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Cancer conference

Saroj Gupta Cancer Centre and Research Institute,

Thakurpukur, hosted a national conference on surgical oncology, SASICON-2017, over the weekend. Ahead of the conference, seven major surgeries were conducted for free in presence of leading surgeons like Shailesh V Shrikhande and Manish Bhandare (both from Mumbai). The entire procedure was monitored by Dr Gareth Morris Stiff of the US, a robotic surgeon specialist, through video-con. Dr Arnab Gupta, director of the hospital and organizing secretary of the SASICON, said: "This conference threw light on many grey areas of surgical oncology."