

# Diploma of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery (DOHNS): OSCE Revision Course

**DATE** : 17<sup>th</sup> October 2015

**TIME** : 0800 - 1830 hrs

**VENUE**: School of Biosciences, Park Place, Cardiff University

## COURSE PROGRAMME

**0800 - 0820**

Welcome & introduction to format of the course; venue: E1.02  
**Mr T Moorhouse & Mr S Enoch**

**0820 - 1100**

**Session A: Group lectures, venue: E1.03 (2x40mins, combined sessions):**

- Ear – **Mr B Stew**
- Nose, Paranasal sinuses & Oral Cavity – **Mr T Moorhouse**

**Session B: Group demonstrations, venue: E1.02 & E1.03 (2x40 mins, parallel sessions)**

- Ear examination – **B Stew**
- Neck examination & FNE – **Mr T Moorhouse**

## 1100 - 1115 Coffee & refreshments

**1115 - 1315**

**Session C: Communication skills, venue: E1.02 & E1.03 (4x30 mins, parallel sessions)**

- History taking
- Breaking bad news
- Information giving
- Consent

**Ms K Konieczny / Mr T Moorhouse / Mr B Stew**

*Session consists formal teaching followed by an open workshop involving scenarios accompanied by facilitators and formal feedback*

**1315 - 1400 (During lunch break):**

- Equipment familiarisation
- Lecture: 'How to pass the OSCE first time'

**1400 - 1520**

**Session D: Group demonstrations, venue: Dissection room (2x40mins, parallel sessions)**

- 1a. Skull base anatomy (dry bones) – **Ms K Konieczny**
- 1b. Cranial nerves and vestibular assessment – **Ms K Konieczny**
- 2a. Neck anatomy (prosection) – **Mr B Stew**
- 2b. Larynx, Neck and Thyroid gland (lecture) – **Mr T Moorhouse**

*Topographical and surface anatomy will also be demonstrated. Appropriate radiographs and other imaging as well as pathological slides will be used as aids.*

**1520 - 1605**

**Session E: Group lecture, venue: E1.03 (45 mins)**

- Hearing and balance analysis – **Mr B Stew**

**1605 - 1620 Coffee & refreshments**

**1620 - 1830  
VIVA AND OSCE  
Venue: E1.02-5**

**Co-ordinator: Mr S Enoch**

There will be Viva and OSCE stations, with additional rest stations, run under exam conditions. Some stations are manned and some are unmanned, these will run in conjunction as in the exam. Every candidate will go through all stations. Each viva and OSCE station will be for six minutes.

**Examiners:** Ms K Konieczny, Mr T Moorhouse, Mr B Stew

**1830 Summary and general feedback**

**1830: End of Course**

**DR requirements**

1330 - 1530 (2 hours)

**Faculty:**

Ms K Konieczny  
Mr T Moorhouse  
Mr B Stew

**Trainee faculty:**

Mr Hussein Walijee  
Mr Pranter Brahmabhatt