

Pancreatic cancer - Part 2

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This two-part educational course covers pancreatic cancer from clinical presentation and diagnosis through surveillance, treatment approaches, and emerging therapeutic options.

KEY POINTS

- Pancreatic cancer is a highly aggressive malignancy that is often asymptomatic in early stages, making early detection challenging, with risk factors including tobacco use and certain genetic mutations.
- Part one covers introduction to pancreatic cancer, clinical presentations, diagnostic workup, basic therapeutic approaches, and surveillance of patients with increased risk.
- Part two discusses implications of early diagnosis, challenges of screening the general population, treatment scenarios including the unclear role of neoadjuvant treatment, and emerging novel treatment options.
- The course is designed for gastroenterologists, medical students, general practitioners, nurses, dieticians, physicians of other specialties, and basic scientists in gastroenterology.

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