

REGIONAL CANCER CENTRE
Trivandrum



3rd International
CME & Workshop on "Voice Preservation & Rehabilitation in Laryngectomy"
(LARYNXCON 2008)
August 16th and 17th 2008.

Organized by Head and Neck Service
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Dear Colleagues,

The Head and Neck Unit of the Department of Surgical Oncology is organizing a Live Workshop and CME on **"Voice preservation & Rehabilitation in laryngectomy"** on the 16th and 17th August 2008. **Dr. Eric Blom** will be the main Guest faculty. Dr. Blom is the co-inventor of the popular Blom-Singer voice prosthesis which came into existence after his landmark publication on prosthetic (valved) tracheo- oesophageal speech restoration of laryngectomees in 1980. We also have an eminent panel of National Faculty which includes **Dr. Sultan Pradhan (Mumbai), Dr. Anil D'Cruz (Mumbai), Dr. Alok Thakkar (New Delhi), Dr. M.Kuriakose (Cochin), Dr. S Iyer (Cochin)** and a host of other experts from India.

The 2 days programme is to define the current role of conservation laryngeal surgery in an Indian perspective and to popularize prosthetic voice rehabilitation among the head and neck surgeons and speech pathologists of India. Besides discussing the state of the art surgical management of cancers of the larynx and hypopharynx, the educational agenda is to cover all the aspects of tracheoesophageal puncture (TEP) which has undoubtedly established itself as the most effective means of postlaryngectomy voice restoration.

The first day will be dedicated to live workshops on contemporary surgical management of laryngeal and hypopharyngeal cancers and TEP and the second day will be a one day course on **TEP** by **Dr. Eric Blom**. Around 200 delegates comprising ENT/Head and Neck surgeons, speech pathologists and oncology nurses are expected to attend this mega event.

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Larynxcon 2008.

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- Dr. Sultan Pradhan (Prince Aly Khan Hospital, Mumbai.)
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- Dr. Subramaniya Iyer (Amritha Institute of Medical Sciences,Cochin.)
- Dr. Moni Kuriakose (Amritha Institute of Medical Sciences,Cochin.)
- Dr. Alok Thakkar (All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi)
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- Dr. Jayakumar R.(Kerala Intitute of Medical Sciences, Trivandrum)
- Dr. Ranjit Rajan (Amala Institute of Medical Sciences,Trichur)
- Dr. Lt Col Kannan N (Oncology Center Command Hospital (WC), Chandimandir).
- Dr. Sreekumar K.p. (Amritha Institute of Medical Sciences,Cochin.)
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PROGRAMME1ST DAY

8.00 AM Registration
8.45 AM Inauguration
9.00 AM to 1.00

Workshop.(Subject to availability of cases)

Theatre A. Supracricoid Laryngectomy with Cricohyoidopexy.
Secondary TEP.

Theatre B. Total Laryngectomy and primary TEP.
Near total laryngectomy.

1.30 PM to 4.30 PM.

CME

1.30 PM Imaging in larynx and Hypopharynx cancers Dr. Sreekumar K.P.

2.00 PM Clinical evaluation, staging and decision making in surgical management of cancer of larynx and hypopharynx. Dr. Anil D'Cruz.

2.30 PM Role of conservative surgery for laryngeal and hypopharyngeal cancer in the era of chemo radiotherapy. Dr. Sultan Pradhan.

3.00 PM Organ Preservation Protocols in larynx and hypopharynx.
Dr. TK Padmanabhan.

3.30 PM. Panel Discussion.

Surgical treatment strategy for larynx and hypopharynx cancers
Moderator Dr. Azeem Mohiyudeen S.M.

Panelists

Dr. Sultan Pradhan
Dr. Anil DCruz
Dr. Alok Thakkar
Dr. Subramania Iyer
Dr. Moni Kuriakose
Dr. N.Kannan

2nd DAY (Postlaryngectomy voice rehabilitation workshop led by Dr. Eric Blom)

8.30 AM Historical perspective
9.00 AM Patient Selection Considerations
10.00 AM Tracheoesophageal puncture
10.30 AM Management of pharyngeal constrictor muscle tonicity
11.00 AM Laryngectomy with primary voice restoration
11.30 AM Panel discussion 1
Practical Issues in surgical voice restoration.
Moderator : Dr. Ranjit Rajan

Panelists

Dr. Eric Blom.
Dr. Sultan Pradhan
Dr. B.Rajsekhar
Dr. Subramania Iyer
Dr. Rehan Kazi
Dr. Jayakumar R.

12 .00 noon Voice prosthesis fitting and management
12.45 PM Lunch
1.30 PM Tracheostoma valve fitting and management
2.15 PM Trouble shooting: Problems and solutions
3.00 PM Panel Discussion 2
Practical Issues in Maintenance of TE prosthesis
Moderator: Dr. Rehan Kazi

Panelists

Dr. Eric Blom
Dr. Anil D' Cruz.
Dr. Balakrishnan R
Dr. Moni Kuriakose
Dr. Alok Thakkar
Dr. Ranjit Rajan

3.30 Participants feed back and vote of thanks.
4.00 Adjourn.

Registration Form

I wish to register as delegate

Date:

Name : _____

Name of accompanying person: _____

Address : _____

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