

The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh

Future Surgeons: Key Skills

6th November 2020
Apollo Buckingham Health Science Campus, Crewe

Programme

0830	Registration
0840	Introduction and Essential Principles of Surgery
0900	Gowning and Gloving
0930	Handling Instruments
1000	Knot-Tying (1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reef Knot • Instrument Tie

1045 - 1105

Refreshment Break

1110	Knot-Tying (2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Surgeon's Knot • Tying at Depth
1150	Excision of a lesion and simple suturing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mounting a scalpel • Needle handling and positioning • Needle manipulation • Excision of a lesion • Simple interrupted sutures • Vertical mattress sutures • Horizontal mattress sutures • Removal of sutures

1300 - 1335

Lunch Break

1340	Further suturing techniques: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuous suturing • Subcuticular suturing
1410	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local anaesthesia technique • Excision of a cyst • Drainage of an abscess • Wound debridement
1515	Diathermy - Theory and Demonstration
1545	Laparoscopy Skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hand-Eye Co-Ordination • Polo Mints Exercise • Sugar Cubes Exercise
1645	Question and Answer Session
1700	Feedback and Close