SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

This appendix has been provided by the authors to give readers additional background reading

Supplement to The Urology Residency Program in Israel—Results of a Residents Survey and Insights for the Future

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ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF THE WER-RASED SURVEY

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1.	Where did you graduate medical school?										
	a. b.	Israel Abroad									
2.	Wł	ıat post ş	gradua	te year	are you	1?					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7				
3.	Но	w many	resider	its are y	ou in t	he war	d?				
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
4.	Но	w many	night o	n-calls	do you	perfor	m per n	nonth,	on average?		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	More than 8		
5.	Ha	Have you taken the general surgery rotation?									
		Yes I'm per No	forming	g it at the	e mome	ent					

6.	To what exter	nt did 1	the gene	ral	surgery rotation contribute to your training?
	Very Little		J		Very Much
	1	2	3	4	5
7.	Do you believ	e that	the gen	eral	surgery rotation should be modified?
					ened to an elective 3 months rotation
					months mandatory rotation months mandatory rotation
	d. The rotati				
8.	Do you feel th	at firs	st step in	gei	neral surgery contributed to your training?
	a. Yes		1	8	
	b. No	1			
	c. I don't	know			
9.	How would yo	ou defi	ine the u	ırol	ogical surgical exposure during the residency?
	Not Good 1	2	3	4	Excellent 5
	1	2	3	+	5
10.	To what exter on training'?	nt wou	ld you d	lefiı	ne the surgical training in your program as 'Hands
	Not At All	•	,	4	Very Much
	1	2	3	4	5
Quest	ions 11-13 are	design	ated for	· po	st graduate year 3 and up residents only
11.	How confiden	nt do y	ou feel p	erf	orming the following procedures independently?
	a. TUR-BT	·	-		
	Not Confident				Very Confident
	1	2	3	4	5
	b. TUR-P				
	Not Confident		•	4	Very Confident
	1	2	3	4	5
	_		scopy (1	Omr	n> distal ureter stone)?
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	_				-
	Not Confident		ostatecto	ımy	(Suprapubic/Retropubic)? Very Confident
	1	2	3	4	5
	e. Open Rad	lical N	ephrect	om	y (simple/radical)?
	Not Confident	1 1	- F 000		Very Confident
	1	2	3	4	5
	f. Open Par	tial Ne	ephrecto	my	?
	Not Confident				Very Confident
	1	2	3	4	5

	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	h. Laparosco	pic Par	rtial Ne	phr	ectomy?
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	i. Open Rad	ical Pro	ostatect	tom	y ?
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	j. Robotic as	ssisted l	aparos	copi	ic radical prostatectomy?
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	k. Circumcis	sion?			
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	l. Hydrocele	?			
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
	m. Performin	g and a	nalyzii	ng a	urodynamic test?
	Not Confident 1	2	3	4	Very Confident 5
12.	Do you practi	ce routi	inely a	urol	ogy out-patient clinic?1
	a. Yesb. Noc. Yes, but n	ot routir	nely		
13.	How many ho	urs a w	eek do	you	work in an out-patient clinic?
	a. 1–2 b. 2–5 c. 5–10				
	tic Surgery				
14.	Is there a surg	gical rol	bot in y	our	institution? ²
	a. Yesb. no				

g. Laparoscopic Nephrectomy (simple/radical)?

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ If answered positively, the participant was automatically directed to question #13

 $^{^{2}}$ Participants were automatically directed to the relevant set of questions, based on their answer.

For residents who answered 'no' to question 14

Do you feel that the absence of a robot is harming your training	r training	g vour	harming	ot is h	robo	e of a	absence	the	that	ou teel	Do '
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- a. Yes
- b. No

Would you like to be exposed to robotic surgery in a designated rotation?

- a. Yes
- b. No

For residents who answered 'yes' on question 14

In how many Robotic procedures do you take part monthly?

- a. 0
- b. 0-5
- c. 5-10
- d. > 10

Do you feel that the infusion of robotic surgery along with the decline in open surgery harmed your training?

- a. Yes
- b. No

Would you like to be exposed to open surgery in a designated rotation?

- a. Yes
- b. No

15. Do you take part in a post graduate education program?

- a. Yes, routinely (more than 75% of the meetings)
- b. Yes, routinely (25%-75% of the meetings)
- c. Seldom (less than 25% of the meetings)
- d. I don't take part in these programs

General Questions (continued)

16. Do you intend to persue a clinical fellowship at the end of the residency?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. I don't know

17. In what field do you want to perform your fellowship?

- a. Uro-oncology
- b. Endo-urology
- c. Pediatric Urology
- d. Female Urology
- e. Infertility
- f. Reconstructive Urology

18.	How many	y conferences in	Israel have you	participated in	during your	residency
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- a. 1–2
- b. 3-5
- c. 5-10
- d. >10

19. Have you ever presented an abstract at the annual meeting of the Israeli Urologic Association?

- a. Yes
- b. No

20. Have you ever participated/presented in an international meeting (AUA/EAU)?

- a. Yes. I presented onceb. Yes. I presented several times
- d. I participated without presenting