

Gonzalo Rodriguez Laiz

Dr. Rodriguez Laiz has dedicated most of his professional career to Liver Transplantation and Hepato-Biliary Surgery. After an initial training of ten years in the United States, including Pathology and General Surgery Residencies at New Jersey Medical School in Newark and an Abdominal Organ Transplant Fellowship at Mount Sinai Hospital in New York, he returned to Spain and established a Liver Surgery Unit at the University Hospital in Salamanca, leaving two years later to join the liver transplant team at the Clinic Hospital in Barcelona. He returned to New York in 2004 to join the Recanati-Miller Transplant Institute at Mount Sinai Hospital, devoting his practice to abdominal organ transplantation, including liver, intestine, kidney and pancreas, as well as multivisceral adult and pediatric cadaveric transplantation and adult and pediatric living donor Liver Transplantation. In addition, he was the Associate Surgical Director of the Intestinal Transplant Unit since 2006. In 2011 he moved back to Spain to implement and lead the long-awaited new Liver Transplant Program in the City of Alicante, taking the helm and undertaking the task as Director of Liver Transplantation.