



DR. SURAJ MANJUNATH

Consultant - Surgical Oncology

Qualification

MBBS, MS (gen surgery), MCh (surgical oncology), Detroit Fellowship in Surgical, Oncology and Minimally Invasive Surgery, SSO (Society of Surgical Oncology, USA) - Visiting Fellowship

Overview

Dr. Suraj Manjunath is currently a Senior Consultant and Chief of Cancer Surgery at Manipal Hospital, Miller's Road, Bangalore. His special interests include minimally invasive surgery for gastrointestinal cancers, breast cancer surgery (Organ Conservation, Oncoplasty, and Sentinel Node Techniques), and ERAS (Enhanced Recovery After Surgery) protocols in oncosurgery. He has trained in centers of excellence in India and abroad and was the gold medalist in his post-doctoral MCh (surgical oncology) from the Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology. He was the first Indian recipient of the United States Society of Surgical Oncology International Career Development Award. He has trained in Upper Gastrointestinal Oncology at the MD Anderson Cancer Center, University of Texas. He has also worked at the University of Chicago Cancer Center, and the Detroit Medical Center in Michigan. Dr. Suraj Manjunath set up the Department of Surgical Oncology at St. John's Medical College, where he was the Professor and Head till 2017, having served there for more than a decade. During his tenure at St. John's Hospital, he established the DNB training program and post-doctoral (MCh) training program for Surgical Oncology. https://www.stjohns.in/clinical_services/surgicaloncology He has a keen interest in academics and has been an examiner for masters and doctoral students of cancer surgery at four universities. He has more than 60 publications in reputed journals as well as several book chapters. <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Suraj-Manjunath>

Fellowship & Membership

- Fellowship in Surgical Oncology and Minimally Invasive Surgery – Harper University Hospital, Detroit, Michigan, USA, 2011.
- First Indian Recipient of SSO (Society of Surgical Oncology - USA) International Career Development Award, 2013.
- Fellowship in Upper Gastrointestinal Surgical Oncology, MD Anderson Cancer Centre, Houston, Texas, 2014.
- Fellowship in Gastrointestinal Surgical Oncology, University of Chicago Hospital, Chicago, Illinois, 2014.
- Life Member – Indian Association of Surgical Oncology (IASO), Association of Surgeons of India, Indian Society for Peritoneal Malignancies, Bangalore Oncology Group (former Joint Secretary and EC member), Bangalore Surgical Gastroenterology Group.

Field of Expertise

- General Surgical Oncology
- Gastrointestinal and Minimal Access Surgical Oncology
- Breast Cancer Surgery - Organ Conservation, Oncoplasty, and Sentinel Node Techniques
- ERAS (Enhanced Recovery After Surgery)

Languages Spoken

- Kannada
- English
- Hindi

Awards & Achievements

- Former Professor and Head, Department of Surgical Oncology, St. John's Medical College Hospital.
- Gold Medalist, MCh Surgical Oncology, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.
- Founded and developed the Department of Surgical Oncology At St. John's Medical College & Hospital, and established one of the first MCh Surgical Oncology Training Programs in the country in a Private Organization.
- Examiner for MCh (Surgical Oncology) for several universities and DNB (Surgical Oncology), Examiner Convenor for DNB (Surgical Oncology) examinations.
- Founder member, Oncology Task Force, St John's Medical College, and Hospital, which established St. John's Oncology Center in 2013.
- Convenor Tumor Board, St John's Medical College Hospital & Oncology Center, 2013 to 2017.

Talks & Publications

- More than 70 publications in international and national reputed medical journals. Details at <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Suraj-Manjunath>.
- Details of international and national faculty appearances, and paper presentations at <https://drsrajmanjunath.com/professional-credentials/>.