Manchester Skull Base Surgical Dissection Course

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Manchester Surgical Skills Laboratory, UK

Day 1 and Day 2
Approaches To The Middle And Posterior Fossa

Day 1

09:00 Introduction

09:15 Lecture: Selecting the right approach

09:30 Dissection: Retrosigmoid approach

10:45 Coffee

11:00 Dissection: IAC drilling

12:15 Lunch

13:15 Dissection: Retrolabyrinthine approach

15:00 Dissection: Translabyrinthine approach

17:15 Finish

Day 2

09:00 Dissection: ABI insertion

10:15 Dissection: Middle fossa approach

11:30 Coffee

11:45 Dissection: Combined transtentorial and Kawase approach

13:30 Lunch

14:30 Dissection: Far lateral approach

16:15 Dissection: Transcochlear / transotic approach

18:00 Lecture: Dealing with complications of lateral skull base surgery

18:15 Finish

Day 3
Open Approaches To The Anterior Skull Base And Orbit

09:00 Lecture: Open approaches to the anterior skull base and orbit

09:15 Dissection: Pterional craniotomy

11:00 Coffee

11:15 Dissection: Optic canal decompression and anterior clinoidectomy

12:45 Lunch

13:45 Dissection: Orbitozygomatic craniotomy

16:00 Dissection: Eyebrow craniotomy

17:45 Finish

19:30 Conference Dinner (Chetham's School Baronial Hall)

Day 4
Endoscopic Approaches To The Anterior Skull Base

08:00 Lecture: Open vs endoscopic approaches to the anterior skull base

08:15 Dissections: Hadad flap

09:30 Dissection: Sella surgery

11:00 Coffee

11:15 Dissection: Transcribriform approach

13:00 Lunch

14:00 Dissection: Trans-clival approach

15:45 Dissection: Infratemporal fossa and transmaxillary approaches

17:30 Dissection: Carotid artery dissection

19:00 Finish

Day 5
Infratemporal Fossa and Transfacial Approaches

08:00 Lecture: Dealing with complications of anterior skull base surgery

08:15 Dissection: Infratemporal fossa approaches A, B, C

09:45 Coffee

10:00 Dissection: Infratemporal fossa approaches A, B, C continued

11:30 Dissection: Transfacial approaches

13:00 Lunch

13:00 Dissection: Transfacial approaches

15:45 Finish