

15th FRCS (General Surgery) Exit Exam Preparation Course

10th - 12th January 2020
The Christie, Manchester

Programme

**Day 1 (Auditorium, Education Centre, The Christie)
Friday, 10th January 2020**

0815 – 0845	Registration and Coffee
0845 – 0900	Welcome and Introduction
0900 – 0930	Format of the FRCS Section 2
0930 – 1115	Vascular Surgery
1115 – 1130	Coffee Break
1130 – 1215	Bleeding and Thrombosis: Surgical Relevance
1215 – 1300	Colorectal including Emergency Surgery
1300 – 1345	Lunch
1345 – 1445	Upper GI (Benign and Malignant)
1445 – 1545	Liver and Gallbladder

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1545 – 1600

Coffee Break

1600 - 1700

Pancreas

(All speciality topics to be case-based discussions)

Close of Day 1

**Day 2 (Integrated Patient Unit, The Christie)
Saturday, 11th January 2020**

0800 – 0930

Critique An Article and Overview of Basic Statistics (Discussion)

0930 – 0945

Format of Clinical Vivas

0945 – 1115

General Vivas [1hr viva (15min x 4 candidates) + 30 min discussion]

1115 – 1130

Coffee Break

1130 – 1300

Emergency and Critical Care Vivas [1hr viva (15min x 4 candidates) + 30 min discussion]

1300 – 1350

Lunch

1400 – 1530

Subspeciality Vivas [1hr viva (15min x 4 candidates) + 30min discussion]

1530 – 1600

Coffee Break (Articles will be given to the delegates to critique)

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1600 – 1730 **Academic and Basic science (15min x 4 candidates) + 30 min discussion]**

Close of Day 2

Course Dinner: 1830 hours. Venue will be informed on the day.

**Day 3 (am - Education Centre; pm - Integrated Patient Unit)
Sunday, 12th January 2020**

0800 – 0930 **Critical Care for Surgeons**

0930 – 1040 **Breast**

1040 – 1055 Coffee Break

1055 – 1200 **Thyroid Diseases**

1200 – 1245 Lunch

1245 – 1700 **Clinical Case Presentations (Long and Short Cases) with Discussion**

1700 **End of Course**

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