

Oregon Health & Science University Presents

Voice, Speech, and Swallowing Rehabilitation after Head and Neck Cancer Treatment



Implications for a New Generation

**Saturday October 21st 2017,
Oregon Health & Science University,
Portland, OR**

OHSU's NW Center for Voice & Swallowing Disorders in association with the Oregon Speech-Language & Hearing Association presents a one-day conference for speech-language pathologists and graduate students on the comprehensive rehabilitation of the head and neck cancer patient. Particular areas of focus will include new treatment modalities, changing demographics of the head and neck cancer population, and keys to success for multidisciplinary management.

The conference faculty includes physicians and speech pathologists with specialty expertise in the area of head and neck cancer treatment and rehabilitation. For more information:

Phone: (503) 494-5947 Web: www.ohsu.edu/voice



Conference Schedule & Speakers:

7:30	<i>Registration & Continental Breakfast, provided</i>
8:00	Multidisciplinary Care of the HNC Patient: The Surgeon's Perspective Daniel Clayburgh, MD, PhD <i>Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU, & Portland VA Medical Center</i>
9:00	Voice and Swallowing after Laryngeal Cancer Surgery Donna Graville, PhD, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
10:00	<i>Break</i>
10:15	Radiation and Chemotherapy in the Management of Head and Neck Cancer Gregory Patton, MD <i>Compass Oncology, Portland, OR</i>
11:15	Prevention and Treatment of the Side-Effects of Radiation and Chemoradiation Rachel Bolognone, MS, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
12:15	<i>Buffet Lunch, provided</i>
1:00	Rehabilitation after Minimally Invasive and Transoral Robotic Surgery (TORS) Andrew Palmer, PhD, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
1:30	Voice Therapy for Dysphonia after HNC Treatment Karen Drake, MA, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
2:00	AAC Options for the HNC Patient Jana Childes, MS, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
2:30	<i>Break</i>
2:45	Speech & Swallowing Rehabilitation after Extended Surgery with Reconstruction Donna Graville, PhD, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
3:45	Getting Started in HNC: Resources for Clinicians Rachel Bolognone, MS, CCC-SLP <i>NW Center for Voice & Swallowing, Dept. of Otolaryngology, OHSU</i>
4:15	Saying Goodbye: Issues at the End of Life Kathleen Suriano, MS, CCC-SLP <i>Dept. of Speech/Language Pathology Portland VA Medical Center</i>
4:45	Concluding remarks
5:00	<i>Finish</i>

Speaker Disclosure Statements and Bios: Click on the link for the “Training and Education” page from: www.ohsu.edu/voice

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Course Description: The face of head and neck cancer has changed dramatically in the last 30 years. The number of tobacco and alcohol related squamous cell carcinomas have steadily declined, but there has been an increasing incidence of human papillomavirus (HPV) related cancers. These individuals differ from those who experienced HNC in the past in that they are more likely to be younger, non-smoking adults. Survival rates for these patients are higher, likely due to HPV positive cancers being more responsive to treatment and there is some debate about de-escalation of treatment. Not only will this new generation have different expectations for care, they are also more likely to survive long-term and therefore be at greater risk for recurrence and the long-term impact of treatment. This one-day conference for speech pathologists and graduate students will focus on the comprehensive rehabilitation of the head and neck cancer patient. Particular areas of focus will include new treatment modalities, changing demographics of the head and neck cancer population, and keys to success for multidisciplinary management.

Registration Costs:

- Professional rate: \$175 (before 10/1)
- Professional rate: \$195 (on or after 10/1)
- Student/Fellow/Resident rate: \$25 (before 10/1)
- Student/Fellow/Resident rate: \$35 (on or after 10/1)

Payment can be made online via check or credit card. For details, see the link to the online registration form from the “Training and Education” page at: www.ohsu.edu/voice

Course Location: The course will take place at the Vey Conference Center, located on the 11th floor of Doernbecher Children’s Hospital on the Marquam Hill campus. For maps and directions go to OHSU’s website: <http://www.ohsu.edu/>

Learner Outcomes: On the conclusion of this program, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the changing demographics of the HNC population and the impact of HPV-associated disease.
2. Explain the importance of multidisciplinary management and ways of coordinating care.
3. Outline techniques for post-operative rehabilitation of voice, speech, communication, & swallowing.
4. Discuss optimal preventive and post-treatment protocols for chemoradiation patients.
5. Review special considerations for salvage surgery, late effects of treatment, and end-of-life decision-making.

Continuing Education: There is a \$5 processing fee for the Oregon Speech-Language Hearing Association to report your CEUs to ASHA. This \$5 fee is charged by the Oregon Speech-Language Hearing Association, not by ASHA.



The Oregon Speech-Language-Hearing Association is approved by the Continuing Education Board of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) to provide continuing education activities in speech-language pathology and audiology. See course information for number of ASHA CEUs, instructional level and content area. ASHA CE Provider approval does not imply endorsement of course content, specific products or clinical procedures.

This course is offered for 0.75 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area).