



DR. DHIRAJ HARIBHAU KACHARE

Associate Consultant - Surgical Oncology

Qualification

MBBS | MS | DNB (General Surgery) | MRCS | FMAS | FIAGES | FALS
(Robotic Surgery) | DrNB (Surgical Oncology)

Overview

Dr. Dhiraj Haribhau Kachare is a highly skilled Surgical Oncologist with extensive expertise in general surgery, laparoscopic procedures, and advanced surgical oncology. He completed his MBBS from Topiwala National Medical College and B.Y.L. Nair Hospital, Mumbai. He subsequently obtained his M.S. in General Surgery from Grant Medical College and Sir J.J. Group of Hospitals, Mumbai, followed by a DNB in General Surgery. Dr. Kachare holds prestigious international credentials and surgical fellowships, including Member of the Royal College of Surgeons (MRCS, England) and DrNB in Surgical Oncology. He has also obtained specialised fellowships in Minimal Access Surgery (FMAS), Gastrointestinal Endosurgery (FIAGES), and Advanced Laparoscopic and Robotic Surgery (FALS). He has expertise in various kinds of cancers. He provides treatment for head and neck cancers such as oral, thyroid, salivary gland, and neck tumours. He also performs breast-conserving surgery, mastectomy, oncoplastic surgery, sentinel lymph node biopsy and minimally invasive VATS surgery to treat breast, chest and lung tumours. Dr. Kachare also provides surgical care for gastrointestinal & HPB cancers like stomach, liver,

pancreas, and colorectal cancers and gynecologic cancers. He also offers surgery and reconstructive care for skin cancers and soft tissue sarcomas. For treating peritoneal cancers, he uses cytoreductive surgery (CRS) combined with HIPEC chemotherapy. He also performs laparoscopic and robotic procedures for cancer treatment when needed. Beyond active clinical practice, Dr. Kachare is a dedicated medical researcher and academic faculty mentor, serving as a tutor for MRCS preparations and laparoscopy training. He has published research in reputable surgical journals and earned prestigious recognitions, including the Indian Association of Surgical Oncology (IASO) Fellowship Award.

Fellowship & Membership

- Fellowship of Minimal Access Surgery
- Fellowship of the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endosurgeons
- Fellowship of Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery in Robotic Surgery
- Life Member of the Association of Surgeons of India (ASI)
- Life Member of the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES)
- Life Member of the Association of Minimal Access Surgeons of India
- Member of the Indian Association of Surgical Oncology (IASO)
- Member of the Royal College of Surgeons in England
- Member of the Association of Academic Global Surgery (AAGS)
- Member of the Society of Surgical Oncology USA (SSO)

Field of Expertise

- Head & Neck Oncology (Oral, Thyroid, Salivary Gland & Neck

Cancers)

- Breast Oncology – Breast Conservation Surgery, Modified Radical Mastectomy, Oncoplastic Surgery & Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy
- Thoracic Oncology – Minimally Invasive (VATS) Cancer Surgery
- Gastrointestinal Oncology – Upper GI, HPB & Colorectal Cancer Surgery
- Gynecologic Oncology
- Cytoreductive Surgery (CRS) with HIPEC for Peritoneal Surface Malignancies
- Soft Tissue Sarcoma & Skin Cancer Surgery
- Minimally Invasive Oncologic Surgery & Multidisciplinary Cancer Care

Languages Spoken

- English
- Hindi
- Marathi

Awards & Achievements

- Won the Indian Association of Surgical Oncology Fellowship Award for a paper presentation on “Worst Pattern of Invasion”: A Novel Histopathological Parameter that Impacts Adverse Prognostic Factors, Recurrence Patterns and Survival in Oral Cancers at NATCON 2024
- Won the Best Video Presentation Award at NATCON 2024 for a video on “Salvage Supracricoid Partial Laryngectomy”

Talks & Publications

- Presented paper titled “A Sticky Situation” at MASICON 2021
- Presented poster titled ‘Remnant of omphalomesenteric duct causing obstruction’ at ASICON 2021
- Presented paper titled ‘WOPI in head and neck cancers’ at NATCON 2024
- A Sticky Situation. Journal of Medical Science and Clinical Research, 2020.
- A Complicated Case of Recurrent Liver Abscess Requiring Right Hepatectomy. Journal of Medical Science and Clinical Research, 2020.
- Retained plastic biliary stent presenting with obstructive jaundice: A case report. International Surgery Journal, 2021.
- Remnant causing obstruction! - A case of patent omphalomesenteric duct in adults. Asian Journal of Research and Reports in Gastroenterology, 2022.
- SMARCB1-deficient Sinonasal Carcinoma - A Diagnostic Enigma.