



Revista Argentina de Residentes de Cirugía

Publication Requirements

The Asociación Argentina de Médicos Residentes de Cirugía General (Argentine Association of General Surgery Residents) has published the *Revista Argentina de Residentes de Cirugía (Argentine Journal of General Surgery Residents)*, uninterruptedly every six months since 1996, with the collaboration of all Surgery Residents and Attending Physicians in the country.

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