



Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgeons
College of Surgeons, Singapore
Annual Report 2016

10th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 10th Annual General Meeting of the Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgeons was held on Wednesday, 25 February 2016 at 6.00pm, Lee Kong Chian Boardroom, Academy of Medicine, Singapore, 81 Kim Keat Road, NKF Centre, Singapore 328836.

CHAPTER SPECIALTY BOARD

The following Chapter Specialty Board Members were duly elected to serve their term of office from 2016-2017 starting from the date of the 9th Annual General Meeting of the Chapter:

Chairman:	Dr Yeo Sze Wei Matthew
Vice-Chairman:	Dr Por Yong Chen
Honorary Secretary:	Dr Ho Yew Ming Samuel
Members:	Dr Tan Ying Chien
	Dr Wong Thien Chong, Marcus
	Dr Woo Kok Yen Evan Lee
	Dr Goh Lin Hon Terence (Co-opt)

At the time of writing the Annual Report, the 2016-2017 Chapter Board had conducted one board meeting on 5th October 2016.

MEMBERSHIP

The total membership as of December 2016 under the Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgeons now stands at 59 Fellows comprising 58 Local Fellows and 1 Overseas Fellow.

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION (CME) EVENTS

The Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgeons has organised Continuing Medical Education listed below :

SN	Date	Venue	Speaker and Topic
1.	27-May-16	Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel	Plastic Surgery at Tri-Service General Hospital, Taiwan : A Personal Experience (<i>Dr Dai Niann-Tzyy</i>) Breast Reconstruction at King Chulalong Memorial Hospital (<i>Dr Apichai Angspatt</i>) Evolution of The Burns Treatment Protocol (<i>Dr Chong Si Jack</i>)
2.	20-Oct-16	Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel	The Future of Scar Management (<i>Dr Kim Yong Occk</i>) Clinical Experience With Scare Treatment (<i>Dr Matthew Yeo</i>)

PARTICIPATION IN AMS'S INITIATIVES - TASK FORCE

All Specialty Chapters under the College of Surgeons, Singapore were invited by the Academy of Medicine, Singapore (AMS) to participate in the Aesthetic Medicine Taskforce, co-chaired by Dr Thirumoorthy and Dr Tan Kok Chai. The Chapter represented by Dr Matthew Yeo and Dr Terence Goh were instrumental in drafting the Report of AMS Task Force on Aesthetic Medicine Practice", published on 6 Jun 2016.

PLASTIC AESTHETIC SURGERY MEETING 2016

The Inaugural Plastic Aesthetic Surgery Meeting 2016 jointly organized by the Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons, and Singapore Association of Plastic Surgeons was held at Academia, SGH from 2 - 3 September 2016 with 3 primary objective:

- 1) Provide continuing medical education to the committee of Plastic Surgeons
- 2) Provide platform for senior Plastic Surgeons to share experience with juniors
- 3) Foster closer interaction within local committee

The Visiting Academician 2016 Award was presented by Dr S R E Sayampanathan, Master of the Academy of Medicine, Singapore to Dr Michael Miroshnik and Dr Man Koon Suh for their key note address respectively.

PARTICIPATION IN MOH'S INITIATIVES

All Specialty Chapters under the College of Surgeons, Singapore were invited by MOH through the Academy of Medicine, Singapore (AMS) to participate and provide professional opinions on various topics. The professional opinions by Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgeons are listed below :

SN	Date	Topic	Organisation
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1.	25-Jan-16	A General Practitioner's clinic to justify provision of Non-List A aesthetic procedures	MOH
2.	18-Apr-16	Invasive Procedures in a HDB apartment	MOH
3.	9-Jun-16	Private Hospitals and Medical Clinics (PHMC) Act & PHMC (Publicity) Regulations	MOH
4.	29-Aug-16	Procedures performed in Outpatient Medical Clinics	MOH
5.	11-Oct-16	Publicity Claims: A General Practitioner Clinic - Zeltiq Coolsculpting	MOH
6.	27-Oct-16	Crystal Tomato & I-Lipo	MOH
7.	8-Dec-2016	Invasive Aesthetic Procedures by a Beautician	MOH
8.	8-Dec-2016	Alleged practice of Invasive Aesthetic Procedures	MOH
9.	8-Dec-2016	Updates to table of surgical procedures and call for submission of proposals for 2016/2017 Review Cycle	MOH

COLLEGE OF SURGEONS LECTURE

The College of Surgeons, Singapore awarded the College of Surgeons Gold Medal Award to Dr Vigneswaran Nallathamby (Associate Consultant, Department of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgery, Ng Teng Fong Hospital) for best performance at the local Plastic Surgery Board Exam.

ACTIVITIES IN THE PIPELINE

The Chapter plans to organize the following events / activities for 2017.

- 1) Continuing Medical Education events dinner symposium
- 2) Plastic Aesthetic Surgery Meeting in 2017

APPRECIATION

The Chapter wishes to record its appreciation to all our Fellows for their support rendered in the past year and look forward to their ongoing support for future projects.

December 2016

Dr Ho Yew Ming Samuel

Honorary Secretary

On behalf of 2016-2017 Board,

Chapter of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgeons