



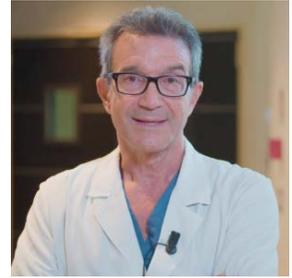
Prof. Luigi Masoni

Profession: Surgeon

Specialty: Digestive System Surgery and Colorectal Surgery, Digestive Endoscopy and Laparoscopic Surgery

He works at: Ospedale San Carlo di Nancy

Languages: Italian, English



Curriculum

He is in charge of the General Surgery Operating Unit at the San Carlo di Nancy Hospital in Rome, which is recognized as a reference point of excellence for the application of minimally invasive techniques. He is specialized in proctological and pelvic floor surgery. He performs about 600 elective and emergency abdominal surgeries every year, and in particular colorectal, cholecystectomy, laparoscopic nephrectomy, celioscopic gynecological interventions, laparoscopic adrenalectomy, "open" or laparoscopic liver resections, total or partial gastrectomies laparoscopic, and operations on the gastroesophageal joint. From 1989 to 2003 he performed over 400 examinations per year of elective and emergency digestive endoscopy both in the field of diagnostics and therapeutic applications. Most of the interventions are performed laparoscopically or through the use of robotic surgery.

Education

In 1984 he obtained a degree cum laude in Medicine and Surgery at the University of Rome "La Sapienza". Later, he specialized in General Surgery at the III School of the University of Rome "La Sapienza" with an experimental thesis in "The role of full-dose pre-operative radiotherapy as a complement to radical surgery of the rectum with sphincter preservation". In 1992 he specialized in Colorectal Surgery at the Division of Colorectal Surgery, from the Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA.

Research

The professor Masoni has been for many a lecturer at the University of Rome "La Sapienza", as well as a member of the Didactic and Scientific Council of the same. He has carried out various research activities at the Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, USA, at the Comprehensive Rectal Cancer Center, Division of Colorectal Surgery. In Italy he was a member of several research projects in the field of colorectal cancer surgery. He is actively engaged in studies relating to the medical and surgical treatment of anal incontinence, laparoscopic surgery of the biliary tract, gastro-oesophageal and colorectal reflux and surgery for severe obesity; in particular, he has developed a new bilio-intestinal by-pass technique, performed for the first time in the world by laparoscopy in December 2000.

Publications

He is the author of over 170 scientific publications, speaker and moderator of scientific congresses.

Awards

Awarded for a having performed a total proctocolectomy intervention with 3 trocars technique, during the XII SICE National Congress - Reggio Calabria, September 2007.