



Inside OT
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Brand-new reality-doc series Inside OT takes viewers right into the heart of operating theatres in Singapore, capturing the intensity, tension and happenings within. Each episode traces how doctors in different hospitals manage risks and overcome challenges for the well-being of their patients.

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Episode 1 - Khoo Teck Puat Hospital: Mastectomy & Breast Reconstruction

Mdm Lim was diagnosed with breast cancer and needs to have her left breast removed. The forty one year old decides to undergo breast reconstruction, but this will be no simple procedure. Two surgical teams will be operating on her simultaneously, and the surgery is expected to take up to 8 hours.

Episode 2 - Alexandra Hospital: Inguinal Hernia Repair & Cataract Surgery

Years ago, a bulge appeared in Mr Chua's groin area. Today, he has to undergo surgery for it, but his doctor promises it will only leave 3 small incisions on him. On the other hand, Mr Ong is undergoing cataract surgery. It will only be 20 minutes, but every minute will require the utmost caution.

Episode 3 - Singapore General Hospital: Laparoscopic Colorectal Surgery & Arthroscopic Shoulder Surgery & Endovascular Arteriovenous Fistula (endoAVF)

Doctors face challenges head-on as they treat elderly patients in the operating theatre --- one suffering from third-stage colorectal cancer and another with a broken shoulder blade. We learn about a new, less invasive medical procedure for end-stage kidney failure patients to undergo haemodialysis.

Episode 4 - National University Hospital: Cervical Spine Surgery & ACL Reconstruction

For 2 years, 55 year old Royston has been tormented by neck pain. The surgery that can treat his problem also carries risks of its own and he has to make a difficult choice. 26 year old Afendi tore his ligament while playing football. His best chance of returning to the sports is through surgery.

Episode 5 - National Heart Centre Singapore: Transcatheter Aortic Valve Implantation (TAVI) & Lung Nodule Surgery

Two elderly patients go under the knife at the National Heart Centre Singapore. One man gets an artificial aortic valve implant in a minimally invasive surgery, while the other has to undergo two surgeries; the first to remove a lung nodule and then another to remove a larger part of his lungs.

Episode 6 - Ng Teng Fong General Hospital: Parathyroidectomy & Whipple operation

Diagnosed with pancreatic cancer which is mostly incurable, a woman has to decide whether she should undergo a 7-hour-long operation to remove her affected organs, while doctors treat a sales trainer suffering chronic stomach pain and insomnia from hyperparathyroidism. How will their nightmares end?

Episode 7 - Gleneagles Hospital: Bariatric Surgery

Weighing 204 kg, Siddique has finally decided to turn his life around after a health scare. He will be undergoing bariatric surgery, but to achieve the best results, he will also have to put in immense effort before and after the operation to change his ways. Will he be able to do it?

Episode 8 - Ng Teng Fong General Hospital: Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy & Laparoscopic Appendicectomy & Small Bowel Resection

It is do or die as doctors need to cut out the perforated small bowel of an elderly woman within two hours. A perforated appendix complicates surgery to treat appendicitis for a patient with an immune system disorder. A real estate agent discovers gallstones is the cause of her chronic stomach pain.

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