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**Target audience:** Members of the medical staff all subspecialties, medical residents and students.

**Learning objectives:**

* Describe how adequate resuscitation is the single most important step in the management of non-variceal upper gastrointestinal bleeding. The hemoglobin goal is 7mg/dl
* Discuss how urgent endoscopy without adequate resuscitation does not benefit and can harm patients with non-variceal gastrointestinal bleeding
* Review H. Pylori testing in the setting of acute non-variceal upper gastrointestinal bleeding is prone false-negative results of up to 50%

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