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**Prevention and Management of
Complications in Spine Surgery**

**AUGUST 28, 2021
ZOOM VIRTUAL MEETING**



PHILIPPINE SPINE SOCIETY
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PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

28 August, 2021



730-0800H	Registration
0800-0810H	Welcome remarks [Dr. Francisco P. Altarejos, PSS President]
0810-0820H	Introduction to the course [Dr. Ronald P. Tangente, PSS Vice-President & Dr. Anne Kathleen Ganal Antonio, PSS Chairman-Scientific]
0820H-0830H	Indications, risks and complications of the anterior approach to the sub cervical spine [Dr. Christian N. Casamayor]
0830-0840H	Positioning and anterior approach to the sub cervical spine [Dr Jesse Jerus Alem Gabrieli T. Joson]
0840H-0850H	Indications, risks and complications of the posterior approach to the cervical spine [Dr. Anthony A. Suguitan]
0850H-0900H	Positioning and posterior approach to the cervical spine [Dr. Levi M. Maliwat]
0900H-0910H	Indications, risks and complications of the anterior approach to the thoracic spine [Dr. Moreen T. Velasco]
0910H-0920H	Positioning and anterior approach to the thoracic spine [Dr. Angelo Phillip P. Ong]
0920H-0930H	Indications, risks and complications of the anterior approach to the lumbar spine [Dr. Mikhail Lew P. Ver]
0930H-0940H	Positioning and anterior approach to the lumbar spine [Dr. Mikhail Lew P. Ver]
0930H-0940H	Q&A [Dr. Romel P. Estillore]
0940H-1000H	Coffee Break/A-Spine-Raynham Medical Presentation
1000H-1010H	Indications, risks and complications of the lateral approach to the lumbar spine, positioning and the approach in MISS [Dr. Jewel T. Sadiang- Abay]
1010H-1020H	Indications, risks and complications of the posterior approach to the thoracic and lumbar spine, including positioning and posterior [Dr. Jose Antonio C. Umali]



1020H-1030H	Indications, risks and complications, and techniques in the posterior approach to the lumbar spine in MISS [Dr. Eric O. Belarmino]
1030H-1040H	Correlating anatomy and imaging (CT and MRI) in identifying vessels at risk in anterior approach to the cervical, thoracic and lumbar spine [Dr. Edward O. Arreza]
1040-1100H	Management of intraoperative vessel injury in the cervical, thoracic, and lumbar spine [Dr. Alduz Inri S. Cabasa]
1100H-1110H	Postoperative management of vessel injury, including DVT prophylaxis [Dr. Joanne B. Perez]
1110H-1130H	Q&A [Dr. Ryan Conrad A. Carnero, PSS Auditor]
1130H-1140H	Durotomy and Spinal CSF Leak: What you need to know [Dr. Gilbert J. Ranoa]
1140-1150H	Techniques in repairing a durotomy [Dr. Leo Anthony R. Acedillo]
1150-1200H	Postoperative management of dural injury and repair [Dr. Charles Neil J. Tan]
1200H-1210H	Postoperative CSF leak, its medical management and when to repair [Dr. Michael Louis A. Gimenez]
1210-1230H	Q&A [Dr. Jose Miguel T. Lumawig, PSS Treasurer]
1230	Acknowledgement of Sponsors Closing remarks [Dr. Antonio Mario L. De Castro, VMMC Department of Orthopaedics Asst. Chairman]

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