

Start	End	Topic	Speakers
07:30	07:40	Welcome and assignment to groups	Joan Melendez-Munoz
07:40	09:00	Split into Groups A & B	Joan Melendez-Munoz Elisabetta Costantini David Atallah Bruno Deval Arvind Vashisht Natalia Price Jerome Melon Mathew Izett-Kay
09:00	09:30	Break	None
09:30	10:30	Split into Groups A & B	Joan Melendez-Munoz Elisabetta Costantini David Atallah Bruno Deval Arvind Vashisht Natalia Price Jerome Melon Mathew Izett-Kay

Aims of Workshop

Laparoscopic approach to pelvic floor surgery has seen interesting new developments in the recent years, specially with the mesh-stop policy in some countries. This has encouraged clinicians to use modified techniques on classical operations or use new different materials used to correct pelvic floor problems.

We want to provide an update on the current trends on laparoscopic surgical techniques and offer an opportunity to the delegates to gain an insight on what options are available.

Attendants will learn on pelvic floor anatomy for laparoscopy, what to do in case of pelvic organ prolapse recurrence, how to correct prolapse without mesh or how to correct incontinence laparoscopically through the Burch colposuspension.

Educational Objectives

We aim to offer an overview on surgical anatomy and key techniques to approach different pelvic floor problems laparoscopically.

Understanding the need to offer mesh-free alternatives to incontinence and prolapse, this workshop will cover meshless techniques to correct uterovaginal prolapse and laparoscopic colposuspension.

We will also cover different uterus-sparing techniques.

The delegates will also have an opportunity to practice laparoscopic suturing with the direct supervision of the experienced faculty.

There will be 2 groups that will alternate theoretical and practical sessions.

Learning Objectives

Training laparoscopic suturing

Target Audience

Urogynaecology and Female & Functional Urology

Advanced/Basic

Intermediate

Suggested Learning before Workshop Attendance

Sacrocolpopexy for pelvic organ prolapse: evidence-based review and recommendations.

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Surgery for women with apical vaginal prolapse.

Maher C, Feiner B, Baessler K, Christmann-Schmid C, Haya N, Brown J.
Cochrane Database Syst Rev. 2016 Oct 1;10(10):CD012376

Laparoscopic lateral suspension for pelvic organ prolapse: A systematic literature review.

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