



DR. RAJSHEKHAR C JAKA

Consultant - Surgical Oncology

Qualification

MBBS | MS | DNB (GS) | DNB (Surgical Oncology) | FRCS | Robotic Fellowship | European Board Certified | Robotic Surgery

Overview

Dr. Rajshekhar C. Jaka is a distinguished cancer surgeon in Bangalore with over 22+ years of experience in surgical oncology. He is currently practising as a Consultant - Surgical Oncology and Robotic Surgery at Manipal Hospital Jayanagar. Dr. Jaka is highly regarded for his expertise in managing complex cancer cases, ranging from gastrointestinal malignancies to gynaecological oncology. With a robust academic foundation and advanced training in robotic surgery from the Rosewell Park Cancer Institute in New York, he is a leader in the field of minimally invasive cancer surgeries. He is a senior surgical Oncologist in Jayanagar. Dr. Jaka's impressive qualifications include an MBBS, MS, DNB in General Surgery, DNB in Surgical Oncology, FRCS, and a Robotic Fellowship. He excels in performing complex cancer surgeries, including rectal, throat, kidney, urological, and gastrointestinal cancer surgery. His skills also extend to gynaecological oncology, where he performs breast-conserving surgery and gynaecological cancer procedures with precision and care. Additionally, Dr. Rajshekhar C. Jaka is proficient in treating cancers of the tongue, cheek, oral cavity, and thyroid and managing conditions such as soft tissue sarcomas and mediastinal tumours. Throughout his illustrious career, Dr. Jaka has received numerous accolades for his contributions to medical science. He secured the prestigious Mysore Surgical Society PG Award in 2006 and the Millennium Gold Medal Award in 2015 for performing a groundbreaking total robotic three-stage esophagectomy. Other notable recognitions include the GCRI Fellowship, UICC Fellowship, and multiple academic awards for his excellence in surgery. His achievements reflect his commitment to advancing oncology treatment through innovation and dedication. In addition to his clinical expertise, Dr. Rajshekhar Jaka plays a pivotal role in various medical organisations. He has served as the joint secretary and later as the secretary of the Surgical Society of Bangalore, director of Education & Training (South India) for the Association of Breast Surgeons of India (ABSI), and Vice President of the Bangalore Oncology Group. He also reviews research for the Indian Journal of Gynecologic Oncology and leads the Sankalpa Chase Cancer Foundation and Research Trust, demonstrating his dedication to research, education, and patient advocacy. Being multilingual and fluent in Hindi, English, Kannada, Telugu, and Marathi, Dr. Jaka ensures effective communication with patients from diverse linguistic and cultural backgrounds. Known for his kindness and humility, he is deeply committed to providing compassionate, patient-centred care, making him one of the most trusted cancer surgeons in Bangalore.

Field of Expertise

- Robotic surgeon
- Gynec Oncology
- Food Pipe (esophageal) Cancer
- Stomach and Colonic Cancer

- HIPEC specialist
- Parotid Cancer
- MIRP
- PIPAC
- Mediastinoscopy
- Breast conservative surgery
- Thyroid surgery
- Ovary, uterus, Gynecological cancer surgery
- Tongue, cheek and oral cancer surgery
- Throat cancer surgery
- Lung cancer surgery (pneumonectomy, lobectomy).
- Gastrointestinal cancer surgery
- Colonic cancer surgery
- Rectal cancer surgery
- Kidney & urologic cancer surgery
- Soft tissue sarcoma surgery

