

Fellowship in

Advanced Laparoscopic



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**APRIL** 



SARASWATHY HOSPITAL PARASSALA

Venue:

**GS Convention Centre** Kurumkutty, Parassala

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Dear Esteemed Friends and Colleagues,

We are thrilled to extend our heartfelt invitation to you for FALS HERNIA 2024 THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, set to take place from April 5th to April 7th. FALS HERNIA 2024 offers a unique fellowship tailored for practicing Laparoscopic Surgeons, proudly presented by the esteemed Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES), India's premier and largest organization of Minimal Access Surgeons.

The distinguished venue for this enlightening event is Saraswathy Hospital, Parassala - a prestigious 150-bed NABH accredited Multi-Specialty Hospital, recognized for its excellence in Minimal Access & Bariatric surgeries.

Accommodation for Delegates and Faculties is arranged at Isola Di Coco Beach Resort Poovar, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala at special Rates.

As part of the event, we cordially invite you to join us for a splendid gala dinner at the venue. Your accommodation is meticulously arranged at a location that promises both relaxation and the opportunity to indulge in the beauty of Poovar beach.

We earnestly urge you to actively participate in this enriching experience by registering for the course. Come join us and immerse yourself in the warmth of hospitality while indulging in an academic feast.

Yours Sincerely,



**Organising Secretary** Dr. S.K. AJAIYA KUMAR



Organising Chairman Dr. K. MOHANDAS



Treasurer **Dr. JAYAN STEPHEN** 

Co-ordinators:

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**PARASSALA** 

Venue: **GS Convention centre** Kurumkutty, Parassala



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#### **REGISTRATION DETAILS**

FELLOWSHIP COURSE FEE (MEMBERS ONLY)
TILL MARCH 15™: ₹ 20,000/- + GST

AFTER MARCH 15<sup>TH</sup>: ₹ 21,500/- + GST

NO SPOT REGISTRATION FOR FALS CANDIDATES

DELEGATES FOR CME: ₹ 6,000/- + GST

AFTER MARCH 15™ : ₹ 6,500/- + GST

For Online payment Click Here / Scan





For Accommodation please contact:

ISOLA DI COCO BEACH RESORT POOVAR, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM KERALA

Please Contact: Mr. Praveen © +91 9567776644, 0471 2210800 (Free transportation is arranged for delegates from Isola resort to venue)

- 1. Spot registration available only for delegates. No Spot registration for "FALS HERNIA 2024" candidates.
- 2. Those who are non IAGES members may apply for membership online. See the website www.iages.in for more details. Please Pay ₹ 8,260/- (Registration Fees ₹ 7,000/- + 18% GST ) as Membership fees. After submitting this form, you will be directed to the Payment gateway and on successful completion, your registration will be automatically accepted. Incase of Payment failure please follow the prompts appropriatly to make attempt to complete payment process. On successful payment membersip number will be available and the necessary communication will be received from the Honorary Secretary's Office.
- 3. "FALS HERNIA 2024" course fee can be transferred to our account electronically RTGS / NEFT PAYMENTS DETAILS: A/C No. 120027470742, A/C Name: FALS HERNIA 2024, CANARA BANK, PARASSALA BRANCH, IFSC Code: CNRB0003580 Please email scanned copies of pay in slip/Transaction details to falsherniatvm2024@gmail.com, alternatively you may visit www.saraswathyinstitutions.com
- 4. Documents should be mailed to the Conference Secretariat.
- $5. \ \ Application form can also be downloaded from the website: {\tt www.saraswathyinstitutions.com}$

# **FALS HERNIA Guidelines**

(Fellowship of Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery)

#### **About FALS Fellowship Course**

This course is to train senior or advanced laparoscopic surgeons and to keep the members abreast with recent advancements in advanced laparoscopic procedures. FALS courses are organized in various sub- specialties such as hernia, bariatric surgery, upper gastrointestinal surgery, colorectal surgery and oncology, HPB and robotic surgery.

### A. FELLOWSHIP CATEGORY

#### **Eligibility Criteria:**

#### **IAGES MEMBERSHIP IS MUST.**

Those who are not members may apply for membership online. See the website www.iages.in for more details.

Members of collaborating associations who have signed MOU with IAGES are also eligible. They are expected to get their application endorsed by the respective collaborating association prior to joining the course.

