A Continuing Medical Education Symposium

November 10 & 11, 2017

Course Director: Dwight D. Im, M.D., FACOG

Location: Four Seasons Hotel - Baltimore, MD

Register: mercy-cme.com or 410.951.7951
The National Institute of Robotic Surgery

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS:
• Comprehensive overview of pelvic anatomy
• Robotic cerclage, pre-pregnancy and antepartum outcomes
• Advanced technology and current updates in robotic surgery
• Two live cases including a single-site case performed on the da Vinci Xi®
• On-site and take home “how-to” videos
• Risk factors of robotic assisted surgery and the management of complications
• Advanced training pathway for retroperitoneal hysterectomy - IMSWAY
• Hands-on lab, tissue extraction
Note from the Course Director

Dear Course Participant,

The National Institute of Robotic Surgery at Mercy Medical Center is proud to announce the 7th annual minimally invasive robotics course – *Advanced Pelvic Anatomy through the Eyes of the Robot*. This symposium is focused on keeping surgeons at the forefront of advancements in robotic surgery. We believe bringing together expert course faculty and attendees from around the country will generate open discussion and knowledgeable insights.

Robotic surgery is becoming the surgical option of choice for many patients and a key component in providing leading edge patient care. The course faculty, composed of renowned robotic surgeons, will share their expertise and experience on advanced techniques used in robotic gynecologic surgeries.

This engaging two-day symposium will feature two live cases including a single-site hysterectomy and a multiport retroperitoneal hysterectomy. Attendees also will have the opportunity to participate in a hands-on lab involving tissue containment and extraction. Topics for the course include: robotic cerclage, robotic surgery treatment for common gynecologic conditions, complications of robotic surgery and challenging robotic cases.

I look forward to seeing you November 10 – 11, 2017 as, together, we explore robotic surgery and advanced pelvic anatomy.

Sincerely,

Dwight D. Im, M.D., FACOG
Medical Director
The Neil B. Rosenshein, M.D., Institute for Gynecologic Care at Mercy
The Gynecologic Oncology Center at Mercy
The National Institute of Robotic Surgery at Mercy
The Gynecologic Oncology Collaborative
Dwight D. Im, M.D., FACOG

Dwight D. Im, M.D., FACOG, is one of the nation’s leading da Vinci robot surgeons for genital tract cancers. An expert gynecologic oncologist and gynecologic robotic surgeon, Dr. Im diagnoses and treats gynecologic cancers including ovarian, cervical and uterine cancers. Dr. Im is Board-Certified Medical Director of The Neil B. Rosenshein, M.D., Institute for Gynecologic Care at Mercy, The Gynecologic Oncology Center at Mercy and The National Institute of Robotic Surgery at Mercy. Dr. Im is dedicated to surgical expertise and excellence in patient care.

Dr. Im developed the revolutionary “IMSWAY” – the gold standard for robotics for hysterectomies. He teaches surgeons from across the world how to perform “IMSWAY” robotic gynecologic surgery. In addition to training and lecturing, Dr. Im is an author of many journal articles and several book chapters. As part of his commitment to advancing gynecologic oncology and robotic surgery, Dr. Im has served as course director and keynote speaker for medical education conferences across the nation.

Neil B. Rosenshein, M.D., FACOG

Neil B. Rosenshein, M.D., FACOG, is a board certified, internationally renowned gynecologic oncologist. Dr. Neil Rosenshein is known for his clinical excellence, surgical expertise and tireless devotion to patients and their families. Dr. Rosenshein has dedicated his medical career to advancing surgical techniques to treat female genital tract cancers, including ovarian, cervical, uterine, endometrial, vulvar and vaginal cancers. His surgical precision helps to minimize the size of the incision and the length of time patients are in surgery.

As a part of his commitment to gynecologic oncology and women’s health, Dr. Rosenshein published the manual, Ultrasonic Surgical Techniques for the Pelvic Surgeon, which is a standard for physicians in the field of Gynecologic Oncology. He also has been involved in medical research projects and published numerous journal articles. In addition to being an author and researcher, Dr. Rosenshein has been a course director and keynote speaker for medical education symposiums focused on advancing women’s health.

Ricardo E. Estape M.D., OB-GYN

Dr. Estape attended medical school at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and earned his degree from the University of Miami in Miami, Florida. Dr. Estape went on to do his residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology as well as his fellowship in Gynecologic Oncology at the University of Miami/Jackson Memorial Hospital Program in Miami, Florida. He then stayed on at the University of Miami as an attending until 2002. He was an Associate Professor in Gynecologic Oncology and became the Director of the Gynecologic Oncology Site Group for the Sylvester Cancer Center at the University of Miami until he went into private practice in South Miami in 2002. He is board certified in Obstetrics and Gynecology and also in Gynecologic Oncology. Dr. Estape is a member of the Society of Gynecologic Oncology, a fellow of the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and also in Gynecologic Oncology. Dr. Estape is a member of the Society of Gynecologic Oncology, a fellow of the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology, member of the American Association of Gynecologic Laparoscopists, member of the Society of Laparoendoscopic Surgeons, the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical honor Society and many others. He has served as Chief of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and is currently Chief of Robotic Surgery and Chief of the Blood Conservation Program at South Miami Hospital in Miami, Florida. He helped to develop the new Miami Cancer Institute which is a state of the art cancer center in Miami and is the director of the Gynecologic Oncology Tumor Site Team.

Kathy Huang, M.D.

