By the end of this workshop, participants should be better able to

Lecture (13:00-13:40)

1. Understand the indications and contraindications of repair of wounds by secondary intention, glue, tape, staple, and suture and block of nerves for repair.

2. Understand when to use certain suture materials and needle selection. Determine the need for tetanus and antibiotic prophylaxis and Know when to refer a wound to specialists (joint, tendon, concern for cosmetics (including follow up))

Hands-On (14:00 – 17:45)

14:00-14:50, 15:00-15:50, 16:00-16:50, 17:00-17:45

1. Be able to accurately describe and document the wound, wound care, and closure technique including skin avulsion repair (including skin tear), V and L shaped wound repair.

   a) Method for describe and document the wound & acute wound care (dressing method and material)

   b) Closure technique: Avulsion laceration repair (including skin tear), V and L shaped wound repair

2. Perform wound closure and exploration techniques including undermining a wound for tension reducing, dog ear repairs and incision for wound exploration.

   a) Undermining a wound for tension reducing & Dog ear repairs

   b) Incision for wound exploration

3. Be familiar with how to close lacerations of the ear lobe, nail bed, finger-tip and through and through lacerations of the mouth

   a) Ear lobe & Through and through lacerations of the mouth

   b) Nail bed and Finger-tip injury (including finger-tip amputation)

4. Perform wound closure technique including transposition, advancement, rotation flap

   a) Transposition flap

   b) Advancement & Rotation flap