

### UHN Rotation Goals & Objectives – (PGY3)

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The following is a list of goals and objectives which should be attained at the conclusion of the PGY-3 rotation at the University Health Network.

At the end of the rotation the resident will be able to

#### **Communicator**

1. Prepare clear and concise notes, discharge summaries, operative reports, and present effectively in organized rounds and seminars.
2. Discuss all common Otolaryngology procedures with patients and their families in a clear and understandable form, including risks/benefits, informed consent, and post-operative care.

#### **Collaborator**

1. Present histories, physical findings, and management plans to consultants in an organized, efficient, and confident manner.
2. Identify situations where consultation of other physicians or health care professionals is appropriate.
3. Demonstrate collegial and professional relationships with all co-workers and colleagues.
4. Recognize and respect the expertise and roles of allied health professionals such as speech language pathologists, audiologists, technicians, nurses, and clerical staff.

#### **Leader**

1. Demonstrate an understanding of the importance of resource management, and utilize resources effectively to balance patient care duties, learning needs, educational/teaching responsibilities and outside activities.
2. Accurately identify criteria for patient admission to hospital in the urgent/emergent situation as well as the implications of such decisions.

#### **Health Advocate**

1. Recognize and respond to opportunities for advocacy within Otolaryngology, both for your patients as well as for the community in which we practice (e.g., smoking cessation, alcohol consumption, HPV vaccination).
2. Demonstrate familiarity with important determinants of health affecting head and neck surgery such as smoking and alcohol consumption.

#### **Scholar**

1. Develop a personal educational strategy and actively participate in the education of medical students.
2. Demonstrate the evolving commitment to life-long learning and evidence-based practices.

#### **Professional**

1. Deliver highest quality care with integrity, honesty, and compassion.
2. Practice medicine and Otolaryngology in an ethically responsible manner.
3. Recognize limitations, and seek assistance when necessary.
4. Keep an up-to-date log of surgical procedures and clinics attended.

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**Medical Expert**

	SKILL	Achieved Satisfactorily (Y/N)
General Skills	1. Demonstrate expertise in the preoperative and postoperative management of patients who have undergone otolaryngology-head and neck surgery including office management.	
	2. Interpret diagnostic imaging of all head and neck sites.	
	3. Demonstrate familiarity with the indications for common and advanced otolaryngology-head and neck surgical procedures as well as the risks and benefits for each.	
	4. Demonstrate competency in open biopsy of accessible head and neck lesions.	
	5. Perform open tracheotomies with assistance, requiring minimal guidance.	
	6. Perform effective anterior and posterior nasal packing for epistaxis.	
Neurotology & Otology	1. Take a relevant, appropriately-detailed history from a patient presenting for vestibular/dizzy assessment.	
	2. Perform a detailed, thorough examination of the vestibular system.	
	3. Participate in the post-operative ward and office management of patients who have undergone otologic surgery and lateral skull base surgery.	
	4. Demonstrate an organized approach to management of facial nerve disorders.	
General Head & Neck Surgery	1. Demonstrate familiarity with the following: fine needle aspiration of thyroid/neck mass, thyroidectomy and parathyroidectomy, and neck dissection.	
Head & Neck Oncologic Surgery	1. Assess and stage malignancies of the head and neck.	
	2. Manage head and neck complications and emergencies with supervision.	
	3. Perform panendoscopy under supervision, with interpretation of findings.	
	4. Manage pain in post-operative head and neck oncology patients.	
	5. Pack a pharyngocutaneous fistula and provide ongoing wound care.	
	6. Demonstrate an approach to post-operative complications seen in head and neck oncology/endocrine patients, including management.	
	7. Harvest skin graft and close donor site independently.	
Laryngology	1. Demonstrate a diagnostic approach for and management of vocal cord paralysis.	

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	2. Perform rigid suspension laryngoscopy.	
	3. Demonstrate an understanding of laser applications in head and neck surgery.	
Facial Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery	1. Harvest split and full-thickness skin grafts.	
	2. Demonstrate basic understanding of the hierarchy of reconstructive options for defects in the head and neck.	
	3. Effectively assist at major reconstructive surgical procedures (e.g. harvest of pedicled flap or free tissue transfer).	

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A. Personal Goals for the Rotation:	
Date:	
B. Mid-Rotation Self-Assessment:	
Date:	I am on track to achieve the following personal goals:
	I need to focus on achieving the following personal goals:
C. End of Rotation Comments:	
Date:	