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NEW INSIGHTS IN PROLAPSE SURGERY: VAGINAL AND LAPAROSCOPIC ROUTES

2019

ADVANCED COURSE

OCTOBER 28-30

COURSE DIRECTOR

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COURSE OBJECTIVES

- To review the pathophysiology of the urogenital prolapse
- To learn about the current preoperative work-up
- To review all the current laparoscopic techniques available
- To know about current vaginal techniques
- To learn the results and compare the laparoscopic and vaginal ways
- To practice the basics of dissection and to master suturing techniques
- To learn all the operative maneuvers in both global and specific approaches to pelvic floor disorders

EDUCATIONAL METHODS

- Interactive theoretical and video sessions between Faculty and course participants
- Live operative demonstrations
- Practical training on live tissue (mini-pigs) and pelvic trainers

GYNECOLOGICAL SURGERY

MONDAY
OCTOBER 28

8-15 AM

Registration and welcoming of participants

8-30 AM

THEORETICAL SESSION

- About prolapse
 - Descriptive and functional pelvic anatomy
 - Defining anatomy: new insights from imaging
 - Laparoscopic anatomical route
 - Preoperative work-up: what should be done in all cases
- About laparoscopy
 - General considerations in endoscopic surgery
 - Room set-up
 - Ergonomics
 - Laparoscopic suturing
- About vaginal route
 - General considerations in endoscopic surgery
 - Room set-up
 - Ergonomics

1-00 PM

Lunch at the Institute

2-00 PM

PRACTICAL SESSION ON PELVIC TRAINER

- Laparoscopic suturing

4-30 PM

THEORETICAL SESSION

- About meshes
 - Towards the perfect mesh
- About philosophy

6-00 PM

End of session

8-00 PM

Dinner in honor of participants

TUESDAY
OCTOBER 29

8-15 AM

Evaluation of the previous day

8-30 AM

LIVE OPERATIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

- Laparoscopic repair of pelvic prolapse
- Vaginal repair of pelvic prolapse

11-00 AM

THEORETICAL SESSION

- Does the right mesh exist?
- Prosthesis or not in prolapse repair
- Global versus site-specific repair
- Current techniques for stress incontinence
- Comparative and critical review of the results of the different techniques for GSUI

1-00 PM

Lunch at the Institute

2-00 PM

TRAINING ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)

- Mesh suturing, stapling and anchoring
- Nephrectomy and vascular dissection
- Ureter dissection, division, and re-anastomosis

6-00 PM

End of session
Evening free

WEDNESDAY
OCTOBER 30

8-15 AM

Evaluation of the previous day

8-30 AM

THEORETICAL SESSION

- Laparoscopic central cystocele repair: technique and results
- Paravaginal repair: techniques and results
- Laparoscopic rectocele repair: techniques and results
- Vaginal approach of pelvic prolapse with meshes
- Place of hysterectomy in pelvic floor disorders treatment

10-00 AM

LIVE OPERATIVE DEMONSTRATIONS

- Laparoscopic repair of pelvic prolapse
- Vaginal repair of pelvic prolapse

12-30 PM

Lunch at the Institute

1-30 PM

TRAINING ON LIVE TISSUE (MINI-PIGS)

5-00 PM

End of course

Delivery of certificates of attendance

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