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Common Elective and Emergency Procedures in General Surgery

Feedback - July 2025

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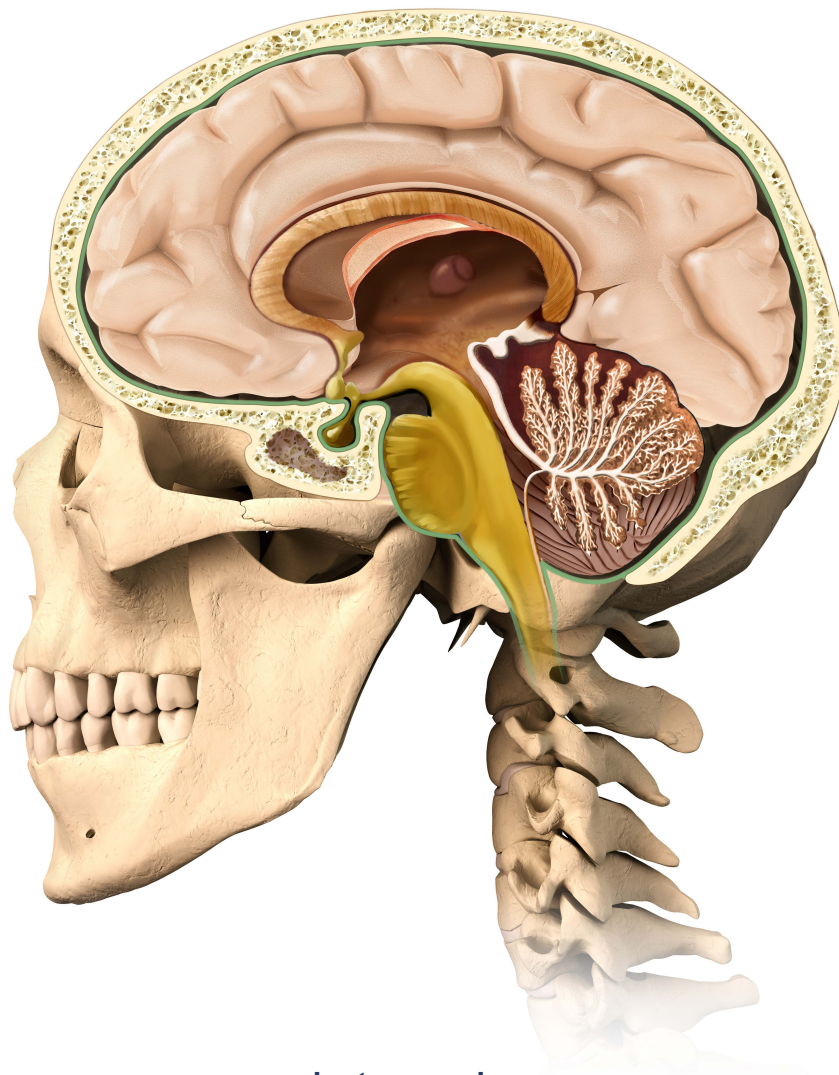
This intensive, hands-on one-day fresh frozen cadaver course was designed to provide general surgical trainees with direct experience of performing a range of fundamental open procedures. Using unembalmed fresh frozen cadavers, this course offered realistic, high-fidelity surgical conditions to replicate the anatomy, tissue texture, and operative challenges encountered in real clinical settings.

Prior to the practical component, delegates were required to attend a virtual session (held via Zoom) on the evening (1830-2030 hours) of Friday 25th July. This theoretical session covered the surgical anatomy, clinical indications, step-by-step operative techniques, common intraoperative challenges, and technical refinements relevant to each procedure.

On the day of the course, delegates rotated through dedicated operative stations, each led by experienced faculty. A high faculty-to-delegate ratio ensured close supervision, direct feedback, and step-by-step instruction.

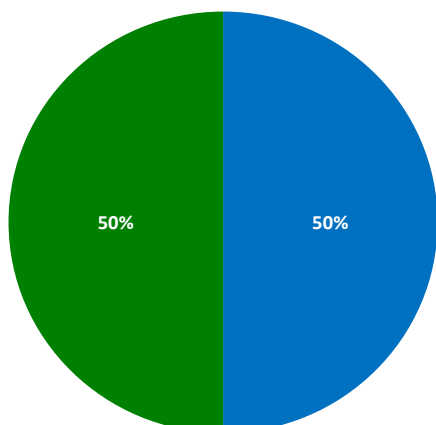
Course Information

Venue:	Department of Anatomy, School of Biosciences, Cardiff University
Date:	29th July 2025
Attendance:	8 Delegates
Aimed at:	Post-MRCS Level Advanced Core Trainees or Equivalent (CT2 or above); General Surgery Registrars (ST3–ST5) or Equivalent Level of Training
Course Fee :	£350.00



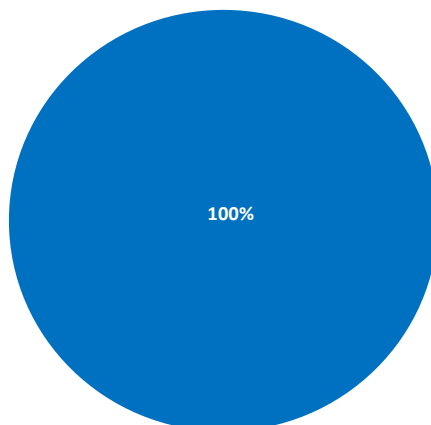
Overall Feedback

Did you think this learning opportunity was beneficial for the trainees and would have enhanced their operative anatomy?



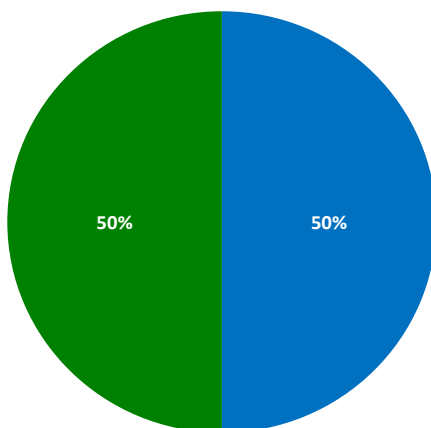
■ Most Certainly ■ Certainly ■ Neutral ■ Don't Think So ■ Not At All

Did you think there was sufficient time for the trainees to carry out all the relevant procedures?



■ Most Certainly ■ Certainly ■ Neutral
■ Just Enough Time ■ Not Enough Time

What did you think about the facilities, refreshments and lunch?



■ Excellent ■ Very Good ■ Neutral ■ Poor ■ Very Poor

Individual Comments

Amazing Mentors. Guide you at the basic level. Will definitely help in future.

SQ

Very good opportunity to attend a cadaver course. So thank you for organising.

CC

Whipps Cross University Hospital, London

Well organised and structured course with relevant material.

HE

Royal Shrewsbury Hospital, Shrewsbury

Excellent teachers and course facilitators providing feedback and encouragement. Good choice of procedures taught.

WB

The Grange University Hospital, Cwmbran

Hands on operating experience with good tutor-to-trainee ratio Good range of procedures performed Informative webinar session prior to cadaveric training day.

WL

Royal Stoke University Hospital, Stoke-on-Trent

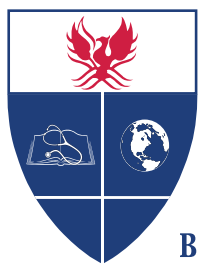
Not rushed to complete procedures.

JG

Morriston Hospital, Swansea

Open to the training needs of trainees, enough time to operate.

JL



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