#### 1. Non-Examination category

Surgeons who have been doing laparoscopic surgery in the chosen field for 10 or more years are eligible for Non-Examination Category.

Candidates should have performed more than 100 laparoscopic surgeries in the chosen subspecialty and need to submit a logbook to substantiate the claim.

All the candidates will be interviewed by the IAGES board for final assessment before the award of fellowship.

#### 2. Examination Category

All surgeons with a minimum of one year experience in the chosen specialty of laparoscopic surgery after post-graduation can apply in this category.

The applicant should have performed over 25 laparoscopic procedures in the chosen specialty either jointly or independently.

All the candidates would appear for MCQ assessment and Viva by the IAGES FALS board.

for final assessment during the forthcoming annual national conference before awarding the fellowship

#### **B. Non-Fellowship Category**

FALS course is also open to Non-members and all surgical postgraduates and interested surgeons across the globe, under the non-Fellowship category wherein they are eligible to take this course and receive the Certificate of completion of FALS course.

They could register and participate in the annual national conference as Postgraduates or Non-member category.

#### Logbook

Age/Sex/Surgery/Role/Post-op course/Complication/Remarks

- Role Assisted/under supervision/Independent (as drop down)
- Post-op course Uneventful / Eventful (as drop down)
- Complications Infection, Bleeding, Leak, Stricture, Obstruction, Others (type if others) as drop down.
- Remarks Type the outcome of the event, if patient has been conservatively managed, Recovered, Diseased, Transferred, etc.
- Assessment of FALS fellowship candidates/Exam category will be conducted by IAGES Central Office.
- The candidate is expected to know all important facts in Chosen subspecialty in laparoscopic surgery.
- Online Exam Timings: 60 minutes.
- Maximum number of marks: 100.
- The Online Exam should have 100 MCQ questions (single best response type).

# FALS HERNIA FELLOWSHIP COURSE MODULES

#### **INGUINAL HERNIA & DIAPHRAGMATIC HERNIA**

- 1 History & Evolution of Laparoscopic Hernia Surgery
- 2 Endoscopic Anatomy of Inguinal Region
- 3 Mesh/Fixators/Sutures & Sealants for Hernia Repair
- 4 Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair- What does the evidence say?
- 5 Role of Robotics in Hernia Surgery
- 6 Difficult Groin Hernias- Giant, Recurrent, Incarcerated
- 7 Complications of Lap Inguinal Hernia Surgery (Except Recurrence)
- 8 Chronic Groin Pain Is It A Myth or Reality? How to Tackle?
- 9 Recurrence After Lap Inguinal Hernia- Factors & Solutions
- 10 Laparoscopic Management of diaphragmatic Hernias
- 11 Laparoscopic Management of Hiatal Hernia
- 12 Laparoscopy in Emergency Hernia Surgery
- 13 TAPP- Elucidating the techniques & Key to Success
- 14 TEP- Elucidating the techniques & Key to Success
- 15 eTEP for Groin hernia

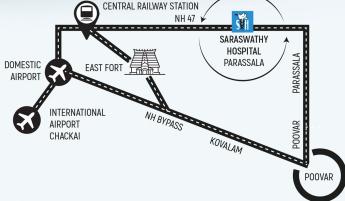
#### **VENTRAL INCISIONAL HERNIA**

- 16 Surgical Anatomy of Abdominal wall
- 17 Abdominal Incision Closure and preventing hernias
- 18 Well prepared is half done- Imaging in Hernias
- 19 Pneumoperitoneum, Botox
- 20 Complications of Laparoscopic Ventral Hernia Repair
- 21 e-TEP- RS + TAR
- 22 TARM
- 23 SCOM, SCOLA, eMILOS
- 24 Suprapubic, Epigastric & Sub Costal Hernia Repairs Problems & solutions
- 25 Parastomal Hernia Repair Tips & Tricks
- 26 Lumbar Hernias and denervation bulges
- 27 Ventral Hernia Algorithm Which Procedure the best in this Patient?
- 28 Hernia repair in the morbidly obese
- 29 Complex Hernias Complex Solutions?
- 30 Lap. Ventral Hernia Repair (IPOM, IPOM Plus)
- 31 Anterior Component Separation Open & Laparoscopic
- 32 Posterior Component Separation. Tips & Tricks











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