


Curriculum Vitae

Name	Kenji Watanabe	
Country	Japan	
Organization	Division of internal medicine, IBD Center, Hyogo College of Medicine Hospital	
Current Position	Director of Internal medicine, IBD Center. Associate professor	

Educational Background

1991 M.D. School of Medicine, Akita University, Japan

1999 Ph.D. Graduate School of Medicine, Osaka City University, Japan

Professional Experience

Medical practice for IBD patients (outpatients, inpatients); Colonoscopic examination including surveillance colonoscopy in IBD; Balloon assisted enteroscopy and endoscopic balloon dilatation in Crohn's disease
Patency capsule and capsule endoscopy in IBD; Endoscopic resection for neoplastic lesion; Therapeutic drug monitoring for biologics and immunomodulators; MR enterography in Crohn's disease; Principal investigators or protocol committees of investigator-initiated study; Central endoscopic readers of clinical trials

<Awards>

Best reviewer, Digestive Endoscopy (2012); Cornerstones Best of DDW (2014)

ECCO2016: Best investigator-initiated study Abstract Award 2016

DDW2016: ASGE Presidential Plenary, Presenter

AOCC2016 Best Abstract Award; AOCC 2017 Distinguished Investigator Award

Professional Organizations

American College of Gastroenterology (Fellow); American Gastroenterological Association
American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy; European Crohn's and Colitis Organization
Asian Organization for Crohn's and Colitis

Japanese Society of Internal Medicine (Councilor/Certified Member); Japanese Society of Gastroenterology (Councilor/Certified Specialist/Supervisor); Japanese Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy (Councilor/Certified Specialist/Supervisor) Japanese Gastroenterological Association (Councilor/Certified Specialist/Supervisor); Japan Society of Coloproctology (Councilor/Certified Specialist/Supervisor); Japanese Society of Mucosal Immunology (Councilor); Japan Society for Inflammatory Bowel Disease; Japanese Society of Small Intestinal Disease (Councilor); Japanese Association for Capsule Endoscopy (Councilor/Certified Specialist/Supervisor)

Committee member of guidelines for IBD, Japanese Society of Gastroenterology

Project member of treatment/diagnostic guidelines for IBD, Consensus guideline member of intestinal Behcet disease, Research group of intractable IBD, the Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare in Japan

Project member of clinical practice guidelines for enteroscopy, endoscopic balloon dilatation in Crohn's disease, Japanese Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy

Main Scientific Publications

- 1) Watanabe K, Motoya S, Ogata H, et al. Effects of vedolizumab in Japanese patients with Crohn's disease: A prospective, multicenter, randomized, placebo-controlled Phase 3 trial with exploratory analyses. *J Gastroenterol* (in press)
- 2) Watanabe K, Ohmiya N, Nakamura M, Fujiwara Y. A Prospective Study Evaluating the Clinical Utility of the Tag-Less Patency Capsule with Extended Time for Confirming Functional Patency. *Digestion* (in press)
- 3) Watanabe K, Matsumoto T, Hisamatsu T, et al; DIAMOND study group. Clinical and pharmacokinetic factors associated with adalimumab-induced mucosal healing in patients with Crohn's disease. *Clinical Gastroenterology and Hepatology* 16: 542-549, 2018

The others more than 100 publications
