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List of Abbreviations

AHA : American Heart Association

ASGE : American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy

ED : Emergency Department

EGD : Esophago-Gastro Duodenoscopy

FNA : Fine-Needle Aspiration

GI : Gastro Intestinal

GIE : Gastro Intestinal Endoscopy

ICU : Intensive Care Unit

IV : Intra Venous

NPO : Nothing Per Oss

NSAIDS : Non Steroidal Anti-Inflammatory Drugs

OR : Operating Room

PaCO₂: Partial Pressures Carbon Dioxide

PaO₂ : Partial Pressures of Oxygen

PEG : Percutaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy

PEG : PolyEthylene Glycol

SD : Stander Deviation

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Abstract

Background: Gastrointestinal (GI) endoscopes are devices used for the examination and treatment of the GI tract. The aim of this study is to determine the informational needs for patients undergoing gastrointestinal endoscopy in hospital at two countries and compare the informational needs for patients undergoing gastrointestinal endoscopy in hospital at two countries. **Design**: Comparative descriptive design ware used in this study. Setting: This study was conducted in gastrointestinal endoscopy unit at EL-Demerdash Hospital in Cairo, Arab republic of Egypt and gastrointestinal endoscopy unit at Al-Shefaa Hospital in Gaza Strip, Palestine. **Subjects**: A Purpose sample of 50 patients undergoing gastrointestinal endoscopy from each hospital included in the study. Tool: Gastrointestinal endoscopy was information needs assessment tool. Results: The current study found that there is a statistically significant difference between both groups of patients regarding total information needs about gastrointestinal endoscopy. **Conclusion**: There was a statistically significant difference between both groups of patients regarding total informational needs about gastrointestinal endoscopy. Recommendations: This study recommended to hold an educational program for nursing regarding the patient management before, during and after endoscopy procedures, and developing teaching program to improve knowledge of patients undergoing endoscopy.

Introduction

Gastrointestinal (GI) endoscopes are devices used for the examination and treatment of the GI tract. They have evolved from early rigid designs with limited capabilities to more sophisticated flexible instruments with advanced imaging capabilities, specialized features for advanced therapeutic interventions, and different designs to enable examination of specific areas of the gastrointestinal tract (American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy, 2011). Endoscopy is the best method for diagnosis and exclusion of mucosal inflammation, recurrent ulcers, and tumors after upper gastrointestinal surgery (Cotton, Williams, Hawes & Saunders, 2011).

Endoscopy like all invasive procedures carries significant potential risks for the patient. In practiced hands, and with awareness of the problems that may arise, many complications may be avoided and others successfully managed (*Dehal & Tessier*, 2014).

Endoscopy is a very safe procedure. However, there are some risks associated with the procedure and with the sedation used. The risks associated with the procedure range