

Report of the ISAR EISE Endoscopy Training course held on 26th and 27th August 2017 Mumbai

The second ISAR EISE Endoscopy Training course on fertility enhancing endoscopic surgery was held on 26th and 27th August 2017 at the EISE, Mahim, Mumbai. Of the 11 registered candidates, 8 delegates attended, with 3 remaining absent due to illness and festivities.

Day 1 comprised of didactic sessions and pelvi trainer exercises. Dr S Krishnakumar, course director, Mumbai welcomed the delegates and thanked the ISAR president Dr Duru Shah for initiating this course, which is well appreciated by the attendees. Dr S Krishnakumar introduced to the delegates, the concept of the 2 day course stressing on the importance of evidence based way of Fertility Enhancing Endoscopic Surgery and started with basics of Laparoscopic and Hysteroscopic Surgery. This was followed by lectures, based on the new guidelines for discussion provided by Dr Duru Shah, President ISAR, with an emphasis on surgical videos followed by interactive discussion. Dr Kedar Ganla, Managing Committee member, ISAR, was part of invited faculty to highlight the impact of reproductive surgery on assisted reproductive techniques. . This was followed by pelvi trainer exercises and lastly lectures on hysteroscopic surgery.

Day 2 comprised of hysteroscopy simulator exercises on artificial uterine models provided by PeeBee Surgicals. This was followed by wet lab training on anaesthetised pigs where the candidates practiced surgical port entry, dissection using various energy sources and suturing.

The co faculty assisting Dr S Krishnakumar, for the course were, Dr Sanket Pisat and Dr Anurag Bhate, both from Mumbai & were present for both the days. At the conclusion, the delegates were given, standard guidelines and protocols on various aspects of FEES in a pendrive. The training was profusely appreciated by all the trainees.