

# Advanced MIS Approaches in Inguinal & Ventral Hernia



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# → DAY 01

TIME	TOPIC
08:00 – 09:00	<b>INGUINAL HERNIA: The Basics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Anatomy &amp; Classification</li><li>▶ What do the Guidelines Say</li><li>▶ The Perfect MIS Repair</li><li>▶ Q&amp;A</li></ul>
09:00 – 11:00	<b>INGUINAL HERNIA: Live / Pseudo-live Cases</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ TAPP</li><li>▶ TEP</li><li>▶ eTEP</li></ul>
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:30 – 13:15	<b>INGUINAL HERNIA: Controversies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Emergencies: Strangulation, Obstruction, Infected Fields</li><li>▶ Abandon-the-Sac Techniques</li><li>▶ Defect Closure</li><li>▶ Prior Preperitoneal Surgeries</li><li>▶ Reducing Costs</li><li>▶ Managing Complications</li><li>▶ Q&amp;A</li></ul>
13:15 – 14:00	<b>Lunch</b>
14:00 – 14:30	<b>Robotics in AWS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Robotics in Abdominal Wall Surgery</li></ul>
14:30 – 14:45	<b>Transition to Lab</b>
14:45 – 18:00	<b>Animal Lab – INGUINAL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ TAPP</li><li>▶ Bowel Anastomosis / Suturing</li><li>▶ Ureter Identification / Suturing / Stenting</li></ul>

# → DAY 02

TIME	TOPIC
08:00 – 09:20	<b>VENTRAL HERNIAS: The Basics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Anatomy &amp; Function of the Abdominal Wall</li><li>▶ IPUM</li><li>▶ TAPP / PeTEP</li><li>▶ TARUP / eTEP</li><li>▶ Mesh Choices</li><li>▶ Fixation Options</li><li>▶ Guidelines &amp; Algorithms</li><li>▶ Q&amp;A</li></ul>
09:20 – 09:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>
09:45 – 12:00	<b>VENTRAL HERNIAS: Live / Pseudolive Cases</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ IPUM</li><li>▶ TAPP/eTEP</li><li>▶ TARUP/eTEP</li></ul>
12:00 – 13:00	<b>VENTRAL HERNIAS: Diastasis Recti</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Definition / Classification / Indications</li><li>▶ MIS Options</li><li>▶ Plastic Surgery Adjuncts</li><li>▶ Q&amp;A</li></ul>
13:00 – 13:45	<b>Lunch</b>
13:45 – 14:45	<b>VENTRAL HERNIAS: Atypical Defects</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Subxiphoid</li><li>▶ Lateral / Flank</li><li>▶ Suprapubic</li><li>▶ Parastomal</li></ul>
14:45 – 15:00	<b>Transition to Lab</b>
15:00 – 18:00	<b>Animal Lab – VENTRAL</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ IPUM</li><li>▶ SCOLA</li></ul>

# → DAY 03

TIME	TOPIC
08:00 – 08:45	<b>AWR: Myofascial Releases - A Step-by-Step Surgical Guide</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Anterior Component Separation</li><li>▶ Transversus Abdominis Release</li><li>▶ Q&amp;A</li></ul>
08:45 – 10:30	<b>COMPLEX HERNIAS: Video Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ TAR</li><li>▶ Flank Hernia</li><li>▶ Parastomal Hernia</li></ul>
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11:00 – 12:30	<b>COMPLEX HERNIAS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Definition and Optimization</li><li>▶ Enterocutaneous Fistulas &amp; Infected Fields</li><li>▶ Loss of Domain Strategies</li><li>▶ Post-operative Complications &amp; Management</li><li>▶ Plastic Surgery Tips for AWR</li><li>▶ Q&amp;A</li></ul>
12:30 – 01:00	<b>Plenary Lecture: Future Trends in Hernia Surgery</b>
01:00 – 01:15	<b>Closing Remark &amp; Certificate distribution</b>

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