



Ministry of Health



B.E.S.T.

Bariatric Endoscopy Surgery Trends
Middle East Meeting



Al-Amiri Hospital, Kuwait
Venue: Dasman Diabetic Institute
Date: 12th-13th April 2015



Chairman: Dr. Taleb Juma
Co Chairman: • Dr. Waleed Buhaimed • Dr. Salman Al Sabah

International Visiting Surgeons:

- Aureo de Paula
- Alcides Branco
- Philip Schauer
- Glauco Alvarez
- Chris Thompson
- Carlos Vaz
- Nilton Kawahara
- Luciana El-Kadre
- Francois Pattou
- Claudia Savaris
- Lee Kaplan

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Kuwait, April 12-13, 2015

Day 1: 12 April 2015

Moderators: Glauco Alvarez, Abdulsamad Sayed Abdulsamad

Time	Topic	Place
7:00am - 2:00pm	Live surgeries with audiovisual transmission	Al Amiri Hospital

Moderators: Ricardo Baratieri, Ali Sayed Al Mosawi, Abdulla Al Mulaifi

Time	Topic	Speaker
3:30pm - 4:00pm	Opening ceremony	
4:00pm - 4:20 pm	The role of the endoscopist in MORBID OBESITY TREATMENT (video lecture)	Dr. Christopher C. Thompson - USA
4:20pm - 4:40pm	The role of the endoscopist in T2DM (Video lecture)	Dr. Christopher C. Thompson - USA
4:40pm - 5:00pm	Results of RYGB as metabolic procedure in BMI<35 kg/m2	Dr. Philip Schauer - USA
5:20pm - 5:40pm	Results of SG as metabolic procedure in BMI<35 kg/m2	Dr. Philip Schauer - USA
5:40pm - 6:00pm	Islet transplantation	Dr. François Pattou - France
6:00pm - 6:20pm	Robotic Bariatric Surgery	Dr. Carlos Vaz - Portugal
6:20pm - 6:40pm	Panel Discussion	
6:40pm - 6:50pm	Coffee break	

Moderators: Claudia Savaris, Obaid Al Harbi, Mohammad Jamal

6:50pm - 7:10pm	Procedure-specific mortality and morbidity	Dr. Aureo de Paula - Brazil
7:10pm - 7:30pm	Revisional Bariatric Surgery Algorithms	Dr. Nilton Kawahara - Brazil
7:30pm - 7:50pm	Metabolic care Post-Bariatric Surgery	Dr. Luciana El-Kadre - Brazil
7:50pm - 8:10pm	Post-RYGP Hypoglycemia	Dr. Alcides Branco
8:10pm - 8:30pm	Ileal interposition	Dr. Aureo de Paula - Brazil
8:30pm - 9:00pm	Panel Discussion	
9:00pm	Dinner	

Day 2: 13 April 2015

Moderators: Philip Schauer, Obaid Al Harbi, Abdulla Al Mulaifi

Time	Topic	Place
7:00am - 2:00pm	Live surgeries with audiovisual transmission	Al Amiri Hospital

Moderators: Nilton Kawahara, Abdulrahman Al Mutairi, Ali Ismael

Time	Topic	Speaker
3:40pm - 4:00pm	None-Operative Management of Staple Line Leaks Following SG (Video lecture)	Dr. Christopher C. Thompson - USA
4:00pm - 4:20 pm	NAFLD and bariatric surgery: Benefits and Risks	Dr. Philip Schauer - USA
4:20pm - 4:40pm	Surgery vs. Medical treatment of diabetes	Dr. François Pattou - France
4:40pm - 5:00pm	Surgery for NASH	Dr. François Pattou - France
5:20pm - 5:40pm	Results of SGII as a metabolic procedure in BMI <35 kg/m2	Dr. Aureo de Paula - Brazil
5:40pm - 6:10pm	Panel Discussion	
6:10pm - 6:30pm	Break	

Moderators: Dr. François Pattou, Khalid Al Enezi, Waleed Al Bastaki

6:30pm - 6:50pm	Conference: Refeeding syndrome: what it is, & how to prevent & treat it	Dr. Luciana El-Kadre - Brazil
6:50pm - 7:10pm	Mini gastric bypass: Bile reflux and anastomosis ulceration	Dr. Alcides Branco
7:10pm - 7:30pm	GERD and Bariatric Surgery	Dr. Nilton Kawahara - Brazil
7:30pm - 7:50pm	Conference: The rise and fall on MGB	Dr. Carlos Vaz - Portugal
7:50pm - 8:20pm	Panel discussion	
8:20pm - 8:40pm	Closing Ceremony	
9:00 pm	Dinner	