

NUHS UROLOGY RESIDENCY PROGRAMME

The NUHS Urology Residency Programme is committed to the training of well-rounded, academic surgeons equipped with the ability to lead in the field of urology.

Under the guidance of committed, experienced faculty, training is provided in both general urology and subspecialty care. Residents participate in all aspects of patient care from outpatient clinical evaluation, major and minor ambulatory surgical operations to ward-based post-operative care.

Outstanding Features

Our programme aims to achieve excellence in clinical care, translational research and education – the tripartite mission of NUHS – through the following features of our programme:

- 1. Subspecialisation** – Residents are trained by faculty staff dedicated to the most advanced and innovative clinical and operative urology in the respective subspecialties of kidney surgery and transplantation, uro-oncology, endourology, neurourology, female urology and andrology / subfertility. We have the privilege of providing exposure to the entire spectrum of specialty care at a single tertiary unit, including minimally invasive robotic surgery. Residents will also be rotated to other disciplines (e.g. paediatrics surgery and gynaecology) and hospitals to get a well-rounded urology education to prepare them for a surgical career.
- 2. Research excellence** is a requirement of all future urologists to become key opinion leaders in our chosen fields. Our proximal and established links with NUS, A*Star, Biopolis and previous academic records ensure our residents have all the resources and mentor guidance to pursue further education, ranging from Masters in Clinical Investigation (MCI), in Public Health (MPH) to a PhD. Committed faculty will be guiding the residents throughout their educational journey at NUHS.
- 3. Our Core Faculty staff** have a wide-ranging fellowship experience in US, UK, Europe and Australia, supported by world-renowned Yeoh Ghim Seng, Visiting Professor Urs E. Studer and Professor Santosh from Christian Medical College, India, that will provide a comprehensive educational experience for our residents. This also means there are multiple choices for fellowship training for our residents at established international units.



Programme Structure

Year	Rotation	Location
R1 - R2	12 months of General Surgery rotations 3 months of EMD 3 months of Anaesthesia 3 months of Urology 3 months of relevant postings (e.g Paediatric Surgery)	NUHS
R3 - R5	General Urology, Female & Reconstructive Urology, Neuro-Urology, EndoUrology, Andrology Subfertility	NUHS
R6 - Chief	Transplant, Uro-oncology, Advanced EndoUrology, Elective postings, Exit Exams and Fellowship Preparations	NUHS / SGH / TTSH

We prepare you for a surgical career with Urology and not just an education

Residents will be given ample opportunities to modify their postgraduate education and to further their research aspirations with local/ overseas conferences and training courses. They can also collaborate with our established co-investigators at NUS, A*Star and others for a fruitful research career.

Our residents have won awards at local conferences and have travelled to international Urology conferences for presentations and courses which have benefitted them greatly.

We have produced Gold Medallists at FAMS Urology exams. Dedicated core faculty members are always at hand to guide our residents, both in the OTs and clinics. Regular teaching sessions are in our department schedules to ensure that we are always up to date with the latest urological advancements.

Residents are part of this family and we value them as future colleagues.

Join us in the NUHS family and let us help you in your lifelong surgical career with Urology!

