



There are huge regional variations in trainee exposure to microvascular surgery, free flap inset and perforator dissection. In anticipation of this and due to the huge financial burden placed on a new generation of surgeons, the East Grinstead H&N Research Group have developed and set the course at a cost of only £400 per candidate, however, there are only 16 places available on a first come basis.



Course Content

- Practical cadaveric and microvascular simulation course with an emphasis on hands on experience
- Cadaveric virtual planning and guided surgery with flap inset for mandibular reconstruction using a fibula free flap
- Intramuscular perforator dissection techniques
- Each candidate will raise:
 - An anterolateral thigh free flap
 - A medial sural artery free flap
 - A fibula free flap
- Bedside perforator mark-up
- Patient positioning
- Personalised approaches to reconstruction using perforator flaps
- Chimeric design
- Setup for microvascular surgery
- Vessel preparation
- Principles of triangulation
- Workflow in flap salvage using a diagnostic approach

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