

Institution/University

National Institute of Medical Sciences and Nutrition
Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, UNAM
Mexico City, Mexico

FELLOWSHIP

Endocrine and Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery

Duration and Funding

1 year (March – February)

Two positions

Funding available for National surgeons

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FELLOWSHIP AIMS

Upon completion of the program, the fellow should be able to manage common and complex cases in endocrine surgery, advanced laparoscopic surgery (upper GI & Solid Organs) and Bariatric Surgery (Gastric Bypass) cases. In addition, the fellow will attend the outpatient clinic and will participate and be responsible for educational conferences for medical students and junior residents. Intraoperative teaching is encouraged.

FELLOWSHIP DESCRIPTION & CURRICULUM

The endocrine and advanced laparoscopy division operates on more than 500 patients a year, with three different attending surgeons, two operative days and one day outpatient clinic. Fellows are required to train and develop basic and advanced laparoscopic surgery skills with FLS simulators and animal laboratory practice once a week. To obtain his/her degree, the fellow must have written at least one scientific paper and will have operated a minimum of 120 cases.

Eligibility

Positions are open for fully trained general surgeons. Requisites include curriculum vitae and letter of intent sent to cirenlap@quetzal.innsz.mx no later than October 31st. Alumni are contacted the first week of December.

Recent Graduates

Andrea Dávila. México City; Mexico (2006)

Cesar Jaramillo, Toluca; México (2007)

Sandra Gabriela Medina. Monterrey, Nuevo León; México (2007)

Federico López. Mexico City; Mexico (2008)

María Nayví España Gomez. Mexico City, Mexico. (2009)

José de Jesús Iñiguez Flores. Irapuato, Guanajuato; Mexico. (2009)