

Sacral Neuromodulation: From Patient Selection to Implantation, Troubleshooting, and Special Populations

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 **15:40 PM - 17:10 PM**
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 **King Abdullah International Convention Centre, Jeddah, KSA | Room 3**

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Sacral neuromodulation (SNM) is an established therapy for refractory lower urinary tract dysfunction, yet outcomes remain variable due to gaps in patient selection, implantation technique, and postoperative management. This course provides a comprehensive, practical approach to SNM, covering patient selection, step-by-step implantation strategies, and troubleshooting of suboptimal outcomes. Special focus is given to expanding indications in neurogenic and pediatric populations, where evidence is evolving. Designed for urologists at all levels, this session aims to improve outcomes, reduce complications, and support the safe expansion of SNM use in the region.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the end of this session, attendees should be able to:



Identify appropriate candidates for sacral neuromodulation based on clinical and urodynamic criteria



Describe the key technical steps and pitfalls of SNM implantation to optimize outcomes



Manage complications and troubleshoot suboptimal SNM performance, including in neurogenic and pediatric populations

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AGENDA

15:40 - 15:45	Introduction & Current Landscape of SNM	Tariq Al-Shaiji, Kuwait
15:45 - 16:05	Patient Selection: Who Benefits and Who Fails?	Said Yaiesh, Kuwait
16:05 - 16:25	Step-by-Step SNM Implantation: Tips, Tricks, and Pitfalls	Tariq Al-Shaiji, Kuwait
16:25 - 16:45	Troubleshooting SNM: Loss of Efficacy, Pain, and Revision	Meshari Al-Mutairi, Kuwait
16:45 - 17:05	Special Populations: Neurogenic Patients & Pediatrics	Mai Banakher, KSA
17:05 - 17:10	Q&A	All Faculty

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