



DR. PRAVEEN C R

Consultant - General Surgery

Qualification

MBBS | MS (General Surgery)

Overview

Dr. Praveen C. R. is a highly respected general surgeon in Bangalore. He is currently practicing at Manipal Hospital Varthur Road, Bangalore, as a Senior Consultant - General Surgery. With a robust background in both general and laparoscopic surgery, he has developed a diverse skill set and extensive experience in managing a wide array of complex surgical cases. Dr. Praveen completed his MBBS from Ramaiah Medical College, followed by his MS in General Surgery from Command Hospital Air Force. His commitment to mastering advanced surgical techniques led him to earn a Diploma in Minimal Access Surgery (DMAS) from the World Laparoscopy Hospital. He is a Top General Surgeon in Bangalore. The professional journey of Dr. Praveen began with brief tenures at Manipal Hospital and Muthoot Advanced Laparoscopy Centre, where he honed his skills as a registrar and junior surgeon. He was involved with P.E.S. Medical College, Andhra Pradesh, as an Assistant Professor in General Surgery. This role allowed him to manage both elective and emergency surgeries, including cases involving the head and neck, abdomen, and peripheral extremities. Following this, he served as a consultant and lecturer at the College of Medical Sciences in Bharatpur, Nepal, where he gained valuable experience in gastrointestinal and urological surgeries. During his time in Nepal, Dr. Praveen performed various oncological surgeries, such as gastrectomies and colectomies, and managed complex cases like Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis. His expertise extended to emergency abdominal surgeries, including liver trauma, splenectomies, and gastrointestinal perforations. He regularly performs both basic and advanced laparoscopic procedures, including appendectomies, cholecystectomies, and hernia repairs. His surgical repertoire also includes more complex operations such as laparoscopic colectomy, splenectomy, pancreatic surgeries, sleeve gastrectomy, and gastric bypass. Being an active contributor to the medical community, Dr. Praveen has several published articles and case reports in prestigious scientific journals. Notably, his review article on transanal endoscopic microsurgery was published in the World Journal of Laparoscopic Surgery, showcasing his interest in cutting-edge surgical techniques. Dr. Praveen has also shared his findings on rare surgical cases, such as retrorectal tumors and splenic flexure volvulus. Besides, he has pursued advanced surgical training through fellowships, including EFIAGES for endoscopy, FALS in hepatobiliary pancreatic surgery at Gangaram Hospital, and FACRSI, a fellowship with the Association of Colon and Rectal Surgeons of India. He is a member of several prestigious professional organizations, including the Association of Surgeons of India (ASI), the Association of Colon and Rectal Surgeons of India (ACRSI), and the World Association of Laparoscopic Surgeons. Dr. Praveen's dedication to patient care, coupled with his extensive academic and surgical experience, has earned him a reputation as a skilled and compassionate surgeon. His fluency in managing both routine and complex surgical cases, particularly in the fields of gastrointestinal and laparoscopic surgery makes him a trusted name in the medical community.

Fellowship & Membership

- DMAS : Diploma in minimal access surgery : World laparoscopy hospital Gurgaon, Delhi.
- EFIAGES: Endoscopy fellowship training.
- FALS (Fellowship in advanced laparoscopic surgery - hepatobiliary pancreatic: held at Gangaram hospital).
- Member of association of ASI (Association of surgeons of India).
- Member of the world association of laparoscopic surgeons.
- FACRSI: fellowship of association of colon and rectal surgeons of India.
- Fellowship in bariatric surgery.

Field of Expertise

- Experience of more than 15 years in General, GI and laparoscopic surgery.

Languages Spoken

- English
- Hindi
- Kannada

Talks & Publications

- Review article: Transanal endoscopic microsurgery. "Where do we stand today?". Review article published in World Journal Of Laparoscopic Surgery., May-Aug 2011;4(2):109-115
- ""Cutix Laxa - A Rare Case Report""
- Original article: Praveen CR, Kafle P, Shrestha SJ. "Our initial experience with manual hemorrhoidopexy – a new technique in the management of grade three hemorrhoids". Journal of Evolution of Medical and Dental Sciences 2013; Vol2, Issue 35, September 2; Page: 6831-6834
- Case Report: Praveen CR, Prakash M, Nandakumar G, Palleti A. Splenic flexure volvulus: Rarest type of colonic volvulus, report of a case. Indian J Colo-Rectal Surg 2018;1:55-6.