

18 Nov 2009 Wednesday Day 1

- 0800** Everyone to be seated
0815 Arrival of Guest of Honour
0820 Speech by Professor Eu Kong Weng
0830 Speech by Chairman Medical Board
0840 Speech by Guest of Honour
0900 MOU with University of Hong Kong
Speech by Professor Law WL (HKU)
Witness of Signing MOU by GOH and CMB
0925 Breakfast reception – Meet-the- Health Minister session

PAST Chairman: **A/Prof Tang CL**

- 1000** Dr Goh HS How we started the Department of Colorectal Surgery in Singapore against the odds
1015 A/Prof Seow Choen Subspecialisation into Colorectal Surgery
1030 Prof Ho YH Excellence in clinical research in colorectal surgery
1045 Prof Adrian Leong Hereditary Colorectal Cancer – our understanding and misunderstanding

1100 Q & A

PRESENT Chairman: **Dr Goh HS**

- 1115** Prof Eu Kong Weng Colorectal Surgery : Challenges for a world class department
1130 A/Prof Tang Choong Leong Increase in incidence of colorectal cancer – Is it a problem with our screening modalities
1145 A/Prof Ooi Boon Swee MIS in colorectal surgery – can we do more with less?
1200 Dr Ho Kok Sun Training in Endoscopy and Laparoscopic Surgery – it's not see one, do one, teach one.

1215 Prof Michael Li Robotics in Colorectal Surgery
1230 Q&A

1245 Lunch

1245 – 1400 Lunch

1400 – 1500

Difficult Laparoscopic Transverse Colon and Splenic Flexure Mobilization

	Chairman	Dr Lim Jit Fong	Dr Lim Jit Fong
1400	Speakers	Prof Michael Li	Totally laparoscopic mobilization of difficult flexures
1415		Dr Dean Koh	Hand-port assistance for difficult flexures
1430		Prof Seow Choen	Minimal port access/incision for difficult flexures
1445			Q&A

1500- 1515 Tea break

1515 - 1615

Early Rectal Cancer Symposium

	Chairman	A/Prof Tang CL/ Dr Ng KH	
1515		Dr Quah Hak Mien	The role of Endorectal ultrasound in early rectal cancer
1530		Dr Paul Sitzler	Surgery for T1 rectal cancer – TME or TEMS?
1545		Dr Kevin Yau	Transanal excision of T1 rectal cancer – Tips and Tricks
1600			Q&A