



16th Diploma of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery (DOHNS): OSCE Revision Course

DATE : 24th May 2015 (Sunday) **TIME** : 0800 hrs till 1900 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 H Elhassan

Session B: Group demonstrations, venue: Dissection room (4x20mins, parallel sessions)

- Skull base anatomy (dry bones) Mr T Moorhouse
- Cranial nerves and vestibular assessment Mr B Stew
- Neck anatomy (prosection) Mr D Smith
- Larynx, Neck and Thyroid gland (lecture) Mr H Elhassan

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

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

Mr H Elhassan / Mr T Moorhouse / Mr D Smith / 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: E1.02 & E1.03 (2x40 mins, parallel sessions)

- Ear examination Mr D Smith
- Neck examination & FNE Mr T Moorhouse

1520 - 1605

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

• Hearing and balance analysis – Mr D Smith

1605 - 1620 Coffee & refreshments

1620 - 1845 VIVA AND OSCE

Venue: E1.01 - E1.03

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: Mr S Berry, Mr T Moorhouse, Mr D Smith, Mr S Enoch

1845 Summary and general feedback

1845: End of Course!