

Intensive Revision Course for MRCS Part A (International Chapter)

22nd and 23rd February 2017, Dhow Palace Hotel, Dubai

Programme

DAY 1: SURGICAL AND APPLIED ANATOMY (AND RELEVANT PATHOLOGY)

0830 – 0850	Registration and Coffee
0850 – 0900	Introduction to the course
0900 – 0930	Pre-course assessment
0940 – 1030	Brachial plexus, arm, shoulder, scapula, back and rotator cuff (includes upper limb nerve injuries, palsies and shoulder pathologies)
1030 – 1100	Cubital fossa, forearm, flexor retinaculum and hand (includes carpal tunnel syndrome, ulnar nerve palsies, hand pathologies)
1100 – 1120	Break for refreshments
1120 – 1145	Neck
1145 – 1215	Scalp and face
1215 – 1300	Mediastinum, Heart, Lungs and Diaphragm
1300 – 1400	Lunch
1400 – 1430	Thoracic wall; Vascular anatomy of thorax, head and neck and thorax (includes vascular access and chest drain insertion)
1430 – 1530	Transpyloric plane, anterior abdominal wall and inguinal region (includes hernia)
1530 – 1600	Break for refreshments
1600 – 1630	Abdominal and pelvic anatomy (includes bowel pathologies and segmental bowel resections)
1630 – 1700	Lumbar and lumbosacral plexus
1700 – 1730	Femoral triangle, thigh, popliteal fossa; Lower leg, ankle and foot (includes lower limb nerve injuries, palsies, compartment syndrome and ankle injuries)
1730 – 1745	Summary and Feedback
1800	End of Course

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DAY 2: SURGICAL PATHOLOGY, PRINCIPLES OF SURGERY AND APPLIED SURGICAL SCIENCES

0830 – 0850	Registration and Coffee
0850 – 0900	Introduction to the day
0900 – 0930	Pre-operative assessment
0930 – 1000	Post-operative management
1000 – 1045	Management of Trauma
1045 – 1115	Break for refreshments
1115 – 1150	Management of burns
1150 – 1215	Fundamentals of wound healing
1215 – 1230	Principles of Local Anaesthetics
1230 – 1245	Sutures, needles and suture materials
1245 – 1300	Lumps and benign lesions
1300 – 1400	Lunch
1400 – 1500	Tumours of colon, prostate, thyroid and breast
1500 – 1530	Skin cancers including melanoma
1530 – 1600	Ulcers, vascular pathology, thrombus and embolus
1600 – 1620	Break for refreshments
1620 – 1700	Management of Head Injury
1700 – 1800	Critical care physiology
1800 – 1815	Summary and Feedback
1815	End of Course