Languages Spoken

- English
- Kannada
- Hindi
- Telugu
- Marathi

Awards & Achievements

- Mysore surgical society PG award" 2006.
- Psychiatry prize exam- first to the state, 2000.
- 5th rank to the state in M.S, RGUHS Karnataka.
- Vidyaranya award 2010, 2011.
- Mysore surgical society poster award" 2011.
- Gulbarga Sri Sharanabasaveshwara award 2012.
- GCRI- Baroda minimally invasive Travelling fellowship.
- UICC (Union of International against Cancer Control) fellowship 2012 – USA.
- Millennium Gold Medal award" 2015 for "Total robotic three-stage esophagectomy.
- Joint secretary, Surgical Society of Bangalore 2016.
- Secretary, Surgical Society of Bangalore 2018.
- National EC member, Association of Breast Surgeons of India (ABSI) 2016-17.
- Director for Education & Training, South India, Association of Breast Surgeons of India (ABSI) 2018-2019.
- EC member, Bangalore Oncology Group 2016-2018.
- Vice President, Bangalore Oncology Group (BOG), 2019-2020.
- Reviewer for the Indian Journal of Gynecologic Oncology (IJGO).
- Chairman – Sankalpa Chase Cancer Foundation and research trust, Bangalore.
- Organising Secretary of "ABSICON 2016" National conference held at ITC Gardenia Bangalore.
- Organised many workshops and conferences at national & international levels.
- Guide to DNB surgical oncology students (DNB Teaching faculty), general surgery students & breast fellows.

Talks & Publications

- Jaka RC, Singh G. Complete congenital third branchial fistula on right side. Otolaryngology- Head and neck

- surgery 2007; 137: 518-519.
- Jaka RC, Mohan kumar K, Gopinath KS. Spontaneous expulsion of benign phyllodes. The Breast Journal 2009; 15(3): 309.
 - Jaka RC, Zaveri S, Somashekhar SP, Venkatachala K. Value of frozen section and primary tumour factors in determining sentinel lymph node spread in early breast carcinoma using methylene blue dye - an Indian experience. Abstract. Eur J Surg Oncol 2010;36(9):795-932 (Poster accepted at ESSO 2010).
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 - Jaka RC, Somashekhar SP, Zaveri SS, Ahmed Z, Ashwin KR. Intraperitoneal chemotherapy for epithelial ovarian cancer - Single center experience. Indian J Surg Oncol. 2012 Sep;3(3):262-6.
 - Role of Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy in Early Cervical Cancer. Indian J Surg Oncol (December 2012) 3(4):317-320.
 - Prospective randomized study comparing robotic assisted surgery with traditional laparotomy for rectal cancer - Indian study. Indian J Surgery. DOI 10.1007/s12262-013-1003-4.
 - Prospective Randomized Study Comparing Robotic-Assisted Hysterectomy and Regional Lymphadenectomy with Traditional Laparotomy for Staging of Endometrial Carcinoma -Initial Indian Experience. Indian J Surg Oncol 2014;5(3):217-223.
 - Total (Transthoracic and Transabdominal) Robotic Radical Three-Stage Esophagectomy—Initial Indian Experience. Indian J Surg DOI 10.1007/s12262-016-1498-6.
 - CANCER PATIENTS BEAR BRUNT OF INDIA-CHINA ROW - Dr Rajashekar Jaka, Consultant - Surgical Oncology; Dr Amit Rauthan, Consultant-Medical Oncology; Manipal Hospitals Old Airport Road. [Click Here](#)
 - Breast cancer overtaking lung cancer, says city oncologist - Dr.Rajshekhar C Jaka, Consultant - Surgical Oncology, Manipal Hospitals, Jayanagar. [Click Here](#)
 - Mr. Arnab Mondal and Dr. Rajashekar C Jaka on Manipal Hospitals, Whitefield appoints Dr. Rajashekar C Jaka, a renowned Surgical Oncologist | BW Healthcareworld.[Click Here](#)
 - Dr. Rajashekar C Jaka on No need to fear of cancer.[Click Here](#)
 - Media interaction in Kolar district on cancer awareness and advanced treatment methods for progressive cancers - Dr Rajashekar C Jaka [Click Here](#)
 - Dr. Rajashekar C Jaka on Why teenagers should take the HPV vaccine. [Click Here](#)
 - Dr. Rajashekar C Jaka on Breast Cancer Awareness Month 2023: What is Breast Cancer? Know its signs, symptoms, treatment, risk factors and prevention. [Click Here](#)
 - Dr. Rajashekar C Jaka on Ovarian Cancer: Ovarian cancer is becoming deadly for women: Don't ignore these symptoms of ovarian cancer | Hindustan Times Kannada. [Click Here](#)
 - What is Stage 0 cancer? Know types, tips to diagnose early and treatment option. [Click Here](#)