

# UH MERKUR

ZAJCEVA 19, 10 000 ZAGREB, CROATIA

Chief of Department: Dr. Vedran Pazur

Number of Consultants: 4

Number of Trainees/year: 2

Hospital Population Area (intended as hospital catchment area):

Citizens: 300 000

Contact Person/Responsible: [Ivan Cvjetko, MD, PhD ivancvjetko@yahoo.com, vascular surgeon](mailto:ivancvjetko@yahoo.com)

Language of daily activities: Croatia, English

Language required: English

Duration of placement: 1 month

Salary: no

Tuition Fee: no

Required Trainee Level: no

Training Center give active access to surgical and endovascular activities: yes

Training Center accepts overseas / non-European trainees: yes

Organization of International Events: yes, April/May

Papers published internationally by the unit each years: YES/one

Possibilities of scientific collaboration/publishing with the centre during the stage: YES

Average number of operative theatre sessions per week (session equivalent to ½ day work):

Number 15

Accommodation (can this be provided by the host trust?): NO

Living Cost: € 1000€/month(Moderately Expensive)

**ENDOVASCULAR: YES**

Procedures per year:

TAA/ Complex TEVAR: number 0-1

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AAA: number 5

Carotid / Supra-aortic Trunks: number 20

Renal disease: number 5

Visceral Disease: number 5

Infra-Inguinal procedures: number 100

Other: 200

**OPEN SURGERY: YES/NO**

Procedures per year:

**OPEN/ENDO Ratio on Aortic procedures:**

TAA: number 0-1

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Carotid / Supra-aortic Trunks: number 90

Renal disease: number 0-1

Visceral disease: number 0-1

Infra-Inguinal Bypass: number 120

Other: number 300

**VENOUS PROCEDURES: YES/NO**

Procedures per year:

Saphenectomy: number 200

Sclerotherapy/Foam Therapy: number 50

Radiofrequency: number 10

Laser procedures: number

Other: number

**VASCULAR ACCESS: YES/NO**

Procedures per year: 30

Native AV-Fistulas: 30

Prosthetic AV-Fistulas: 1

**NON-INVASIVE VASCULAR DIAGNOSTIC (eco-Doppler): YES**

Procedures per year:

Supra-aortic trunks studies: number 100

AAA/ EVAR follow-up: number 10

Peripheral arteries: number 100

Veins studies: number 200

Other: 200

**NOTE: Vascular surgeons perform open vascular surgery (including aortic and re-do below inguinal, 95% carotid surgery in local anaesthesia, eversion technique). We have daily meetings with radiologists who perform endovascular procedures. Within UH Merkur there is a transplantation team that performs 110 liver tx per year.**