سدرة للطب
Sidra Medicine

2nd International Symposium on Hypospadiology

From Foundations to Frontiers



9 to 10 December 2026

Sidra Medicine Auditorium, Doha



DAY 1 · 9th December 2026

07:00 – 07:50	*Registration*
07:50 – 08:20	*Opening Ceremony*

SESSION 1 · Understanding the Basics — Foundations of Hypospadias Surgery

TIME	SESSION PROGRAMME
08:20 – 08:30	**Snapshot of the Hypospadias History** *Elias Sekhri* — Algeria
08:30 – 08:45	**Using Omics to Deconstruct Hypospadias: Insights from the Sidra Hypospadias Biobank Cohort** *Luis Saraiva / Alessandro Berghella* — Qatar
08:45 – 09:00	**Unfolding the Blueprint: Embryology and Anatomical Foundations of Hypospadias** *Laurence Baskin* — USA VIRTUAL
09:00 – 09:10	*Discussion*
09:10 – 09:25	**Anatomical Predictors of Surgical Outcomes: What Should Guide Your Plan?** *Tariq Abbas* — Qatar
09:25 – 09:35	**Hormonal Therapy in Hypospadias: Evidence, Indications, and Controversies** *AbdelAzim Abashar* — Saudi Arabia
09:35 – 09:45	*Discussion*
09:45 – 10:10	*Coffee Break*

SESSION 2 · Surgical Principles — From Concepts to Craft

TIME	SESSION PROGRAMME
10:10 – 10:25	**Tissue Handling in Hypospadias Repair: Do's and Don'ts** *VVS Chandrasekharam* — India
10:25 – 10:40	**Controversies in Hypospadias Care: Age, Dressings, and Catheters Under the Spotlight** *Amine Ksia* — Tunisia
10:40 – 10:50	**Principles of Urethral Reconstruction: Flaps vs. Grafts vs. Tubularization** *Omaya Banihani* — Saudi Arabia
10:50 – 11:00	*Discussion*
11:00 – 11:15	**Managing the Penile Curvature: Techniques for Straightening the Penis** *JL Pippi Salle* — Canada
11:15 – 11:25	**Correction of "Chordee" without Hypospadias** *Arun Srinivasan* — USA
11:25 – 11:35	**Timing Matters? Short vs. Extended Dressing Duration After First-Stage Hypospadias Repair** *Santiago Vallasciani* — Qatar
11:35 – 11:50	**Strategies in the Management of Skin Closure in Hypospadias Cases** *Nicole Bush* — USA VIRTUAL
11:50 – 12:00	*Discussion*
12:00 – 13:00	*Lunch Break*

SESSION 3 · Hypospadias Decision-Making in Practice

TIME	SESSION PROGRAMME
13:00 – 13:10	**Beyond TIP for All: A Selective, Evidence-Based Strategy for Distal Hypospadias Repair** *Anthony Chemaly* — **Lebanon**
13:10 – 13:20	**Grafted TIP: Tips and Tricks** *Abdul Nasser Alsaid* — **Kuwait**
13:20 – 13:40	**Handling Complications: What to Do When Things Go Wrong** *JL Pippi Salle* — **Canada**
13:40 – 13:50	**Salvaging the Hypospadias Cripple: Strategies for the Multiply-Operated Patient** *Prahara Yuri* — **Indonesia**
13:50 – 14:00	***Discussion***
14:00 – 14:20	**Masculinizing Genitoplasty in Patients with DSD** *Essam Elhalaby* — **Egypt**
14:20 – 14:30	**Management of Hypospadias Cases with 5-alpha-reductase Deficiency** *Arbinder Singal* — **India**
14:30 – 14:50	**Managing Adult Hypospadias: From Childhood Repairs to Adult Challenges** *Francisco Martines* — **Portugal** VIRTUAL
14:50 – 15:00	***Discussion***
15:00 – 15:20	***Coffee Break***

SESSION 4 · Global Perspectives — Insights Across Borders

TIME	SESSION PROGRAMME
PART 1 · HOSTED INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS	
15:20 – 15:35	**The Status of Hypospadias Care in Indonesia: Insights from the National Registry** *Irfan Wahyudi* — **Indonesia**
15:35 – 15:50	**Perspectives about Hypospadias Care in the Arab World** *Amine Ksia* — **Tunisia**
15:50 – 16:00	***Discussion***
PART 2 · VOICES FROM THE GLOBE	
16:00 – 16:15	**Pursuing the Best Outcomes: My 40-Year Experience with Hypospadias Surgery** *Bashar Nahas* — **Syria**
16:15 – 16:25	**Reflections on the Hypospadias Training Pathway: My Experience and Key Lessons** *Yousuf Al-Shaqsi* — **Oman**
16:25 – 16:35	**Sudanese Experience of Hypospadias Repair** *Aziza AlNaema* — **Sudan**
16:35 – 16:45	**Versatility of Adjacent Dartos Fascia in Hypospadias Fistula Repair** *Anil Takvani* — **India**
16:45 – 17:00	***Discussion***

DAY 2 · 10th December 2026

SESSION 5 · Live Surgery + Case Discussions

TIME	SESSION PROGRAMME
08:00 – 14:20	**Live Surgery**
12:00 – 13:00	*Lunch Break (during Live Surgery)*

CASE DISCUSSIONS + INTERACTIVE DISCUSSION

14:20 – 14:30	**Case Conversations: Navigating Difficult Decisions in Hypospadias Surgery** *Anil Takvani* — ● **India**
14:30 – 14:40	**Novel Topical Healing Agents in Hypospadias Surgery** *Yaser ElHout* — ● **Qatar**
14:40 – 14:50	**Evolving Strategies for Second-Layer Coverage in Hypospadias Repair** *Safendra Siregar* — ● **Indonesia**
14:50 – 15:15	*Coffee Break*

SESSION 6 · The Next Frontier: Rethinking Training, Mentorship & Global Collaboration

TIME	SESSION PROGRAMME
15:15 – 15:25	**Hypospadias Education–Research-and-Outcomes Hub** *Tariq Abbas* — ● **Qatar**
15:25 – 15:35	**Training and Global Collaboration in Hypospadiology** *VVS Chandrasekharam* — ● **India**
15:35 – 15:50	*Discussion*
15:50 – 16:50	**Panel Discussion: Future Training and Research Collaboration in Hypospadiology** **1.** Pippi Salle — ● **Canada** **2.** Amine Ksia — ● **Tunisia** **3.** Abdul Nasser Alsaid — ● **Kuwait** **4.** Irfan Wahyudi — ● **Indonesia** **5.** VVS Chandrasekharam — ● **India** **6.** Arun Srinivasan — ● **USA**
16:50 – 17:00	**Closure** *Organizing Committee*