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Dr. Ashesh H. Sanghvi graduated from B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad, India in 1990 with distinction. He then completed his internship from Nassau County Medical Center, NY, and from there went on to do residency in Internal Medicine at The Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH. Before starting his subspecialty training in Gastroenterology, he worked as a Clinical Associate responsible for running the outpatient sigmoidoscopy unit at The Cleveland Clinic Foundation. He subsequently did his Gastroenterology & Hepatology training at Cook County Hospital/Rush University Medical Center, Chicago; with further advanced therapeutic endoscopy/gastroenterology training at the University of Chicago, gaining extensive experience in ERCP and Inflammatory bowel disease. After finishing his training in 1998, he moved to Yuma, in southwest Arizona to join a young GI practice in order to be close to the extended family. Over the next 16 years he worked tirelessly and helped the practice grow substantially providing state of art, full spectrum Gastroenterology and Hepatology in Southwest Arizona. He is highly proficient in advanced therapeutic endoscopic procedures including managing patients with severe gastrointestinal bleeding, advanced stomach and colon cancers, pancreatic/biliary cancers, bile duct stones, removal of large colon & rectal polyps, radiofrequency ablation, complex stricture dilations and bleeding complications due to cirrhosis of liver. He has extensive experience in basic endoscopic procedures including EGD, Colonoscopies for colorectal cancer screening & surveillance, and capsule endoscopy along with managing patients with chronic conditions like Ulcerative, Crohn's disease, chronic liver conditions including hepatitis C, cirrhosis of liver, chronic abdominal pain, GERD, Barrett's esophagus and Irritable bowel syndrome. Over the years he served as Vice Chairman, then Chairman of the Department of Medicine, and later as a member of the Quality committee at Yuma Regional Medical Center. He also works as an outside medical consultant for the Arizona Medical Board. After his wife and children moved to Phoenix in 2005, he maintained his weekly commute between the two cities until May 2014, continuing his practice in Yuma. When presented with the opportunity to join a very dynamic, progressive and highly talented group of physicians at Arizona Center for Digestive Health, providing tertiary level care in the southeast valley, he was very excited to take that position and continue his passion of Gastroenterology in his own 'backyard'.

CURRENT HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS

Banner Gateway Medical Center Gilbert, AZ	March 2014-Present
Mercy Gilbert Medical Center Gilbert, AZ	March 2014-Present
Chandler Regional Medical Center Chandler, AZ	March 2014-Present
Yuma Regional Medical Center Yuma, AZ	Sept 1998-Present

EDUCATION & POST GRADUATE TRAINING

Graduated from B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, with M.B. B.S degree	1984-1989
Rotating Internship, Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India.	July 1989-July 1990
Resident, Internal Medicine. State University Of New York at Stony Brook, Nassau County Medical Center, East Meadow, New York	July 1991-June 1993
Resident, Internal Medicine. Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland	July 1993-Dec 1994
Gastroenterology fellow. Rush University Medical School, Cook County Hospital, Chicago	July 1995-June 1997
Advanced Gastroenterology fellow. University of Chicago, Chicago	July 1997-June 1998

CERTIFICATION

Board Certified in Internal Medicine
Board Certified in Gastroenterology

1994 and 2004
1997 and 2007

STAFF APPOINTMENTS

Clinical Associate, Division of Gastroenterology;
Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland Ohio.
Responsible for running out patient Sigmoidoscopy unit.

Jan 1995-May 1995

Staff Gastroenterologist, Maricopa County Medical Center
Phoenix, AZ. Worked with in patient GI service and teaching
Internal Medicine residents

March 2009-2011

WORK EXPERIENCE

Yuma Gastroenterology PC, Yuma, AZ.
Extensive experience in treating all GI & Liver
related disorders with expertise in most endoscopic
procedures.

Sept 1998-May 2014

Arizona Center for Digestive Health, Gilbert Arizona

June 2014- present

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Vice Chair, Dept. of Medicine. Yuma Regional Medical
Center, Yuma, AZ.

Jan 2004-June 2005

Chairman, Dept. of Medicine, Yuma Regional Medical
Center, Yuma, AZ.

July 2005-Dec 2006

Member Quality Committee, YRMC.
Representing Dept. of Internal Medicine.

Aug 2013-May 2014

Served on the Yuma IPA board of directors.

Jan 2002-Dec 2003

Vice President, Yuma County Medical Society.

2011

MEDICAL LICENSURE

Arizona

California

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (ASGE)

American Gastroenterological Association (AGA)

American Association of Physicians of India Origin (AAPI)

Phoenix Society of Gastroenterology

Yuma County Medical Society

Arizona Medical Association (ArMA)