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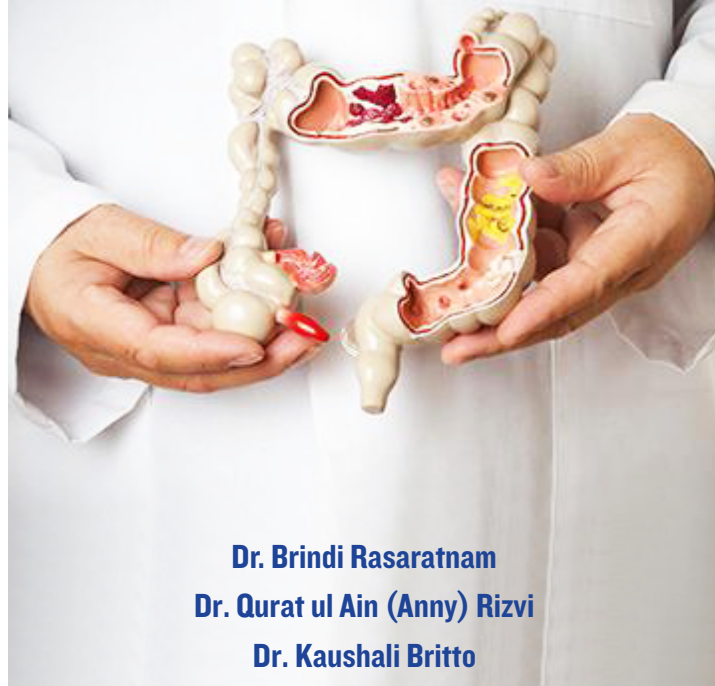
ABOUT

Our gastroenterology services offer patients a comprehensive range of diagnostic and therapeutic services with a focus on gastroscopy, colonoscopy and capsule endoscopy. Our team is dedicated to patient care and strives to make a patient's experience as comfortable as possible.

SERVICES

- Consultation
- Colonoscopy
- Capsule Endoscopy
- Intestinal Ultrasound
- Liver Fibrosis Ultrasound
- EUS
- ERCP
- Gastroscopy
- Breath Testing (Lactose/Fructose/Helicobacter)

COLITIS



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Colitis is the inflammation of the large intestine. There are different types of colitis. Ulcerative colitis and Crohn's disease is caused by an overactive immune system which targets the digestive tract; pseudomembranous colitis is caused by persistent infection from the bacterium *Clostridium difficile* in the intestine; and ischemic colitis is caused by restrictive blood flow to the colon.

Symptoms can include diarrhoea with or without blood, abdominal cramps, and dehydration from water loss because of numerous watery, bowel movements. Other organs can also be affected by the infection or the toxins that the bacteria can produce.

Treatment of Colitis depends on how severe the disease is. It usually includes medicines and changes in diet. A few people have symptoms that are long-lasting and severe, in some cases requiring more medicines or surgery.

You may need treatment in the hospital if you have severe ulcerative colitis or Crohn's disease. Treatment also includes replacing fluids and electrolytes lost because of severe diarrhoea.

