





# Diagnosis and Management of Neck Swellings and Thyroid Disorders

Swellings in the neck are common and important presentations in surgical practice. They could be the result of a range of conditions such as an enlarged lymph node, cutaneous lump, developmental cyst (thyroglossal, branchial or dermoid), thyroid swelling, pharyngeal pouch, carotid artery aneurysm, carotid body tumour or a cervical rib. All these conditions present with a unique set of features that require obtaining a careful history, performing a meticulous examination and carrying out a thorough evaluation before correct management can be initiated. A sound understanding of the anatomy of the neck and a pathophysiology of the presenting condition are also crucial in guiding the overall management of the patient. The lecture was delivered by Miss Daniela Bondin, who is a Consultant ENT Surgeon at the Tameside and Glossop Hospital in Greater Manchester and Surgical Lecturer and Tutor at Doctors Academy. She has vast experience of teaching at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels.

#### **Topics covered:**

- o Essential Anatomy of the Neck.
- o Swellings and Lumps in each Triangle of the Neck.
- History Taking, Examination and Management of Neck Swellings.
- o Disorders of the Thyroid and their Management.

#### **Course Information**

Course Date: 23rd February 2021

Venue: Online via Zoom

Attendance: 24 Delegates

Aimed at: Medical Students (all years);

Foundation Year Doctors; Speciality Trainees in ENT; Core Trainees in ENT;

Trust Doctors; ENT Specialists.

Course Fee: Free

#### Speaker:

#### Miss Daniela Bondin

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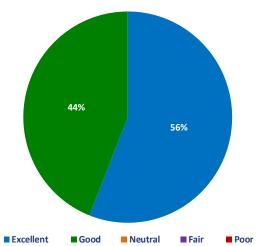
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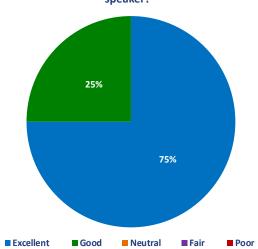


# **Overall Feedback**

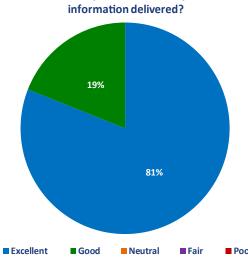




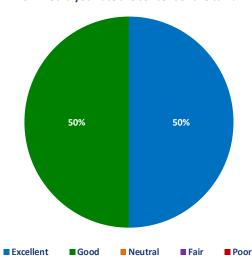
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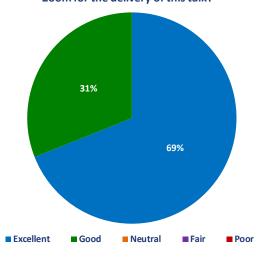
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How would you rate the content of the talk?



How would you rate the appropriateness of Zoom for the delivery of this talk?



# **Individual Comments**

Excellent talk!

DM

Imperial College London Faculty of Medicine, London, United Kingdom

Amazing, clear slides and speaker.

**RP** 

Keele University School of Medicine, Keele, United Kingdom

Speaker was very calm, spoke eloquently and was unfazed by the range of questions. I was very impressed by her professionalism and think we had a good facilitator as well.

TN

University of Dundee School of Medicine, Dundee, United Kingdom

Excellent talk. The speaker was very nice and slow with her speech which made her nicely understandable. She also did not use complicated terms which helped with understanding.

**RM** 

University Faculty of Medicine, Riga, Latvia

Great session, really enjoyed it, thank you!

**EP** 

Keele University School of Medicine, Keele, United Kingdom

Brilliant speaker, information delivered very well.

MM

Vilnius University Faculty of Medicine, Vilnius, Lithuania

The way the speaker taught was very helpful. And I also like the way she taught the anatomy (basics) and then went to a higher level.

SS

Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi, India

Brilliant talk.

VC

Keele University School of Medicine, Keele, United Kingdom

Engaging speaker, questions answered thoroughly. Good overview of common presenting complaints.

LA

Keele University School of Medicine, Keele, United Kingdom



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