

Surgical Skills for the Emergency Department Resuscitation Room 19 & 20 November 2025

Venue: Clinical Anatomy Skills Centre

Thomson Building, Laboratory of Human Anatomy

University of Glasgow, G12 8QQ

Day 1 – 19 November 2025

0830	Registration and refreshments
0900	Introduction and course expectations
0920	Thoracostomy and chest drain introduction
0945	Thoracostomy and chest drain (practical)
1045	Review of instruments and safety
1100	Break
1130	Resuscitation room thoracotomy introduction - When should you open a chest? - How do you open a chest?
1200	Left anterior thoracotomy and ET tube manipulation to collapsed lung (practical) Clamshell thoracotomy (practical)
1315	Lunch
1400	Repair of cardiac structures introduction
1415	Repair of cardiac wounds (practical) Aortic control (practical) Repair of lung injuries (practical)
1620	Review and questions
1645	Finish







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Day 2 - 20 November 2025

0830	Registration and refreshments
0845	Surgical airway introduction
0900	Surgical airway (practical)
0940	Lateral canthotomy demonstration
1010	Perimortem caesarean section introduction
1040	Break
1110	Perimortem caesarean section (practical)
1140	Course review and questions
1210	Finish



