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**DOHNS Part B (OSCE) /
MRCS (ENT) Course**

Feedback - February 2018

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This intensive one-day course aimed to provide a focused revision for the DOHNS Clinical (OSCE) exam. It was intended for both Surgical and General Practice trainees who have a specialist interest in ENT

The course covered clinical topics that regularly feature in the exam. This included the gross and microscopic anatomy of key areas, the identification of common ENT pathology (including video and radiological analysis), the interpretation of specialist investigations, and the familiarisation with surgical and emergency equipment. There was a strong emphasis on the clinical application of this knowledge and the practical skills required for the exam. Delegates were also given the opportunity to perfect their examination skills and to improve their communication skills through focused history taking and consenting.

The course concluded with a mock OSCE examination. This provided the delegates with the opportunity to put into practice the skills they had acquired in front of real examiners and under real exam conditions.

Course Information

Course date:	3rd February 2018
Venue:	School of Biosciences, Cardiff University
Attendance:	9 Delegates
Aimed at:	Delegates looking to take the DOHNS Clinical/OSCE exam.
Course fee:	£235.00



Course Programme

0800 – 0820 Welcome & introduction to format of the course; venue: E1.02
Mr T Moorhouse & Mr S Enoch

0820 – 0940 Session A: Group lectures (2x40mins, combined);

- Ear – Mr T Moorhouse
- Nose, Paranasal sinuses & Oral Cavity – Mr P Brahmabhatt

0940 – 1100 Session B: Group lectures/workshops (4x20mins, combined)

- Skull base anatomy – Mr T Moorhouse
- Cranial nerves and vestibular assessment – Mr T Moorhouse

- Neck anatomy – Mr R Jones
- Larynx, Neck and Thyroid gland – Mr R Jones

1100 – 1115

Coffee & Refreshments

1115 – 1315 Session C: Communication skills (2x60 mins, parallel)

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

Mr Brahmabhatt / Mr S Berry / Mr Jones / Mr Moorhouse / Mr Smith

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

1315 – 1345

Lunch Break

1345 – 1400 Additional Lecture:– “How to pass the OSCE first time” Mr T Moorhouse

1400 – 1520 Session D: Group demonstrations (2x40 mins, parallel)

- Ear examination – Mr D Smith / Mr R Jones
- Neck examination & FNE – Mr S Berry / Mr P Brahmabhatt

1520 – 1605 Session E: Group lecture (45 mins, combined)

Hearing and balance analysis – Mr D Smith

Course Programme

1605 – 1620

Coffee & Refreshments

1620 – 1830

VIVA AND OSCE

Co-ordinators: Mr S Enoch and Ms R Williams

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:

Mr Brahmabhatt / Mr S Berry / Mr Jones / Mr Moorhouse / Mr Smith

1830

Summary and General Feedback

1830

End of Course

Faculty List

Mr Toby Moorhouse, MB BCh, BSc, MRCS, DOHNS, FRCS (ORL-HNS)

Couse Convenor

Senior Registrar in Otolaryngology

All Wales Training Programme

Mr David Smith, MRCS, DOHNS, FRCS (ORL-HNS)

Consultant ENT Surgeon

Princess of Wales Hospital, Bridgend

Mr Pranter Brahmabhatt, MRCS, DOHNS

Speciality Registrar in ENT

All Wales Training Programme

Mr Rhodri Jones, MRCS, DOHNS

Speciality Registrar in ENT

Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

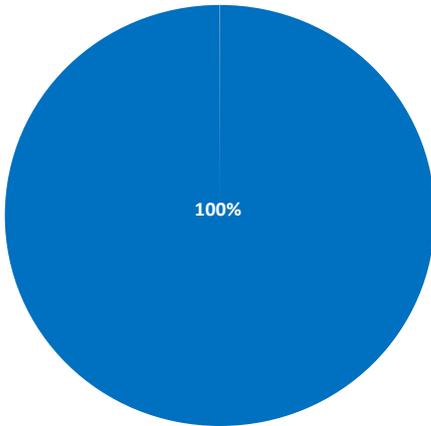
Mr Sandeep Berry, MRCS, DOHNS, FRCS (ORL-HNS)

Consultant ENT Surgeon

Royal Glamorgan Hospital

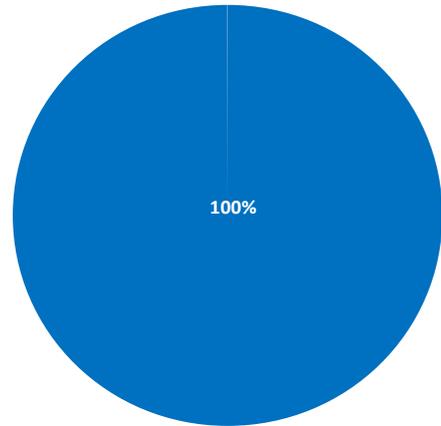
Overall Teaching Feedback

How was the clarity of the PowerPoint demonstrations?



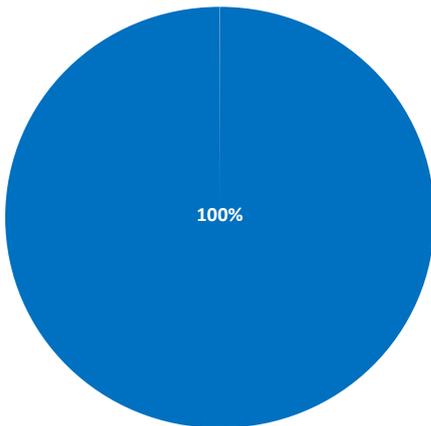
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How would you rate the general academic standard of the lectures?



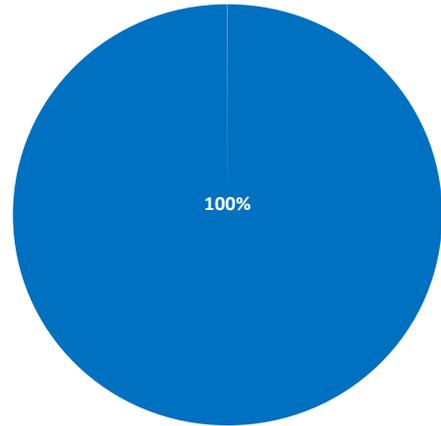
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How would you rate the sessions on communication skills?



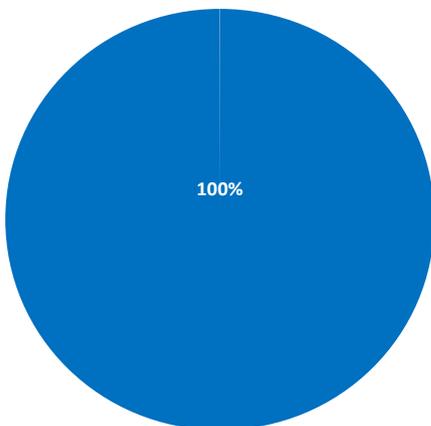
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How do you rate the relevance of the course to your exam?



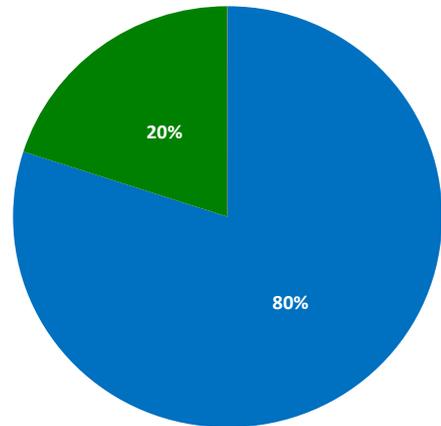
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How useful was the mock OSCE (unmanned stations)?



■ Very useful ■ Useful ■ Neutral ■ Limited usefulness ■ Useless

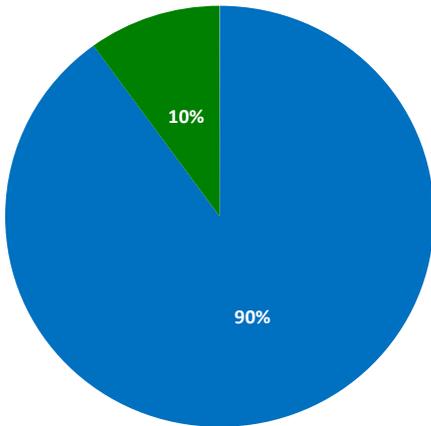
How useful was the viva on communication skills?



