

# e-Learning for Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery – e-LPRAS

A high-quality educational resource for specialty trainees



- An interactive learning resource covering all aspects of plastic surgery, with self-assessment questions
- Written by an international panel of leading clinical experts
- Developed by the British Association of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons and Health Education England e-Learning for Healthcare

**e-LPRAS enables you to gain the knowledge and understanding to support good clinical practice in plastic surgery. It is mapped to the Intercollegiate Surgical Curriculum Project – the UK framework for training in this field.**

The course content provides peer-reviewed, evidence-based material for self-directed learning. It is primarily aimed at plastic surgery trainees from year 3 onwards. However, the content is also suitable for less experienced trainees, career grade surgeons, plastic surgery nurses and other allied healthcare professionals.

You can access e-LPRAS via the Internet and study at home, in the workplace or even on the move.

## key features at a glance

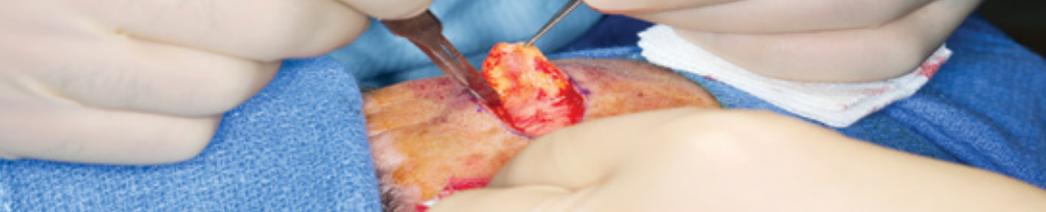
- **Comprehensive course content**  
e-LPRAS provides structured learning to support both training and professional development. Each learning session takes between 20 and 40 minutes to complete.
- **Self-assessment**  
You can test your knowledge with self-assessment exercises as you progress through the course. You can also track your learning online and download or print off a certificate for your training or continuing professional development portfolio.
- **Written by clinicians for clinicians**  
The content has been written and peer-reviewed by an international panel of practising clinicians. It has been developed by the British Association of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons (BAPRAS) – the leading professional body in this field in the UK. So, e-LPRAS meets the highest training and quality standards.
- **A flexible training resource**  
e-LPRAS supports and enhances classroom and workplace-based learning. It can be used to help prepare for examinations or to refresh and update knowledge.
- **Available anywhere, at any time**  
You can fit this e-learning flexibly around your work or study commitments since e-LPRAS is available online.

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### Interactive content

The content has been written and peer-reviewed by an international panel of leading clinical experts. It offers an engaging and interactive learning resource, with photographs, diagrams and self-assessment questions. These questions test your understanding of key concepts and allow you to reflect on your own clinical practice. There are also links to further recommended reading sources, many of which can be accessed directly online.

### Wide-ranging applications

The learning sessions are arranged into modules by subject theme.

You can select modules that are particularly relevant to your training needs and track your progress online.

*e-LPRAS* supports and enhances traditional classroom and workplace-based learning. It provides the knowledge and understanding to help you prepare for hands-on surgical training sessions and examinations.

Using this multidisciplinary resource, you and your colleagues can learn from standardised, high-quality materials. Furthermore, you can study at your own pace and fit the training around your professional commitments.

Accessible anytime, anywhere, *e-LPRAS* offers an invaluable resource that is now available globally.

**PURCHASE NOW**

*“BAPRAS is moving to a learning profile for plastic surgeons in which e-LPRAS provides core knowledge, followed by avatar-based learning of the essential surgical steps before a trainee enters the operating room. e-LPRAS is the first stepping stone in plastic surgical education.”*

**Mr Nigel Mercer**  
Past President, British Association of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons (BAPRAS)

## course content

The course modules are divided into bite-sized learning sessions. Topics covered include:

### • Essential Knowledge and Skills

- Introduction to plastic, reconstructive and aesthetic surgery
- Skin
- Nervous system
- Musculoskeletal system
- Immune system
- Blood and blood vessels

### • Surgical Principles

- Preparation for plastic surgery
- Operative techniques in plastic surgery
- Skin grafts and flaps
- Lasers in plastic surgery (including Core of Knowledge)
- Postoperative care

### • Head and Neck

- Head and neck trauma
- Head and neck cancer
- Aesthetic surgery of the head and neck

### • Congenital Head, Neck and Skin

- Congenital anomalies of the head and neck
- Cleft lip and palate
- Congenital anomalies of the skin

### • Upper Limb

- Congenital anomalies of the upper limb
- Trauma in the upper limb
- Neurological abnormalities of the upper limb
- Dupuytren's disease

### • Breast and Chest

- Benign conditions of the breast
- Breast cancer
- Breast reconstruction
- Aesthetic surgery of the breast

### • Lower Trunk

- Surgery of the abdominal wall
- Reconstruction of the perineum

- Pressure sores

- Surgery of the male and female genitalia

### • Lower Limb

- Lymphoedema
- Vascular malformations
- Lower limb trauma
- Surgical procedures in the lower limb

### • Burns

- General principles
- Initial management
- Surgical management
- Complications
- Rehabilitation
- Secondary reconstruction

For further details, please take a look at the project website.

