



CASE OF THE MONTH

The Society of Surgeons of Trinidad & Tobago announces the introduction of our Case of the month series.

Every month a case submitted will be posted on to the website to foster continuing medical education and discussion among the community.

This is a great way for residents to build their CV.

Cases can be submitted at any time and cases selected for publication will be posted on our website.

All case submissions must be accompanied by a signed patient consent form included in this document.

FORMAT

Title page

Title

Authors (Maximum 6)

Author Affiliations and Telephone & Email Contact

Specialty: (Can be multiple)

Word Count (Maximum 2000)

Case report

Introduction: Background and aspect of case for discussion.

Case Description: A summary of the salient points in the history, examination, investigations and management. May include up to 3 images (JPEG format) and or 2 videos (mp4 format)

Discussion: The main purpose of the discussion is to review why decisions were made and extract salient learning points.

The entire submission should be submitted in BOTH PDF and Word (as well as raw JPEG and MP4 files as appropriate) to surgeonssocietytt@gmail.com

Consent Form – Case Reports For a patient’s consent to publication of information about them contained in Case Reports considered as part of the Society of Surgeons of Trinidad and Tobago Case of the month series.

Title of case report:

Name of person described in the case report:_____

Author: _____

I _____ [INSERT FULL NAME] give my consent for this information about (1) Myself / (2) My child / (3) My relative [DELETE AS APPROPRIATE] relating to the subject matter above to appear on the Society of Surgeons of Trinidad and Tobago website and their associated publications. I hereby declare that I understand the following: 1. Every attempt to ensure my anonymity will be taken, including removing my name from the case report as well as removing identifying features from any photos or videos used. I understand, however, that complete anonymity cannot be fully guaranteed (for example, those who looked after me in hospital or a relative may be able to identify me from the details of my case). 2. The information will not be used for advertising purposes nor used out of context. 3. I can revoke my consent but only before the information has been sent to the publisher, uploaded to the website or in any other way e-published.

Signed:

Date:
