

Diploma in specialized Studies of General Surgery

Duration: five years

I- Training (approximately two hundred fifty hours)

A) *Basic Training*

- Surgical anatomy
- Surgical practice, surgical methodology
- General pathology
- Traumatology
- Non- traumatic surgical emergencies

B) *Specific training*

Theory-teaching within the framework of the diploma in specialized studies or specialized complementary studies for which the department to which the trainee belongs is recognized.

II- Practical Training

A) Eight semesters in the approved departments for one of the diplomas in specialized studies or diplomas in complimentary specialized surgery studies, which encompasses:

- One semester at least in the recognized department for the diploma in specialized studies of general surgery, grade bone surgery;
- One semester at least in the recognized department for the diploma in specialized studies of general surgery, grade visceral surgery.

B) Two semesters in the recognized departments for this or for another specialty.

Diploma in complementary specialized studies in orthopedic and traumatology surgery

Duration: six semesters

I – Teaching (approximately one hundred hours)

- Biomechanics
- Bone and joint infections
- Tumors and dystrophies;
- Traumatic and non-traumatic pathology of the extremities, the skull, the neck, the rachis and the girdles;
- Vascular traumatism, traumatism of nerves and muscles;
- Polytraumatism
- Pediatric orthopedics.

II - Practical Training

Six semesters in the recognized departments for the diploma in complementary specialized studies in orthopedic and traumatology surgery, out of which at least one semester in a department of pediatric orthopedics. The semesters of orthopedic surgery have to be carried out in at least two different departments.

III - Diploma in specialized studies allowing to apply for the Diploma in complementary specialized studies in orthopedic and traumatology surgery:

Specialized studies diploma in general surgery with the prior approval of the coordinating trainer for that complementary diploma in specialized studies.