Dr. Allan G. Coates, D.O.
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“We use the mcompass in the office on a daily basis, our patients all find the procedure extremely tolerable and without complaints,” says Allan G. Coates, D.O. a primary investigator at West Michigan Clinical Research Center for the past 20 years. He received his medical degree at Des Moines University College of Osteopathic medicine in 1980. He completed his residency in internal medicine at Metropolitan Hospital in Grand Rapids and his Gastroenterology fellowship at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. He is board certified in both internal medicine and gastroenterology.

Since purchasing the mcompass, Gastroenterology Associates of Western Michigan have performed about 40 anorectal manometry tests a month. “mcompass was very easy to implement into our practice. The training and support are very helpful. Within a matter of four months we were already starting to see a return on investment,” says Dr. Coates. “The quality of our reports have been excellent and the value to our practice has been incredible.”

Gastroenterology Associates of Western Michigan had been looking for a solution for bowel control issues, after searching through several options, they landed on the mcompass anorectal manometry system. “Because we have mcompass in our office, we have developed a bowel control program for our patients.” Dr. Coates adds “mcompass allow us to further define our patients with dyssynergic defecation and chronic constipation into various treatment protocols.”

When asked how likely it would be to recommend the mcompass, Dr. Coates states, “at this time, I would feel free recommending mcompass to any provider who has an interest in either fecal incontinence or chronic constipation.”