

SMALL INCISION CATARACT SURGERY TRAINING PROGRAMME

1) Preamble:

An Ophthalmologist who graduates from most of the Universities is generally familiar with conventional extra capsular Cataract Surgery with I.O.L implantation.

With newer developments in the field of Cataract Surgery, SICS, stands out as an alternative procedure with many advantages.

The SICS caters to high volume of Cataract Surgery and is cost effective. It is a good surgical modality for both the surgeon and the patient.

2) Objective:

To improve the surgical skills of the upcoming Ophthalmologist.

3) Eligibility for Admission:

D.O.M.S / M.S /D.N.B in Ophthalmology

4) Duration of the Course:

One Month

5) Medium of Instruction:

English

6) Attendance : 80% attendance

7) Course Content:

a) One month of Intensive Training with didactic Lecture/ Seminars

b) OT schedule :

Shall be trained in basic instrumentation

Shall be posted in the OT for the first week as a observer, second week assist the consultant, third & forth week do independent surgeries.

c) Shall operate minimum of 20 cases.

d) Shall maintain a Log Book during the course period.

e) The Log book will be certified by course guide/ HOD and forwarded to the Head of the Institution.

f) The programme will be certified by the Head of the Institute.

8) Scheme of Evaluation:

- a) Internal Assessment/ Log Book to be maintained by the candidate to be certified by the course guide and Head of the department.
- b) Practical Assessment in OT done by course guide or Head of the department.

9) Certificate for the course shall be given by Head of the Institute.

10) Reference Books Latest Edition)

Sl.No.	Name of the text book	Author	Publisher
1	Manual of Small Incision Cataract Surgery	M.Sachdev, Amar Agarwal	Jaypee Bros
2	Manual of Small Incision Cataract Surgery	Dr.K P S Malik, Dr.Ruchi Goel	Jaypee Bros
3	Step by Step Small incision Cataract Surgery	Panda a: Dada. T	Jaypee Bros