



AMIT KUMAR MBBS, ABS, FACS

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Meet Dr. Amit ▶

- Dr. Amit Kumar is an American Board Certified Surgeon who trained at the Cleveland Clinic, USA.
- Dr. Amit has performed more than 1100 vascular & endovascular procedures over the last 5 years in the Middle East. These include, the first successful atherectomy in the Middle East as well the first use of a drug eluting peripheral stent.
- His clinical interests include mainly endovascular and open treatment of diabetic ischemic feet, carotid disease for stroke prevention, aortic pathology specifically in dissections and aneurysms involving the thoracic and abdominal aorta as well as the endovenous (minimally invasive) treatment of varicose veins such as RFA and EVLT.
- He was the Principal Investigator of the first vascular study in the Middle East, The ABC in PVD study, a multi-institutional study across the Emirates. Previously he has received a grant for Robotic Surgery, which he pursued at East Carolina University, North Carolina, USA. His research interests involve design and innovation. He designed the “Deep Driver,” for use in deep abdominal surgery.
- In his efforts to promote vascular awareness he has given more than 70 talks both locally as well as at international conferences on the topic of vascular disease in the Middle East. In addition he has organized several vascular conferences in Abu Dhabi.
- Dr. Amit founded the Center for Vascular and Endovascular surgery at BR Medical Suites.
- His most recent publication “Handbook of Endovascular Interventions” has recently been published in the US.
- Perhaps most importantly his cross appointment at Columbia University, USA, allows patients to access the same quality of health care that they would expect to receive in the United States except right here in the region. Many of his patients come from the neighboring countries for management of the complex vascular diseases.

About Dr. Amit

Specialty

- Aortic aneurysms and dissections
- Peripheral vascular disease
- Carotid disease and stroke prevention
- DVT and anti-coagulation
- Varicose veins (Endovenous treatment)
- Leg swelling
- Uterine fibroid/Ovarian vein embolization
- Wound care including diabetic foot
- Port-A-Cath insertion
- Dialysis access - catheters, AV fistulas, PD catheters, Fistuloplasty

Awards & Affiliations

- Outstanding Resident Teaching Award
- Gulf Representative - TASC III Guidelines
- Fellow - American College of Surgeons
- Consultant Surgeon - Sheikh Khalifa Medical City, Abu Dhabi
- Assistant Professor of Surgery - Columbia University, America

Education

- Fellowship - Vascular Surgery - Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Ohio, USA
- Residency - General Surgery - University of Rochester, NY, USA

Board Certification & Credentials

- American Board of Surgery
- Dubai Health Care City
- Health Authority of Abu Dhabi
- New York State

Special Expertise & Services

- Endovascular treatment of vascular disease
- Gangrene
- Non-healing wounds
- Aortic stents
- Minimally invasive treatment of varicose veins
- Wound care - especially diabetic foot
- Uterine fibroid embolization
- Ovarian vein embolization
- Medical management of vascular disease - including anti-coagulation management for DVT

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