

TAPP & TEP INGUINAL HERNIA REPAIRS

SURGICAL WORKSHOPS PROGRAMME 2025

DATES IN 2025:

SLO: 31.WORKSHOP: 03.03. - 04.03.2025

SLO: 32.WORKSHOP: 07.04. - 08.04.2025

SLO: 33.WORKSHOP: 12.05. - 13.05.2025

SLO: 34.WORKSHOP: 02.06. - 03.06.2025

BiH: 35.WORKSHOP: 11.09. - 12.09.2025 (Banja Luka)

PROGRAMME:

1. DAY

- afternoon Arrival
- 18:00 -18:40 Lecture on TAPP and TEP technique - laparoscopic hernioplasty, dr. Koprivica
in the main lecture hall of the University Clinical Center of the Republic of Srpska in Banja Luka
- 18:40 -19:00 A brief presentation of LiquiBand® FIX 8™ Adhesive for Inguinal Hernias by Advanced Medical Solutions, dr. Koprivica
- 19:00 -19:15 15 min video presentation of the TAPP technique - laparoscopic hernioplasty, dr. Koprivica
- 19:15 -19:30 15 min video presentation of the TEP technique - laparoscopic hernioplasty, dr. Koprivica
- 19:30 -20:00 Discussion, everyone
- 20:00 -22:00 Dinner (*Dinner is not organized in BiH*)

2. DAY

- 9:00 - 14:00 2 TAPP and 2 TEP inguinal hernia repairs

SURGEON AND VASCULAR SURGEON

**Radenko Koprivica MD, PhD surgeon, Workshop
Leader**



He performs laparoscopic and open digestive oncological surgery of the colorectum and stomach, laparoscopic hernioplasty, open hepatobiliary procedures. From the field of vascular surgery, he performs open and endoscopic arterial and phlebological procedures. He trained professionally at the Clinical Center of Serbia - Belgrade, Euromedic - Belgrade, the Clinical Center of Vojvodina - Novi Sad, the Clinical Center of Ljubljana, Padova University Hospital - Italy, Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau - Barcelona, Inselspital - Bern, UZH Zurich - Switzerland. He is a member of the associations EAES, ZEKS, UEHS (member of the international board), ESVS, ESCVS, IASGO. He started the TAPP/TEP school 7 years ago (2018).

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PRESENTATION OF HOSPITALS



The general hospital "dr. Franca Derganca" Nova Gorica is the youngest general hospital in Slovenia and serves as the central healthcare institution in the Goriška region. Under the leadership of Director Dimitrij Klančič, M.D., Specialist in Internal Medicine, and Medical Director Erik Sedevčič, M.D., Specialist in General Surgery, the hospital is committed to professionalism, ethics, and excellent teamwork. The Head of Surgery, Gabrijel Fišer, M.D., Specialist in General Surgery, together with his team, ensures a high standard of healthcare services.

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Goriška – A Destination Where Culture Meets Nature

The Goriška region captivates with its unique location, close to Italy, the Adriatic Sea, and the charming Goriška Brda, renowned for world-class wines and breathtaking views. In 2025, Nova Gorica and its neighboring town Gorica will proudly hold the title of European Capital of Culture, placing the region at the heart of European cultural creativity.

ACCOMMODATION: HOTEL LIPA, ŠEMPETER PRI GORICI



Hotel Lipa offers a cozy stay in comfortable rooms, ensuring every guest feels at home. Savor delicious meals in the hotel bistro and enjoy the stunning natural surroundings that embrace the hotel.

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The University Clinical Center of the Republika Srpska in Banja Luka is the largest health institution in the entity of Republika Srpska and one of the most important hospitals in Bosnia and Herzegovina. It operates as a tertiary health institution, providing comprehensive medical care and education for healthcare professionals. Under the leadership of the General Director, Prof. Dr. Vlado Đajić, MD, Specialist in Neurology, the center is committed to professionalism, modern diagnostics and high quality health services. With its dedication to patients and the development of the medical profession, it represents a key health center in the region. The Clinic for Abdominal Surgery, in cooperation with the Association of Surgeons of the Republic of Srpska and under the leadership of Prof. Dr. Zoran Aleksić, is acting as a co-organizer of the professional workshop.

The lectures will take place in the main lecture hall of the University Clinical Center of the Republic of Srpska in Banja Luka, within the hospital premises.



Banja Luka captivates with its unique combination of natural beauty, cultural heritage and relaxed urban vibe. The city, located on the Vrbas River, offers picturesque gorges, thermal springs and numerous parks and alleys, which make it known as one of the greenest cities in the region. In addition to nature, it also impresses with its cultural diversity - from the historic Kastel fortress to modern artistic and culinary events. Banja Luka successfully intertwines tradition and modernity, and is becoming an increasingly popular destination for relaxation and exploration.

ACCOMMODATION: Participants organize their own accommodation.

Note: accommodation and transport costs are covered by the participant himself. The training workshop is free of charge.*Dinner is not included as part of the program at the University Clinical Center of the Republic of Srpska.*