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Thank you for offering me this opportunity to have special surgery training in May and June. It was very valuable for me and will make me a better surgeon. I will use it to help other Haitian residents improve their skills. I hope that you will continue to offer this opportunity to future generations of Haitian residents.

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Thank you to the residents who helped me and encouraged me during my stay. I very much appreciated their kind hospitality.
**Opportunities to learn during the two months of training**

Learned different methods of treatment for various types of wounds

Learned from many lectures (bowel inflammatory disease/orientation of a doctor after surgical study /trauma/ thoracic surgery / breast cancer/pre-op care and others...)

Observed & learned from many interesting cases in the operating room

Participated in rounds with different teams

Participated in the morning reports

**Classification of cases:**

General surgery: (57)

Bariatric surgery: (10)

Vascular surgery: (10)

Plastic surgery: (3)

Thoracic surgery: (3)

Urology: (3)

Neurosurgery (1)

Ob/Gyn: (1)

**Cases**

**General surgery cases (57)**

- Right groin hernia/ mesh repair
- Excision/biopsy cervical mass
- Scalp mass / excision-biopsy
- Inguinal hernia/ mesh repair
- Ventral hernia/ mesh repair
- Lap chole/gallbladder stones
- Mass forearm/ excision biopsy
Ventral and umbilical hernia/mesh repair
Hiatal hernia/ close of the defect/mesh/nissen fundoplication
Hiatal hernia/NISSEN fundoplication
Debridement wound both legs
Lap chole for gall stones
Obstruction diverticulitis sigmoid/sigmoidectomy/anastomosis colorectal
Right hemicolecotomy laparosc/ anastose ileotransverse/masse ascending colon
Resection ileale =anastomosis ileotransverse laparotomy/staple
Right inguinal hernia/mesh repair
Right inguinal hernia/mesh repair
EGD/BIOPSY gastric
Thyroidectomy/ thyroid mass
Resection hepatic segment 4 and 5 (antecedent of surgical gallbladder cancer)
Hemorroidectomy closed
Ventral hernia / mesh repair
Hemorroidectomy staple
Ventral hernia/ paraumbilical/mesh repair
Ventral hernia/ mesh repair
EUA( examination under anesthesia)/hemorroidectomy
Umbilical hernia/ mesh repair
Right hip mass/excision biopsy
SBO /closed loop/ exploration laparoscopy/resection/anastomosis ileoileal
Right mastectomy total/breast reconstruction/biopsy sentinel nodes
Tracheostomy/larynx mass
Adenoidectomy /base of tonsil
Closed loop /SBO / exploration laparoscopic/no resection
Tracheostomy (assisted ventilation)
Left Mastectomy radical modified (breast cancer)
Colostomy / patient unconscious who is defecating with other antecedents
Right hemicolecotomy/colic cancer
Right mastectomy/biopsy sentinel nodes
Lap chole/ stone gallbladder
Umbilical hernia/mesh repair
Endoscopy GD/colonoscopy/ biopsy pylorus
Excision of pilonidal fistula
Lap chole/ gallbladder stone
Orchidectomy for hematoma post inguinal hernia repair
Exploration wall abdominal wound ( v.a.c site)
Hiatal hernia/ hernia repair/Nissen fundoplication
Subcutaneous mastectomy for right breast gynecomastia ( adult)
Lap chole/stone gallbladder
Left cervical lymphadenopahy / biopsy excision
Left Scapular mass/excision –biopsy
Hemorroidectomy staple( internal)
Right hip mass/ excision-biopsy
Left inguinal hernia/ plug and patch
Appendectomy McBurney/drain JP/ appendicitis with perforation
Right breast mass/ biopsy
Left breast BAF/ excision
Hypogastric incisional hernia/mesh repair

Bariatric surgery (10)
Sleeve gastrectomy ( 7 cases)
Bypass/gastrojejunostomy roux–en-Y
Conversion sleeve gastrectomy to bypass Roux-en-Y
Bypass Roux-en-Y

**Vascular surgery (10)**
- Endovascular aneurism abdominal repair
- Angiogram/embolectomy/ dilatation/right iliac vein
- A-V access right forearm (2) for dialysis
- Angiogram right leg (2)
- Amputation AKA /gangrene of left leg
- A-V left forearm (2 cases) for dialysis
- Central line/ internal jugular for parenteral nutrition and medications

**Plastic surgery (3)**
- Breast reduction
- Breast reconstruction after mastectomy radical modified (2)

**Thoracic surgery: (3)**
- Lung Biopsy for pleural effusion and thoracic drain via VATS
- Lung mass/VATS/lung BIOPSY/thoracic drain
- Pleural efusion VAT/S//biopsy/drain

**Urology: (3)**
- Penile implant
- Pyeloplasty
- Decortication left kidney cyst

**Neurosurgery (1)**
- Intracranial cyst/biopsy/excision

**Ob/Gyn (1)**
- Total hysterectomy and adnexectomy

Details from records of emergency room and hospitalized cases are not included for reasons of confidentiality.