

Dr. Raul Chapa, MD



Location	CIMA Monterrey
Specialty	General Surgery
Sub-Specialty	Bariatric Surgery
Nationality	Mexican
Gender	Male

Dr. Chapa is a well respected bariatric surgeon at CIMA Monterrey Hospital. He has performed over 3000 surgeries, the majority of which are either lap band or gastric bypass procedures. Dr. Chapa began his education at the Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León, where he graduated with a degree in medicine. He continued his education, completing an internship at the Hospital Universitario de Monterrey and a residency in general surgery at the Hospital Altas Especialidades IMSS #25. He not only serves as an undergraduate professor at the Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León, the Instituto Tecnológico de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey, and the Universidad de Monterrey and a graduate professor at the Christus Muguerza and San Jose TEC hospitals, he regularly attends international conferences regarding bariatric surgery and nutrition.

Education & Training

Medical Degree

1987 - Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León

Internship

1988 - Hospital Universitario de Monterrey

Residencies

General Surgery

1992- Hospital Altas Especialidades #25

Professional Associations / Affiliations

- Fellow international College of Surgeons (FICS)
- Society of American Gastrointestinal Endoscopic Surgeons (SAGES)
- Founding member of the Center of Training and Investigation in Laparoscopic and related techniques (CIELTA)
- American Society for Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery

(ASMBS)

- Latin American Association of Endoscopic Surgery (ALACE)
- International Federation for the Surgery of Obesity (IFSO)
- European Association for Transluminal Surgery (EATS)

License/Board/Certifications

License to practice in Mexico #3247460

Clinical Interests

Laparoscopic Gastric Sleeve
Laparoscopic Gastric ByPass