Our actions:

■ We finance Research projects & key laboratory equipment's





■ We give Research and international mobility grants for young clinicians and scientists

















■ We organize education and **Training events**

■ We work with patient associations to develop therapeutic education

programs for our patients



■ We foster related public events





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To KNOW MORE on

- Our missions and actions
- Our teams (expertises)
- How to help us

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The Institute of Digestive Diseases

- Nantes University Hospital -

Acting for digestive health



HEALTHCARE • RESEARCH • EDUCATION

DIGESTIVE DISEASES

DIGESTIVE CANCERS



NUTRITION & MICROBIOTA

NEUROGASTROENTEROLOGY & GUT BRAIN AXIS

INNOVATIVE DIAGNOSTIC & THERAPEUTICAL APPROACHES











Institute focused on Digestive Health

Created in 2005, the Institute of Digestive Diseases (IMAD), gathers in Nantes University Hospital, experts of digestive diseases, digestive cancers, and nutrition. Unique, The Institute brings together more than 350 persons: clinicians, surgeons, researchers, university professors, health care and research staff, and students.



The Institute includes 2 health-care units:

- Hepato-Gastro-Enterology, Digestive Oncology and Nutritional Assistance Department
 Dr J. Gournay
- Digestive and Endocrine Surgery Department Pr E. Mirallié

and 3 research units:

- Clinical Investigation Centre CIC-IMAD Dr Caroline Trang & Dr Emilie Duchalais
- Neurogastroenterology research unit TENS Inserm UMR 1235

Dr M. Neunlist

 Physiopathologie of Nutritional Adaptations research unit PhAN Inra UMR 1280
Dr P. Parnet

Our objective is to improve and develop better therapeutics and preventive approaches in digestive diseases

RESEARCH

The mission of the Institute is to bring better understanding of the mechanisms and regulations of the digestive system in healthy and pathological conditions, and to develop innovative approaches for detection and treatment of digestive diseases.

colon Surgery neuromodulation stomach stomach stomach capsule endoscopy intestine esophagus early detection mini-invasive nutrition neurogastroenterology innovation

KEY RESEARCH AREAS:

- DIGESTIVE DISEASES
- HEPATIC & DIGESTIVE CANCERS
- NEUROGASTROENTEROLOGY Gut-brain axis
- NUTRITION & MICROBIOTA
- INNOVATIVE DIAGNOSTIC & THERAPIES

EDUCATION & TRAINING

- •IMAD invites international key opinion leaders, dispenses European courses, offers specialized training for advanced medical students (eg. innovative endoscopic course) and participates in continuing education
- ■IMAD is recognized at the European level for the education of medical students by the medical international institutions in gastroenterology (UEG) and in digestive oncology (ESDO)
- **+ IMAD** works in close relation with Patient Associations and organizes special training for patients and their relatives.

Since 2008, the SantéDige Foundation has been sustaining the Institute in its missions



the **SantéDige** Foundation is bringing together industrial companies from different areas (nutrition, diagnostic device, pharmaceutical companies, and other). **The Foundation welcome new members**: companies willing to take part in significant progress in digestive health that are made for the patient's benefits.

Present founding members



Medtronic



















Areas of intervention

- **RESEARCH** programs
- diffusion of KNOWLEDGE
- EDUCATION training and seminars

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Members share common values and the importance of bringing clinicians and researchers together to accelerate medical progress.

Through its financial support, the SantéDige Foundation contributes to the set up of innovative research projects, educational events, student exchange programmes, and patient's training