



DR. PRAKASH MAHADEVAPPA VEERAPPA

Senior Consultant - General & Laproscopic Surgery

Qualification

MBBS | MS (General Surgery) | PGI Chandigarh

Overview

Dr. Prakash Mahadevappa Veerappa is a seasoned and accomplished general surgeon in Bengaluru with over 33 years of experience in general and laparoscopic surgery. He is currently practising as a Senior Consultant – General & Laparoscopic Surgery at Manipal Hospital Varthur Road, Whitefield, with focused expertise in gastrointestinal and minimally invasive surgical procedures. He completed his MBBS from Bangalore Medical College in 1985, followed by an MS in General Surgery from the Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research (PGIMER), Chandigarh. His surgical training at a premier national institute laid a strong academic and operative foundation, further reflected in his distinction as a Gold Medallist in MBBS and Bronze Medallist in MS. Over the course of more than three decades, he has developed extensive proficiency in open and laparoscopic surgical techniques, with a sustained emphasis on precision, safety, and ethical surgical practice. Dr. Prakash has undergone specialised training in upper and lower gastrointestinal endoscopy in Chennai and basic laparoscopic training in Bengaluru. In 2012, he was awarded a Fellowship in Laparoscopic Surgery by the Indian Association of

Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons (IAGES). He is also a Fellow of Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery (Hernia) and an active member of the Surgical Society of Bangalore and the Hernia Society of India. His focused training in gastrointestinal endoscopy and minimally invasive surgery has enabled him to manage a broad spectrum of abdominal surgical conditions with structured operative planning. His expertise includes general surgical procedures, laparoscopic abdominal surgeries, and hernia repairs using advanced laparoscopic techniques. The evolution of minimally invasive surgery demands careful anatomical understanding and technical precision, particularly in gastrointestinal and hernia surgeries. His structured approach to laparoscopic intervention and abdominal procedures positions him among the best general surgeons in Varthur Road, Whitefield, especially in the domain of laparoscopic and gastrointestinal surgery. In addition to his operative work, he has been actively involved in surgical teaching for undergraduate and postgraduate students, reflecting sustained engagement with academic surgery. Regular participation in workshops and continuing medical education programmes ensures that his practice remains aligned with contemporary surgical standards. His dissertation and academic training background further reinforce his evidence-based approach to operative decision-making. Dr. Prakash speaks English, Hindi, Kannada, and Telugu, facilitating effective communication with a diverse patient population. Patients often describe their interactions with Dr. Prakash as reassuring and well-structured, particularly when navigating surgical decisions that can feel overwhelming. He takes time to explain the rationale behind operative versus non-operative management, outlines realistic recovery expectations, and ensures that individuals and their families are comfortable with the treatment plan.

Fellowship & Membership

- Fellow of Association of Gastro Intestinal Endoscopic Surgeons.

- Fellow of Advanced Laproscopic Surgery (Hernia).
- Surgical Society of Bangalore.
- Hernia Society of India.

Field of Expertise

- Senior Resident General Surgery PGI Chandigarh
- Former Professor of surgery Ambedkar medical college, Adi chunchungiri Medica College, Mandya medical college
- 33 Years of experience in General Laproscopic Surgery

Languages Spoken

- Hindi
- English
- Kannada
- Telegu

Awards & Achievements

- Gold Medalist in MBBS
- Bronze Medalish in MS