FESSH TRAVELLING AWARD 2014



FELLOWSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

OBJECTIVES

- Build on technical skills in nerve surgery
- Understand the growing indications and applications of wrist arthroscopy and some unique cases in hand surgery
- Attend FESSH Congress

I spent 2 weeks in Paris in June 2014. The Institut de la Main is a busy private hospital serving as a tertiary referral centre for both elective and trauma surgery.

The average day starts at 0800 and ends between 1800-1900. Typically there are between 2 and 4 hand surgeons operating during the course of the day with each surgeon having access to 2 theatres simultaneously.

There is a weekly teaching session for the residents and fellows. There is also a staff meeting every month where the complex cases are discussed.

I saw in excess of 100 cases during my visit having had the opportunity to scrub for many of these. I saw a considerable volume of nerve

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