Dr. Huang is currently the Director of Endometriosis Center and Co-Director of Robotic Surgery Center at NYU Langone Medical Center. She has performed over 2000 robotic-assisted procedures in her career. Dr. Huang lectures nationally and internationally on topics pertaining to robotic gynecologic procedures. She currently sits on the Board of Directors of AAGL and Chinese American Medical Society.

Gaby Moawad, M.D.

Dr. Moawad, is an American Board-Certified in Obstetrics & Gynecology and a fellowship trained in Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery. He is an assistant professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology at The George Washington University School of Medicine & Health Sciences where he serves as the AAGL fellowship co-director of minimally invasive surgery and the director of gynecologic robotic surgery. He specialized in all aspects of advanced and complex minimally invasive gynecologic and robotic surgery. He currently serves as the chair of the AAGL Robotic Special Interest Group. Dr. Moawad is a national and international speaker and a published author with a particular interest in robotic surgery, fibroids, endometriosis and minimally invasive gynecologic procedures.
The National Institute of Robotic Surgery at Mercy is led by Dwight D. Im, M.D., FACOG, Medical Director of The Neil B. Rosenshein, M.D., Institute for Gynecologic Care and The Gynecologic Oncology Center at Mercy. Dr. Im also has been credited with performing the first single-site wristed needle driver surgery. In 2015, he was one of eight doctors elevated to Mentor Status in Gynecology and Gynecologic Oncology by Intuitive Surgical.

According to Intuitive Surgical, Dr. Im holds the distinction of being highest volume gynecologic physician for robotic procedures within the U.S.; he has performed more than 3,900 minimally invasive robotic procedures.

Dr. Im teaches pioneering robotic surgical techniques (IMSWAY) to surgeons throughout the United States, Europe and Asia. Mercy Medical Center hosts Master Case Observations for established robotic surgeons from across the globe to learn advanced robotic techniques in multi-port and single-site procedures.

The Institute’s vision is to be a nationally recognized leader in minimally invasive surgery (MIS) across all MIS Centers of Excellence demonstrating excellent quality as well as in patient safety based on outcome. The Institute has commitment to evidence-based research and education.

Mercy Medical Center in Baltimore, Maryland, is committed to providing quality, comprehensive patient care. Mercy is proud to be recognized as a leading medical institution of the Mid-Atlantic region. Mercy Medical Center is ranked a Top Maryland Hospital by U.S. News & World Report for 2017-18. For the past six consecutive years, Mercy also has been named a Women's Choice Award recipient for patient experience.
Exhibitor Information
If you are interested in supporting this event, please contact Dalibor Zafka at 410-951-7951 or dzafka@mdmercy.com

Registration Information
Online Registration is available through our website, www.Mercy-CME.com. You may also register by phone at 410-951-7951.

An email confirmation will be sent upon receipt of registration fee. The registration fee includes tuition, syllabus, meals, and reception. Reservations will not be made until payment has been received. Please call for group rates.

Conference Fee – Both Days
Physicians $500.00
Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants $200.00
Fellows & Residents $150.00
Allied Professionals

Course Location
The Four Seasons Hotel
200 International Drive
Baltimore, MD 21202
www.fourseasons.com/baltimore

Accommodations
Arrangements have been made for accommodations at the conference site, The Four Seasons Waterfront Hotel, in beautiful Downtown Baltimore. Baltimore’s Inner Harbor and surrounding areas offer the attendees the opportunity to experience unique local attractions, exciting nightlife and breathtaking views.

A block of rooms have been set aside for Thursday and Friday nights and are available on a first come, first served basis. For reservations, please contact The Four Seasons Waterfront Hotel, 410-576-5800, and mention Mercy Medical Center CME 2017 to receive the discounted rate of $295 per night.

CME Credit Information
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Cancellation Policy
Paid in full registration is required for admittance. Walk-in registrations are welcome, if space permits. Written notification of cancellation received by October 10, 2017, will entitle the participant to a full refund minus a $50 service fee. The registration fee is non-refundable for cancellations received after the cancellation date.

Program Overview
This two day event is dedicated to advancing the trained surgeon’s gynecologic robotic surgery skills through discussion and demonstration using the latest technology and techniques. The course will provide participants with the opportunity to further expand their knowledge of gynecologic robotic surgery, interact and learn from the world's leading robotic surgeons, and witness two live surgeries, including Single-Site Hysterectomy performed on the da Vinci Xi® Robot. Participants will have also the opportunity to experience a new training device for gynecologic surgeons through a Hands-On Morcellation Lab.

Who Should Attend
This program is designed for advanced and practicing robotic surgeons, surgical first assistants, allied health professionals as well as non-robotic personnel interested in advancing their knowledge of minimally invasive robotic surgery.

Educational Objectives
Upon completion of this course, participants will:
• Master surgical anatomy of the female abdomen and pelvis and its role in surgical techniques for endometriosis, myomectomy, and complex hysterectomy.
• Have greater knowledge of the latest technology and how to incorporate it into everyday practice.
• Appraise relevant options, indications, principles, techniques and outcomes of minimally invasive gynecologic surgical procedures centered upon a multi-functional robotics platform.

American Disability Act Statement
Mercy Medical Center provides, upon request, reasonable accommodations including auxiliary aids and services necessary to afford an individual with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in all services, programs and activities.

Faculty Disclosure/Conflict of Interest
In accordance with Continuing Medical Education requirements on disclosure, information regarding any relationships between presenters and commercial interests (if any) will be disclosed at the conference. The faculty is expected to disclose to the program audience any real or appropriate conflict(s) of interest to the content of their presentation(s). The Faculty is also required to identify any reference to off-label usage or research data included in their presentations.
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