Laparoscopic Bile Duct Exploration Hands-on Choledochoscopy Course



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This is a one day intensive hand-on course aimed at Hepatobiliary and Upper GI consultants and senior trainees who wish to develop the skills necessary for Laparoscopic Bile Duct Exploration.

Course Content:

Advanced procedure-based course highlighting the technical and logistical aspects of one session laparoscopic exploration of the bile duct. The course is designed for consultant surgeons and senior trainees who have mastered the skills of routine and emergency laparoscopic cholecystectomy and may already have experience with intra-operative cholangiography.

The candidates are made familiar with technical aspects through short interactive talks. The course has a major practical hands-on component with the opportunity to practice cholangiography, trans-cystic duct cannulation and exploration, choledochotomy exploration and various methods of biliary drainage. There will be emphasis on the handling and optimal use of 3mm & 5mm choledochoscopes. Well designed animal tissue models allow for task repetition and skills development and consolidation. Adequate time is dedicated to detailed discussions of technical aspects utilising extensive video material from more than 1100 laparoscopic bile duct explorations.

Candidates: There will be a maximum of 8 places available on the course.

Course fees: Consultants £450 / Trainees £300 - Fee includes lunch and tea & coffee breaks.

Course closing date: 3rd November 2020

Contact details and to book a place: Ms Sheryl Houston, Training Coordinator - Medical Education NHSL. Please email meded.trainees@lanarkshire.scot.nhs.uk







