### CUSTOMER REFERENCES

"We find Simball<sup>®</sup> Box an exciting new training tool with potential to make surgeon training more effective and measurable. With these objective measurements we can better evaluate the performance of the students. We intend to use Simball<sup>®</sup> Box in future courses".

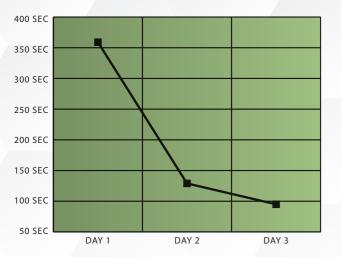
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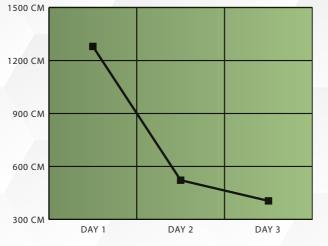
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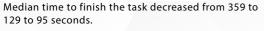
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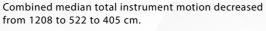
# **CLINICAL STUDY:** SIMBALL® BOX A PROMISING TOOL

Residents attending a 3-day laparoscopy course were evaluated performing a laparoscopic surgical knot at the start, middle and end of the course. Feedback data was presented in reference to expert/tutorial performance.









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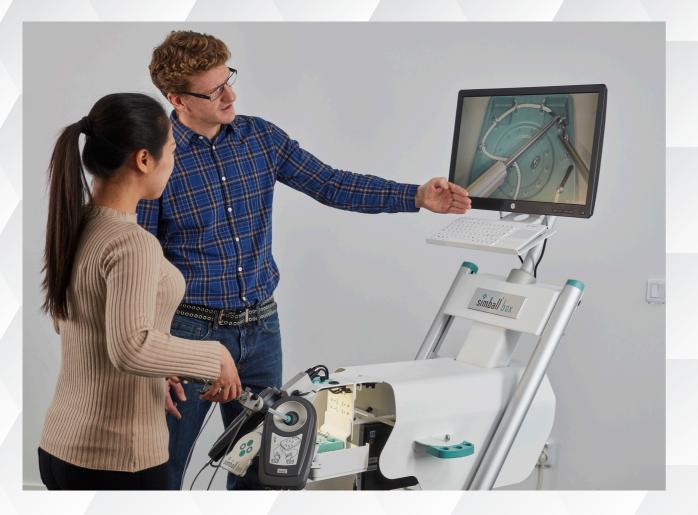


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# MASTERING THE ELEMENTS OF LAPAROSCOPY

# **SIMBALL®BOX**

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### OBJECTIVE FEEDBACK WITH REAL INSTRUMENTS

Simball<sup>®</sup> Box offers surgeons and resident physicians the opportunity to train with their preferred OR instruments and get a sense of the counter-intuitive movements, limited space awareness and reduced tactile feedback that constitute some of the characteristics of laparoscopy.

Simball<sup>®</sup> Box is equipped with a high definition camera and advanced instrument-tracking that provide important feedback. The datapoints, which are visualized in convenient diagrams, show the economy of movement with a focus on the distance covered by the instruments, making it easy to objectively assess the residents level of proficiency.

#### PATIENT SAFETY FIRST

Mastering the basic skills of laparoscopy, before entering the operating theater for the first time, instills confidence in the resident surgeon. Practicing the key skills of laparoscopy reduces the risk of resident physicians making medical errors. The end result translates to fewer adverse events experienced by the patient and lower recovery costs.

#### SAFE AND EFFECTIVE LAPAROSCOPY

Simball<sup>®</sup> Box is an educational tool that offer a way for surgeons and resident physicians to learn laparoscopic techniques in a safe environment. With the help of tutorial task videos, residents will get familiarized with different techniques that can be practiced in preparation for their first real patients.

## MODELS WITH A TRUE TISSUE SENSE FOR SUTURING AND GRASPER TRAINING



#### **KEY FEATURES:**

- Real instruments that are easy to connect.
- High-class models for suturing and grasper training.
- Economy of movement with instrument tracking.
- Data visualized in convenient diagrams.
- Easy to plot learning curves and benchmark performance.
- Benchmarking in relation to expert level performance.
- Real-time visual feedback.
- Structured learning with video tutorials and intuitive user interface.
- Objective assessment and certification.
- Robust and user-friendly.

# AVAILABLE EXERCISES FOR SIMBALL<sup>®</sup> BOX

#### **BASIC SKILLS TASKS**







PEG PICKER



PRECISION CUTTING

#### SUTURING TASKS



BASAL SUTURING



GASTRIC BYPASS, GE AND EA



VAGINAL CUFF CLOSURE