

July 2021 CarePoint Robotics Program



Today, I am pleased to announce the appointment of Ravikumar Brahmbhatt, MD, FACS, CWSP as System Director of Robotic Surgery. Under the leadership of Dr. Brahmbhatt, we will be setting up a robotic steering committee with representation from Gynecology, Surgery, Bariatrics, Orthopedics, Urology, and Thoracic specialties. This team will also be establishing a Robotics curriculum for residents and an eventual fellowship program to expand the availability of formal robotics training for providers in the CarePoint Health system.

CarePoint Health Robotics Program

The CarePoint Health Robotics Program was established in 2013 with help of Dr. Daniel Smith. In its 8-year history, the Program has completed over 1,600 operations in Christ Hospital and over 1,300 operations in Hoboken University Medical Center. Christ Hospital and Hoboken University Medical Center have both been awarded Centers of Excellence in Robotic Surgery. Christ Hospital received the award in January 2020 and HUMC received the award in 2019.

The Robotics Program provides advanced, high-quality care for Hernia, Colon Cancer, Gynecology Surgery, Endometriosis Surgery, Bariatric (weight loss) Surgery, Lung Cancer and Cardiothoracic Surgery, Kidney Cancer and Urology Surgery, Orthopedic Surgery and Neurosurgery.

Ravikumar Brahmbhatt, MD, FACS, CWSP



Newly appointed system director, Dr. Brahmbhatt has completed over 1,100 Robotics operations to the date, including all types of abdominal hernia, hiatal hernia, colon cancer, gallbladder, and pancreas surgeries.

In 2020, Dr. Brahmbhatt received Master Surgeon of Robotics Surgery and Master Surgeon of Hernia Surgery. He has been teaching the surgical residency program at Christ Hospital since 2015. He completed medical school and a surgical residency at University of Baroda Medical College in India. He did his internship and surgical residency at NY Methodist Hospital in Brooklyn, New York, and his fellowship training in Surgical Critical Care/ Trauma at Cooper University Hospital, Camden, New Jersey.

Please join me in congratulating Dr. Brahmbhatt on this appointment and his work to date for the CarePoint Robotics Program. I welcome your continued support for the Robotics Program as we continue to deliver high-quality surgical care to the members of the communities we serve.

With appreciation,

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