

AN INVITATION TO

Bariatric and Metabolic Surgeries



Event details:

Date: Thursday 2nd May 2019

Time: 6:30pm arrival for 7:00pm

Venue: The Cowrie Restaurant, 109 Scenic Hwy, Terrigal

Enjoy an evening with Dr Oliver Florica

Dr Florica is an Australian Surgeon with emphasis on complex lower and upper gastrointestinal procedures such as bowel cancer, diverticular disease, gastric, anti-reflux, hernia, obesity surgery, etc. His experience is enhanced by years of training in surgical and orthopaedic trauma, plastic and reconstructive surgery, intensive care and advanced life support and resuscitation techniques in centres of excellence in South Africa and Australia. Dr Florica has performed in excess of 4,000 various laparoscopic procedures. Currently his practice is focused on laparoscopic abdominal surgery and bariatric procedures and he is one of the first surgeons in Australia to use the Da Vinci Robot in his field. In the last five years Dr Florica has introduced into his practice a reversible laparoscopic gastric reduction by a suturing technique (gastric plication) which produces a smaller stomach, without removing it.

Learning Outcomes:

- Understand the perspective of bariatric surgery, its transition to metabolic surgery and the impact on management of chronic disease.
- Gain an insight into the future of laparoscopic surgery; advantages of robotic surgery in bariatric patients and transition to robotic surgery in general surgery.



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