

Department Installs plasma screens in lecture theatres one and two

The department has installed two plasma screens in theatres one and two.

The 65 inch screens are connected to all theatres within the main theatre complex. The system is able to transmit operative procedures live from theatres to both lecture halls. At the same time facilities exist for recording operative procedures for later viewing. The transmission will be two way and will allow students to view procedures and at the same time ask any questions they may have of the operating surgeon or his team.

This system will provide a better quality experience to the students compared to the old LCD based system. This latter will be decommissioned and used for other purposes.

This is one of the innovative teaching methods adopted to cope with the large student numbers as not all students are able to watch surgical operations due to space constraint within the theatres.

Other specialties using the main theatres are encouraged to use the facility for the benefit of their student.

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