

surgeon

[ˈsɜːdʒ(ə)n] *n*

1. хирург
2. 1) военный или военно-морской врач; офицер медицинской службы
 surgeon's assistant - **воен.** фельдшер
 surgeon's certificate of disability - медицинское свидетельство о непригодности к военной службе
- 2) корабельный врач

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surgeon [surgeon surgeons] *BrE* [ˈsɜːdʒ(ə)n] *NAmE* [ˈsɜːrdʒ(ə)n] **noun**

a doctor who is trained to perform **↑surgery** (= medical operations that involve cutting open a person's body)

- a **brain/heart, etc. surgeon**

compare **↑physician**

Word Origin:

Middle English: from Anglo-Norman French **surgien**, contraction of Old French **serurgien**, based on Latin **chirurgia**, from Greek **kheirourgia** 'handiwork', **surgery**, from **kheir** 'hand' + **ergon** 'work'.

Example Bank:

- A plastic surgeon successfully rebuilt his nose.
- He is determined to qualify as a surgeon.
- Many people are terrified at the thought of the surgeon's knife.
- Surgeons performed two operations on him yesterday.
- Surgeons removed her right leg above the knee.
- a board-certified plastic surgeon
- the surgeon who will operate on you
- a brain/heart surgeon

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[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Anglo-French; Origin: surgien, from Old French cirurgien, from chirurgie; ⇒ **↑surgery**]

a doctor who does operations in a hospital

⇒ **↑dental surgeon**

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THESAURUS

- **doctor** someone who treats people who are ill, who has completed a long course of study at medical school: If you have bad chest pains, you should see a doctor.
- **GP** *British English* a doctor who is trained in general medicine and who treats the people who live in a local area: My GP told me that I must lose weight.
- **physician** /fəˈzɪʃən, fɪˈzɪʃən/ *formal especially American English* a doctor: the American physician, Dr James Tyler Kent
- **quack** *informal* someone who pretends to be a doctor: My father felt that people practicing alternative medicine were just a bunch of quacks.
- **the medical profession** doctors and nurses considered as a group: This view is widely accepted among the medical profession.
- **surgeon** /ˈsɜːdʒən \$ ˈsɜːrʒ- a doctor who does operations in a hospital: One of the world's top heart surgeons performed the operation.
- **specialist** a doctor with special knowledge about a particular illness, part of the body, or type of treatment: The new drug is being tested by cancer specialists. | an eye specialist
- **consultant** *British English* a very senior doctor in a hospital, with a lot of knowledge about a particular area of medicine: The consultant said that he did not think it was cancer.
- **paramedic** someone who has been trained to treat sick or injured people, especially at the scene of an accident: Paramedics treated him for shock.
- **vet** (also **veterinarian** *especially American English*) a doctor who treats animals: We took the cat to the vet.
- **paediatrician** *British English*, **pediatrician** *American English* a doctor who treats children who are sick
- **gynaecologist** *British English*, **gynecologist** *American English* a doctor who treats medical conditions and illnesses that affect women's bodies
- **obstetrician** a doctor who deals with the birth of children
- **radiographer** someone whose job is to take **↑X-rays** or to treat people using an X-ray machine

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