Happy 2025 CTSGNA!

Welcome all CTSGNA members.

We have several new members on our CTSGNA board this year. A Board Boot Camp was held in January. All the state meetings are lined up with speakers, contact hours and interesting topics. These virtual meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month at 6pm. Please go to the events page on our website to view the topics.

Our usually Hands on ERCP will be held later, at the end of year, in late fall. Our "Beyond The Scope" fall conference will be on September 27, 2025. So please save the date and tell your coworkers.

March is Colon Cancer Awareness month and GI Nurse and Associates Week. Please celebrate at your hospitals and outpatient centers. The theme this year for GI Nurse and Associates week is, "Gastrointestinal Guardians: Legacy of Excellence". This year the dates are March 16-22, 2025. Send us your photos for our newsletter and face book. We have asked for proclamations for these two events.

The "<u>52nd SGNA Annual Course</u>" is June 1-3, 2025 in Pittsburg, Pa. CTSGNA is offering four scholarships for this event, applications are due by March 20, 2025.

This is the fourth time I am serving as your CTSGNA president. It is always an exciting and educational experience.

Hope to see you all during the year.

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CTSGNA President 2025