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**Accreditation of Gynaecological Laparoscopic Surgery**

**Guidelines for Application (July 2006)**

- A) 2 levels - Intermediate (level **II** & **III**, HKCOG)  
- Advanced (including level **IV** or above, HKCOG)
- B) Time frame - Laparoscopic operative procedures performed during any five-year period chosen within the ten years prior to the date of submission (this rule to be effected from 1st July 2007). Deadline for submission of application is 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018.
- C) Details of requirement for the 2 levels are as follows:-

	<i>Intermediate</i>	<i>Advanced</i>
Minimum number of cases	30	50
Variety of operation	<p>i) 3 or more types</p> <p>ii) any one type should not be more than 35% of 30, i.e. 11; cases of the same type in excess of this number would not be counted towards the minimum requirement</p> <p>iii) at least 10 procedures of level <b>III</b> or above</p>	<p>i) 3 or more types</p> <p>ii) any one type should not be more than 35% of 50, i.e. 18; cases of the same type in excess of this number would not be counted towards the minimum requirement</p> <p>iii) at least 20 procedures of level <b>IV</b> or above</p>

- D) Level **I** procedures should not be listed. Cases should be in consecutive and chronological order.
- E) The case list must be certified by the relevant medical administrator (i.e. medical superintendent/hospital chief executive, general manager (clinical service) / clinical coordinator, or head of department) of each hospital.
- F) Operative records and pathology reports of all submitted cases have to be included with the application.
- G) Application fee - \$1,000 (non-refundable)  
Resubmission under same application - \$500 (non-refundable)
- H) Applicant's consent and release for inquiry should be provided.

**N.B. The guidelines for application may be reviewed in future when necessary. The final interpretation of this guideline rests with the College Council.**

*endorsed by Council on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2006*