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Basic Surgical Skills Workshop

18 February 2023, Saturday | 8.30am to 12.30pm
Academia, Basement 1, Procedural Skills Lab 1A

20 College Road, Singapore 169856 (Located in SGH Campus)

INTRODUCTION

Surgical residents and trainees are expected to be competent in performing a range of basic surgical skills prior to commencing more advanced surgical training. These skills are not specifically covered during medical school nor often are there opportunities in the operating theatre for these skills to be demonstrated and practiced. Thus there is a need to provide an environment where such techniques and skills can be learned through a structured curriculum.

The workshop has been running since 2009 and the faculty is composed of a select group of surgeons, each with a wide range of knowledge and experience in teaching. SSSC trains more than 30 trainees in Basic Surgical Skills each year.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

The aim of this workshop is to provide a structured curriculum to teach the correct basic surgical techniques and to instill in the trainees the best habits at the beginning of a surgeon's training.

A pre-course on-line electronic learning module consisting of a series of lectures must be read prior to attending the course. The course is held over one day and is made up of a series of demonstrations and extensive hands-on sessions. Techniques are practiced using a combination of synthetic models, pork tissue and laparoscopic simulators.

At the end of the workshop, trainees will be able to demonstrate the correct basic surgical techniques and appreciate the theoretical and practical knowledge of basic surgical procedures.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Strongly recommended as a mandatory programme for all surgical residencies, i.e. General Surgery, Orthopaedics, Otolaryngology, Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Hand Surgery, Plastic and Urology
- House Officers, Residents, Medical Officers
- Clinicians who seek to equip themselves with good basic surgical techniques.
- Attendees will be working with pig tissue. The risk of Hepatitis E transmission is minimal if proper precautions are observed but it is recommended that pregnant women should avoid working directly with any pig material.

REGISTER BY 14 JAN 2023

Course Fee: **S$86.40**
(GST Inclusive)
(After 80% Subsidy from Surgery ACP)
Eligible for SingHealth staff only

- Priority will be given to SingHealth Surgical Trainees
- Course commencement is subjected to minimum class size of 10
- Certificate of Attendance will be issued to those who attend 75% of the workshop
- CME Points:
(Application in progress)

For registration, email your name, institution, department and contact details to **sims.sssc@singhealth.com.sg**

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E-LEARNING

There is an e-learning component to be done as a pre-requisite to the hands-on session. The materials will be made available to you 2 weeks prior to the course date.

Do note that you will **not be allowed** to attend the hands-on session if you do not complete your e-learning.

HANDS-ON SESSION (18 FEB 2023)

Time	Topic
0815 – 0830	Registration
0830 – 0900	Knots & Knot Tying
0900 – 1000	Excision Biopsy & Wound Closure
1000 – 1015	Break
1015 – 1115	Vascular Anastomosis
1115 – 1215	Bowel Anastomosis

COURSE DIRECTOR

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REGISTRATION FORM

SECTION A: REGISTRATION FEE (GST Inclusive)

- ❑ Basic Surgical Skills Workshop : S$86.40 **(After 80% Subsidy from Surgery ACP)**
- ❑ Basic Surgical Skills Workshop : **S$432.00 (Normal Rate)**

SECTION B: PERSONAL PARTICULARS

Name : _____
(Name indicated will be reflected in the certificate upon course completion)

Institution : _____
(as of course date)

Job Designation : _____

Department : _____
(as of course date)

Professional Reg. No : _____

Contact No : _____

Email : _____

Meals : ❑ Kindly tick for Vegetarian option
(Food provided is Halal certified)

Vaccination Status : ☑ Pax must be fully vaccinated (if not contraindicated)
Proof of vaccination might be required to be shown on course day.

For Non-SingHealth Staff and Residents only:

❑ By ticking this box and providing the information set out here, I hereby;
- consent to disclose my personal data for the delivery of the courses/programmes I have registered with SingHealth Duke-NUS Institute of Medical Simulation (SIMS), as well as for the dissemination of marketing materials on upcoming events.
- confirm that I have read and understood the SingHealth Data Protection Policy, which is made available at http://www.singhealth.com.sg/pdpa (hard copies are also available upon request).
- understand that I can email sims.sssc@singhealth.com.sg to withdraw my consent on the disclosure / usage of my personal data and that the request would be processed in two calendars weeks.
- confirm that my consent and/or withdrawal herein does not supersede or replace any other consents which I may have provided to SingHealth and its related corporations and authorised service providers, and are additional to any rights which SingHealth may have at law, to collect, use or disclose.

SECTION C: PAYMENT METHOD

☐ INTERNET BANKING ☐ INVOICE *(Company sponsored)*

SECTION D: CANCELLATION AND POSTPONEMENT POLICY

Informed SIMS (in writing / email)	**Amount refundable:**	
More than **1 months** from course date	Full refund	Informed by **14 January 2023**
Less than **1 months** from course date	No refund	Informed after **14 January 2023**

- Replacement of eligible participants is allowed.
- SIMS reserves the right to cancel the course and fully refund the participants should unforeseen circumstances necessitate it.

Please send your registration form to *sims.sssc@singhealth.com.sg*