



“FLUSHED” AWAY

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In the tradition of PSEM's continuing medical education, the St. Luke's Medical Center hosted the 60th PSEM Interhospital Grandrounds last November 19, 2009 held at Dolce Latta Café at Quezon Avenue, Quezon City.

The grandrounds featured a case of Carcinoid Syndrome, which was presented by its senior fellows, Dr. Estrellita D. Bitong, Dr. Cristina C. Chua and Dr. Danivic Jesus N. Ramirez. Resource speakers included Dr. Cherrie Gail G. Lumapas, adult endocrinologist of SLMC fellowship training program, Dr. Maximino Bello III, oncologist from SLMC and Dr. Roel Tolentino, surgical oncologist from SLMC.

The discussion highlighted the diagnostic approach, particularly the role of the different imaging modalities in the diagnosis of carcinoid syndrome and the new therapeutic options available for this rare yet important condition. *(Please see related featured article on Carcinoid syndrome on page 5)*

