



## BMGI WELCOMES GRACE H. SHIN, M.D

Dr. Shin will be joining Bux-Mont Gastroenterology in the fall of 2016. She graduated with honors from Bryn Mawr College with a chemistry degree. After receiving her medical degree from Temple University School of Medicine, she completed her residency in Internal Medicine at Albert Einstein's Montefiore Medical Center in Bronx, NY, where she then served as the chief medical resident. She returned back home to Philadelphia in 2012 for her gastroenterology training at Temple University Hospital, completing an additional year of training in Neurogastroenterology and GI Motility.



Dr. Shin loves all aspects of general gastroenterology and hepatology with a special clinical interest in women's health and GI motility. In her spare time, Dr. Shin enjoys music of all genres, trying out new recipes, and most of all, spending time with her husband and two beautiful girls. She is excited to be serving the region she calls home, and looks forward to partnering with her patients to provide the best care possible.

### New Breath Test Technology

We are pleased to announce that we have recently upgraded to a QuinTron Breath Tracker. This device analyzes breath specimens and assists in the diagnosis of multiple GI conditions, most notably small intestinal bacterial overgrowth and lactose intolerance. This machine can also assess for less common conditions including sucrose and fructose intolerance. QuinTron was established in 1962 and pioneered the use of chromatography for the diagnosis of gastrointestinal conditions. They are often considered the "gold standard" in diagnosis of bacterial overgrowth and other conditions via breath testing. Standard breath test equipment measures exhaled hydrogen following the ingestion of a test substrate. This new machine also measures exhaled methane, which helps to avoid false negative results.

Patients with these conditions often complain of nonspecific GI symptoms including bloating, loose stools, flatulence, dyspepsia and cramping. Without a thorough workup, these disorders could be inappropriately labeled as irritable bowel syndrome. We feel that the addition of this state of the art equipment will help us to more accurately diagnose and thoroughly treat our patients. If you have any questions about this machine or the related conditions, please feel free to contact our office or any of our providers. If you have a patient that might benefit from this testing, they can be referred for further evaluation with an office visit. If you prefer testing without office consultation, these tests can be performed directly with a prescription from your office.

### NEW SATELLITE OFFICE

BMGI is pleased to announce our expansion into Dublin.

The Grand View Harleysville Endoscopy Center will be temporarily closed from September 1, 2016 until July 1, 2017 due to construction. We will remain seeing patients in the Harleysville area as well as our Quakertown site.

#### Sellersville

1107 Bethlehem Pike, Sellersville

#### Quakertown

1021 Park Ave, Ste 30, Quakertown

#### Harleysville

484 Harleysville Pike, Harleysville

#### Dublin

174 N. Main Street, Dublin

**Please contact the Sellersville office at 215-257-3011 for appointments at all satellite offices.**

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