

ANNOUNCEMENT



**UK National Organ Retrieval Service
Cadaveric Retrieval Masterclass**

Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th December 2023

**The Cambridge Surgical Training Centre
The Quorum
Barnwell Road
Cambridge
CB5 8RE**

Registration closes Wednesday 29th November 2023.

Registration link [here](#)

Why attend the dissection masterclass?

The UK National Organ Retrieval Service (NORS) retrieves organs from donors on behalf of transplant centres. The level of skill of NORS team members has a significant bearing on organ quality and transplant outcomes.

The Cadaveric Retrieval Masterclass is a comprehensive training course for NORS surgeons specialising in abdominal and cardiothoracic organ retrieval. It provides step-by-step teaching in a hands-on learning environment. Expert retrieval surgeons will guide the delegates through each step of the process and demonstrate the latest technologies in a state-of-the-art facility. This course will help the delegates to develop the practical skills required to work within NORS.

About the course

The faculty will be drawn from across the UK and includes world-leading clinicians in the field of organ retrieval and transplantation. This dissection masterclass contains mandatory training required for full registration as a retrieval surgeon in the UK. The course will be a 2-day event held at The Cambridge Surgical Training Centre.

This year, we are running the Virtual Masterclass as usual, as well as our new Cadaveric Masterclass. The Virtual and Cadaveric Masterclasses are mandatory for full registration as a NORS surgeon. You can register for both via the link above.

Who is the course for?

The course is aimed at Fellows, trainee surgeons and perioperative practitioners working at or due to be attached to clinical teams involved in organ transplantation.

- UK surgeons seeking practical skills in solid organ retrieval from deceased donors.
- Surgeons with an interest in solid organ retrieval from deceased donors.
- Perioperative practitioners.

The registration fee is £100 for perioperative practitioners and £350 for surgical delegates. Places are strictly limited.

Those who register earlier will be given priority ('First come, first served'). Priority will also be given to surgeons working in UK NORS teams who are seeking full registration with NHSBT and to UK perioperative staff working in NORS centres.

Delegates will need to make their own travel and accommodation arrangements. The Cambridge Surgical Training Centre is located at The Quorum, Barnwell Road, Cambridge, CB5 8RE.

Further information required? Email; Profession.DevelopmentODT@nhsbt.nhs.uk

We hope to welcome you all in December 2023!

On behalf of the National Faculty

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