



# SYMBIOSIS CENTRE FOR HEALTH SKILLS (SCHS)

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## THE ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS ENGLAND OFFERS YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO UNDERGO

### INTERCOLLEGIATE BASIC SURGICAL SKILLS (BSS) COURSE

This course is developed and quality assured by the Royal College of Surgeons, UK: [www.rcseng.ac.uk/courses](http://www.rcseng.ac.uk/courses).

The BSS is a two days course designed to introduce surgical trainees to safe surgical practice within a controlled workshop environment. It aims to teach the correct basic surgical techniques, assess and certify the ability of trainees by providing a structured curriculum that is common to all forms of surgery. This course is highly useful for preparation of MRCS examination and provides assessment and certification by the Royal College of Surgeons.

The Course covers the following three main areas:

- Open surgery
  - Understand and practice safe operating techniques, gowning and gloving.
  - Understand the characteristics and handling of surgical instruments.
  - Understand and practice the correct techniques for laying safe surgical knots.
  - Understand the principles of handling tissues and recognize differing requirement for differing sites(e.g. skin, bowel, abdominal wall, vessels and tendons)
  - Understand the principles of assessment and primary surgical management of infected and contaminated soft tissues.
- Endoscopic surgery
  - Understand the differences between open and endoscopic surgery including the manipulation of instruments in a three dimensional surgical environment while viewing a remote two-dimensional image.
  - Practice visuospatial awareness involved in depth cueing and the 'fulcrum' effect of instrument manipulation.

### UPCOMING DATE FOR BSS COURSE

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|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| 03 & 04 January 2025          | :Registration Closed |
| 31 January & 01 February 2025 | :Registrations Open  |
| 04 & 05 April 2025            | :Registrations Open  |
| 13 & 14 June 2025             | :Registrations Open  |
| 22 & 23 August 2025           | :Registrations Open  |
| 31 October & 01 November 2025 | :Registrations Open  |

**Registration** : Maximum 24 registrations only.

**Eligibility** : MS, DNB, MBBS & Surgical trainee in any surgical specialty.

**Fee** :Rs. 25,000/- including original BSS manual, breakfast, lunch & tea on course days.

**Venue** : Symbiosis Centre for Health Skills (SCHS)  
Symbiosis International (Deemed University) Campus,  
Hill Base, Lavale, Pune - 412115, Maharashtra, India

**To Register** : Visit [www.schs.edu.in](http://www.schs.edu.in);

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