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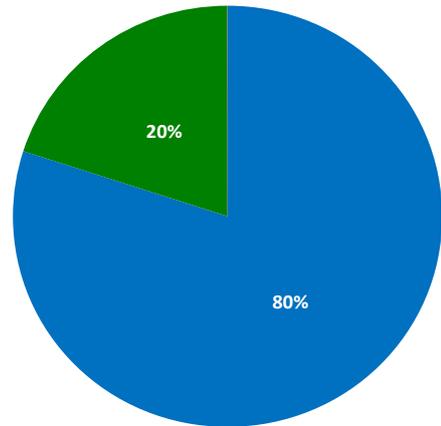
Overall Teaching Feedback

Do you feel that the course met your objectives for attending?



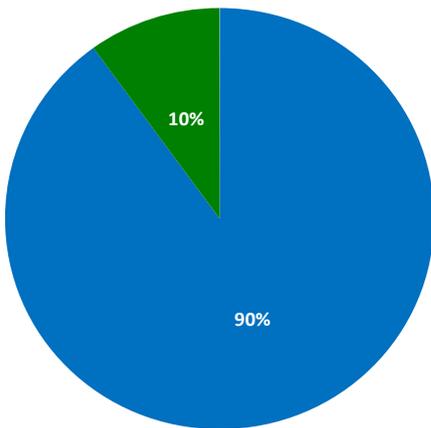
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Do you feel that the course gave you more confidence to approach the exam?



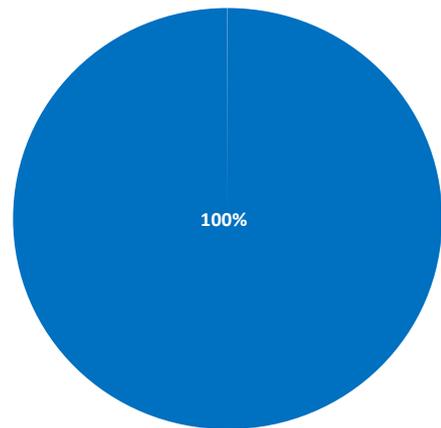
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Cranial nerves and base of skull



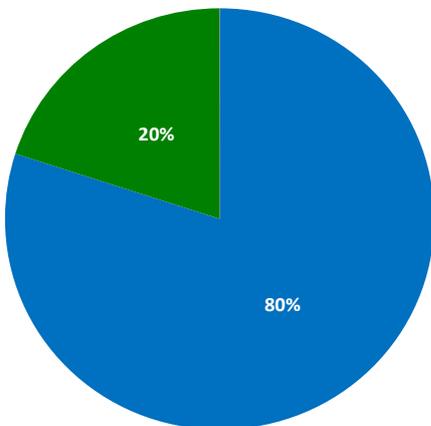
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Ear



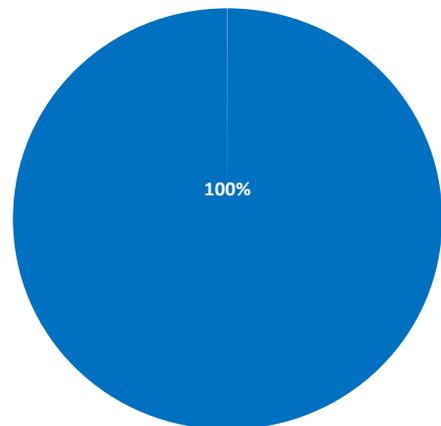
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Neck and Larynx



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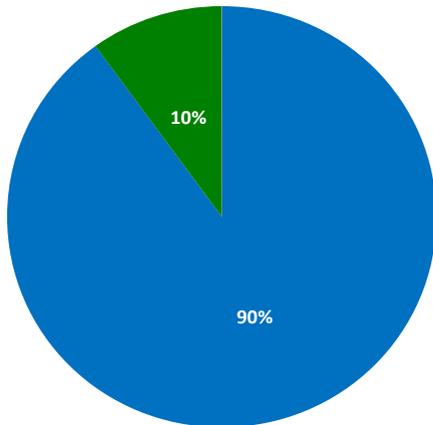
Nose and Paranasal Sinuses



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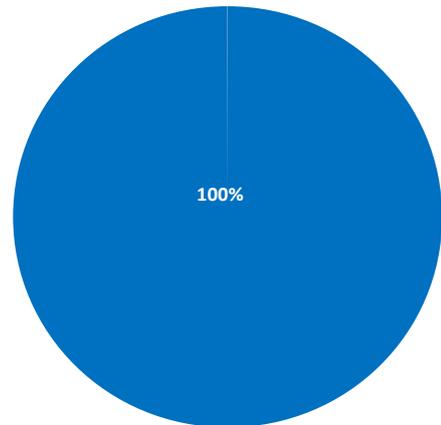
Overall Teaching Feedback

History Taking



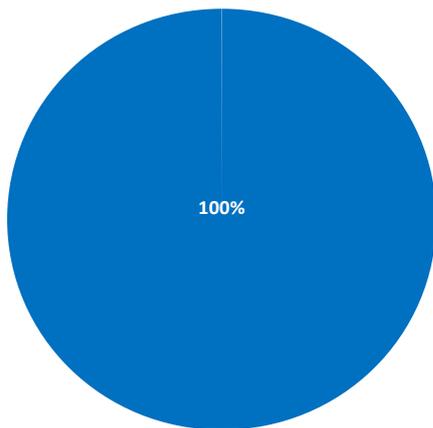
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Breaking Bad News



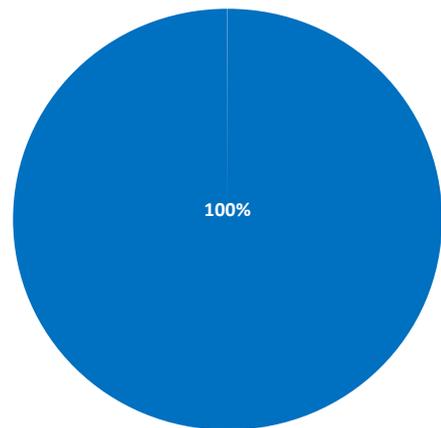
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Giving Information/Consent



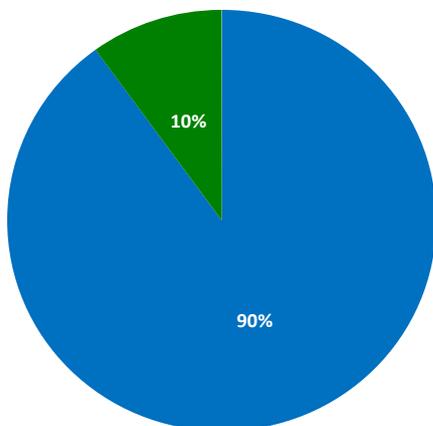
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Consent



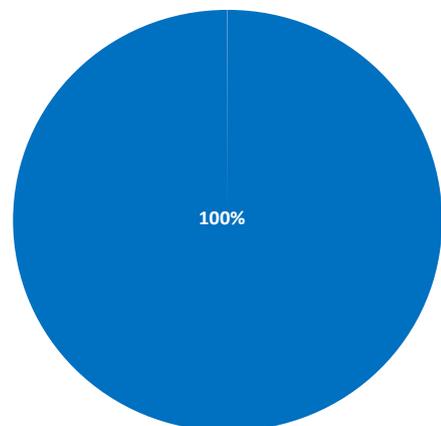
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Flexible Nasendoscopy



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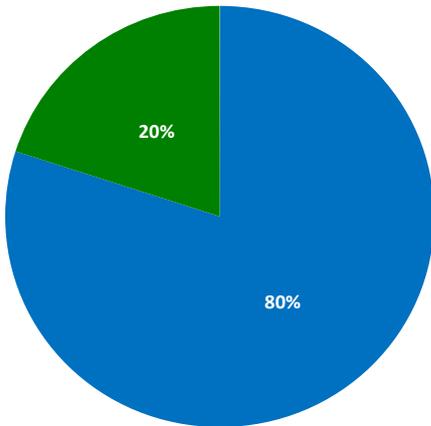
Ear, Nose & Neck Examination



