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**METABOLIC
SURGERY**

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Type 2 Diabetes Surgical Treatment

Diabetes mellitus Type 2 affects more than 150 million people worldwide. Although the incidence of complications of type 2 diabetes can be reduced with tight control of hyperglycemia, current therapies do not achieve a cure. Some operations for morbid obesity not only induce significant and lasting weight loss but also lead to improvements in or resolution of comorbid disease states, especially Type 2 diabetes.

In Bařkent University General Surgery Clinic, this operation is applied to the patients who are considered to take place within the International Scientific Guidelines explained for surgical treatment.

All explanations regarding with the changes in the life style, nutritional habits, psychological support endocrinological examination is made and information about the surgery is given to the patient beforehand.

The condition of the patient is evaluated with our Endocrinologists, all the necessary examinations are made and after it is decided that the operation would be beneficial, the patient is informed by the board of Surgery.

After the Surgery the patient's condition is followed by the same medical team.

Can all diabetes patients be cured with a Surgery ?

It must be known that not all the diabetes patients are cured with this method. It is not applicable for Type 1 Diabetes patients. The group which can be treated is Type 2 Diabetes patients. These patients have diabetes at adult ages and use insulin at later stages with the start of Type 2 Diabetes.

Is Metabolic Surgery Risky ?

Like all other surgical operations metabolic surgery also covers some risks. But recently with the developing techniques and experiences gained these risks are minimized and surgical operation became safe as the operations like gallbladder.

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