

Bariatric Edge is a part of Johnson & Johnson and provides holistic solutions within obesity treatment.

From providing healthcare professionals with both surgical and strategic instruments for morbid obesity treatment and its development to help clinic to set up, develop and maintain a well-functioning bariatric surgery. Bariatric Edge helps to create good follow-up routines of the patients after surgery together with primary health care and other professionals who is involved in taking care of the patients. Bariatric Edge works to increase awareness within all aspects of obesity by supporting research into obesity, its various comorbidities and surgical techniques.

Professor Hallberg was a pioneer in bariatric surgery in Sweden.

He was one of the initiators in developing the technique of adjustable gastric banding to treat morbid obesity. During the symposia we have gathered an assembly of international and local speakers to cover the results of adjustable gastric banding in an international

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perspective as well as explaining the scientific rationale for it. There will be ample time for an interactive discussion with the experts on surgical techniques, indications, pros and cons.

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We would hereby like to invite you to a symposia on gastric banding in connection with the Stockholm Obesity Days.

Meeting Venue: Stockholm City Conference Centre, Norra Latin

Time: 17:00 – 20:00

Target audience: For bariatric surgeons and MDT-team professionals

Please register by email to Anne Ekström, J&J Bariatric Edge
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The number of participants is restricted to facilitate interaction.

AGENDA

- 17.00 – 17.30 Buffet dinner
- 17.30 – 17.40 **Introduction**
Ingmar Näslund, Örebro University Hospital
- 17.40 – 19.00 **The Australian experience**
John Dixon, Monash University Melbourne
- 19.00 – 19.20 **The development at Huddinge University Hospital**
Anders Thörne, Södertälje Hospital
- 19.20 – 19.40 **Introducing and implementing new technology**
Oscar Meyer, Obtech Medical AG
- 19.40 – 20.00 **Interactive discussion with the panellists**
Moderator Lars Lundell, Karolinska University Hospital

Warmly welcome

Mikael Wirén
Karolinska University Hospital