

## ASSET - Advanced Surgical Skills for Exposure in Trauma Course

### COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The ASSET course uses human cadavers to teach surgical exposure of anatomic structures that when injured may pose a threat to life or limb. A course manual is distributed to students prior to taking the course to provide an overview of key surgical exposures in five key anatomic areas: neck, chest, abdomen and pelvis, and upper and lower extremities. The one-day cadaver-based course follows this modular, body region approach. Each section begins with a short case-based overview, followed by a hands-on exposure performed by students under the guidance of faculty. The student-to-faculty ratio is low, allowing extensive faculty guidance and interaction with students. The student assesses his or her ability to perform each exposure independently and is evaluated on knowledge and technical skills.

### Objectives

- Demonstrate knowledge of key anatomical exposures for the care of injured and acutely ill surgical patients.
- Demonstrate his/her technical ability to expose important structures that may require acute surgical intervention to save life or limb.
- Gain confidence in performing anatomic exposures independently.
- Faculty assessment of a student's ability to independently perform anatomical exposures will be satisfactory.

**COURSE SPONSOR:** London Health Sciences Centre - Trauma Program & CSTAR

**COURSE FEE:**  CAD \$1,250.00 Practicing Physician/Faculty  
 CAD \$1,000.00 Residents/Fellows  
(Includes: Course Manual, Lunch & Refreshments)  
**ANY DIETARY RESTRICTIONS? (Specify):** \_\_\_\_\_

**COURSE DATE:** Friday, April 26, 2019

### CANCELLATIONS:

*We reserve the right to cancel courses 30 days in advance of the course date due to insufficient registrations.  
Course fee will be refunded or you can move to another course date if available.*

**REFUND** - if notification received 30 days prior to course = fee paid less \$200.00  
**NO REFUND** - if cancellation within 30 days of course (substitutions may be allowed)

**\*NOTE: Registration for this course is filled on a first come, first served basis.**

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### Please check one of the below options:

Faculty, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  Fellow, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  PGY 4-7, Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return:**  
1) COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM, and  
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