acute and chronic pancreatitis
- Diagnostic and therapeutic endoscopies, upper GI Endoscopy, Colonoscopy
- Management of Gastrointestinal bleeds
- Management of strictures
- Biliary and pancreatic ERCP
- Diagnostic and therapeutic EUS
- Esophageal and Anorectal Manometry, Biofeedback back therapy
- 24 Hr pH metry (impedance)