

## Oncological Surgery – Kandy

### Objectives:

1. Identify cancer as a disease with a natural history of progression.
2. Teach to evaluate cancer patients (to facilitate management under principles of section 3)
  - (a).Diagnosis
  - (b).Staging
  - (c).Physical fitness
3. Teach principles and concepts of a cancer treatment plan (as complex treatment with a multidisciplinary approach)
  - (a).Prevention – Primary & Secondary
  - (b).Curative treatment
  - (c).Palliative treatment
  - (d).Terminal care
4. Teach basic principles of customizing treatment for a cancer patient.

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