



***Practical and theoretical course on sutures and medications for doctors and nursing staff.
San Vito al Tagliamento. 18th-19th June 2010.***

The theoretical and practical course on sutures and medications for doctors and medical staff has reached the fourth edition in Friuli. As customary the course was held in the Town hall of San Vito, the fourth century building, Palazzo Rota, made available by the local administration.

The theoretical- practical approach given to the course makes part of the educational projects of the SICCR by means of the SICCR Science Centre, and met the complete approval and acknowledgement of its participants.

The course was attended with great interest by doctors, the majority of whom were post-graduate or young surgeons and also by nursing staff.

All participants felt a strong need to bridge the gaps that are present in their formation owing to the inadequate specific knowledge acquired during their studies at University.

And exactly for this reason the practical session of this course, which was held on Saturday was the part mostly appreciated.

Young doctors took turns to practice the various techniques of suture both open and in video laparoscopy on simulators, under the precise guidance of Dr Pisegna and Dr Papadia, for the part regarding open suture, and under the guidance of Dr Tonizzo for the part regarding video laparoscopy. Nursing staff, divide in two groups, carried out both straightforward and complicated medications on patients under the supervision of Dr Baraziol and dr Fraccalanza of the ward of plastic surgery in Udine and of Dr Flamia. All under the tight supervision of Professor Infantino, director of the course.

What were the main requests made by all participants? To increase the practical part and to repeat the course at a more advanced level.

