

# Intercollegiate Basic Surgical Skills Course

21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2022

Manchester Surgical Skills and Simulation Centre, Stopford Building, Manchester

## Course Programme – Day 1

- 0840 Registration
- 0900 Introduction
- 0910 Gowning and Gloving
- 0940 Handling Instruments
- 1015 Knots (1) – Reef Knot, Instrument Tie Assessment

### 1100 Coffee Break

- 1115 Knots (2) – Surgeons Knots, Tie at Depth Assessment
- 1200 Suturing – Needle Manipulation and Driving, Interrupted, Sub-Cuticular, Vertical Mattress Assessment

### 1300 Lunch Break

- 1345 LA Techniques  
Skin Lesions and Sebaceous Cyst
- 1430 Fine Tissue Handling (1) – Tendon Repair, Assisted

### 1515 Coffee Break

- 1530 Wound Management – Abscess Drainage, Debriding Traumatic Wound
- 1615 Diathermy (Practical or Seminar)
- 1700 Question and Answer Session

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## Course Programme – Day 2

0830 Registration

0900 Skills Consolidation/OSAT

1000 Abdominal Incision and Closure

1100 Haemostasis, Ligation in Continuity, Pedicle Ligation, Transfixion

**1145 Coffee Break**

1200 End to End Bowel Anastomosis – Interrupted, Instrument Tied Knots

**1315 Lunch Break**

1400 Fine Tissue Handling (2) – Vein Patch Exercise, Assisted

1515 Introduction to Laparoscopic Surgery

1530 Laparoscopic Exercises – Visualisation Tasks, Various Scope Angles,  
Use of Coaxial Instruments, Manipulation of Non-Coaxial Instruments

1645 Question and Answer Session