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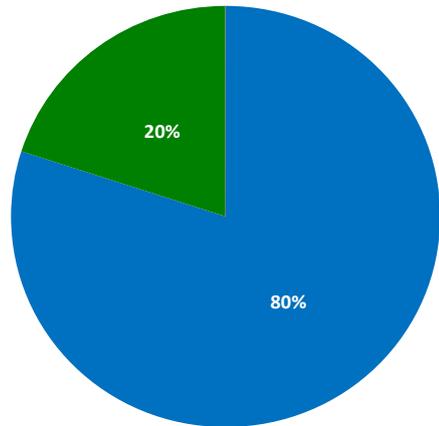
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Hearing & Balance



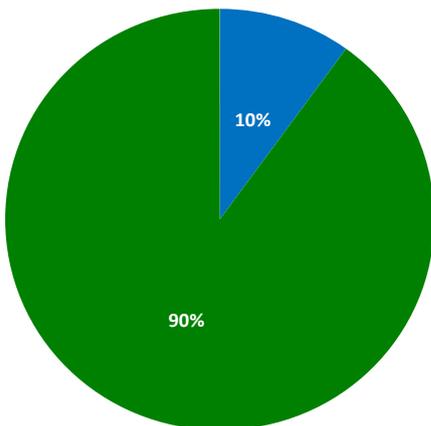
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How were the facilities and venue?



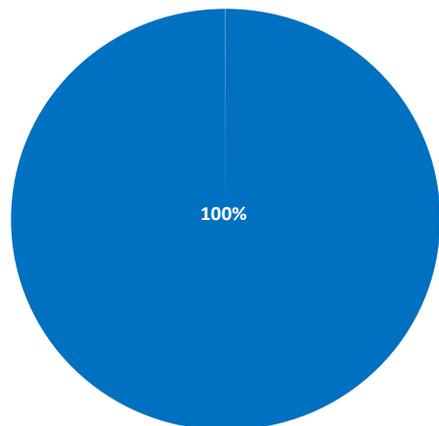
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How were the refreshments and lunch?



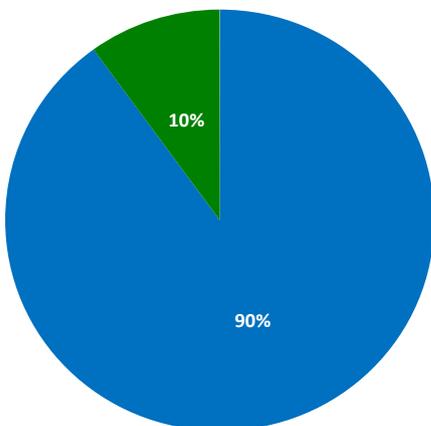
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How was the general friendliness of the faculty and organisers?



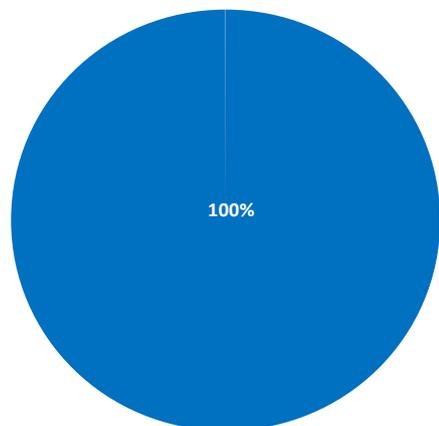
■ Very friendly ■ Friendly ■ Neutral
■ Not very friendly ■ Can't comment

Would you recommend this course to a friend?



■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ May consider ■ Not at all

Do you think that this course provided good value for money?



■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Maybe ■ Not at all

Individual Comments

An excellent course. Very helpful, friendly knowledgeable faculty. Thoroughly enjoyed the day. Feel a lot more confident for part 2 now. Thanks again!

RB

Mayo University Hospital

Very good.

AS

St Mary's Hospital, London



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