



Registration Fee

April 25 & 26, 2003

Lectures only (8.3 CMEs) \$850.00

Lectures & Hands-on Lab (11.4 CMEs) \$1500.00

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Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery



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- UMMS designates this continuing medical education activity for up to 11.4 credit hours in Category I toward the Physician's Recognition Award of the American Medical Association. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

Other Information

- **Statement of Disclosure:** In accordance with the Standards of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education and the Guidelines of the Association of Medical Colleges, it is the policy of the University of Massachusetts Medical School to disclose whatever interest or affiliation a speaker might have with any commercial organization whose products or services are related to the subject matter being presented. Such disclosure will be made available on the day of the program.
- **Cancellation Policy:** If you are unable to attend, please notify the Continuing Education Office immediately. A full refund, less \$150, will be issued if you inform us in writing three weeks prior to the workshop. After that, refunds will only be provided if the space can be filled with another registrant. There will be no refunds for cancellations made within 1 week of the course or for no-shows.
- **Deadline:** Pre-registration will be closed when space is full or at 5:00 pm on April 18, 2003 at the latest. Registration should not be mailed unless receipt before that time is guaranteed.
- **Confirmation:** All who are accepted for pre-registration will receive written confirmation and directions.
- **Weather Emergency Policy:** While the probability of delay or cancellation of the conference is highly unlikely, we recognize that we are all subject to the vagaries of New England weather. If a weather emergency does occur, and you are in doubt as to whether or not the conference will be held, call 508-856-1671 after 6:00 pm on April 24, 2003.
- **Information & Special Needs:** Call the UMMS Office of Continuing Education 508-856-1671 for assistance.



UMass EndoSurgery Conference Center
UMass Memorial Medical Center • University Campus
55 Lake Avenue North, Room H1-776
Worcester, Massachusetts

Directions: www.umassmed.edu

Friday, April 25, 2003
Saturday, April 26, 2003

Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery

Two Day Conference



Presented by:
The Department of Surgery of UMass Memorial and The Office of Continuing Education at the University of Massachusetts Medical School

Program Schedule

Friday, April 25, 2003

- 7:00am **Registration and Breakfast**
 7:30am **Welcome** ~ D. Litwin
 7:40am **Course Outline/Faculty Introductions**
 ~ J. Kelly
 7:50am **Obesity in America** ~ R. Perugini
 8:20am **History and Evolution of Bariatric Surgery**
 ~ S. Shikora
 8:50am **Break**
 9:10am **Assessment of the Bariatric Patient**
 ~ G. Kaban – Physical (25 – 30)
 ~ M. Kaplan – Psychological (20)
 ~ L. VanDusen – Nutritional (20)
 10:20am **Break**
 10:30am **Lap Approach to Bariatric Surgery**
 ~ J. Kelly (45 min), and
 ~ D. Gagne (45 min)
 12:00pm **Lunch Break & Discussion**
 12:30pm **Live Case/Discussions**
 3:00pm **Break**
 3:15pm **Management of Peri/Post Op Care**
 ~ D. Czerniach
 3:45pm **Avoidance and Management of Complications**
 ~ J. Kelly
 4:15pm **Closing Remarks**
 4:30pm **Adjourn**
 6:30 pm **Dinner**
 Faculty, Attendee and Guest Dinner
 Renaissance Room, Beechwood Inn
 (included in Registration fee) RSVP
 on Registration Form

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Saturday, April 26, 2003

- 7:30am **Sign-in and Continental Breakfast**
 8:00am **Getting Started/Essentials**
 ~ M. Tarnoff
 8:45am **Outcomes of Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery**
 ~ R. Perugini
 9:15am **Keys to Successful Outcomes**
 ~ All Faculty
 9:45am **Break**
 10:00am **Animal Lab**
 1:00pm **Lunch**
 1:30pm **Videos/Case Discussions/Controversies**
 ~ All Faculty
 2:30pm **Adjourn**

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

- Identify selection criteria for potential surgical candidates
- Discuss the principles and instrumentation of laparoscopic bariatric surgery
- Describe the technical and clinical perspectives of available surgical approaches including VBG, gastric bypass, biliopancreatic diversion, and inflatable gastric banding
- Identify techniques to avoid intra-op complications
- Recognize early indications of post-op complications
- Appreciate the challenges, complications and dedication required when managing care of bariatric patients pre-, peri-, post-operative and convalescent period
- Discern limitations of laparoscopic bariatric surgery
- Identify steps toward successfully entering the field of laparoscopic bariatric surgery
- Perform various techniques used in laparoscopic bariatric surgery on suitable models

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The UMass EndoSurgery Center is offering a two-day workshop on Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery. This workshop is designed to provide general surgeons, with a keen interest in bariatric and advanced laparoscopic surgery, an introduction to or update on this new advanced laparoscopic surgical technique. The didactic sessions will provide the participants with lectures by recognized national and international experts in this technique as well as the opportunity to view live surgery from the venue of the EndoSurgery Conference Room and interact with the operating surgeon during the surgery when possible. The lab session will provide hands-on experience in a variety of bariatric techniques on suitable models with faculty instruction.

The UMass EndoSurgery Center Conference Room is equipped with state-of-the-art telemedia capabilities to include fiberoptic transmission, satellite up-link and downlink, and digital audio-visual conferencing. These advanced telecommunication capabilities permit participation in surgery conferences nationally and internationally.

INVITED FACULTY

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Faculty

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Hotel

The Beechwood Inn has held a block of rooms for the nights of April 24th and 25th, 2003 at a special rate of \$129 - \$179.00. Please make reservations by calling the Beechwood Inn directly at 800.344.2589 or 508.754.5789 and mention this conference to obtain this special rate.

Beechwood Inn
 363 Plantation Street
 Worcester, MA 01605

Ground Travel

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REGISTRATION FORM

Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery

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Friday, April 25, 2003
Saturday, April 26, 2003

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RSVP for Friday Dinner (number attending): _____

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Space for this conference is limited. Registration will be accepted on the basis of date of receipt and **cannot** be accepted without payment.

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