

Iowa Head and Neck Course June 11th -13th, 2025



Wednesday June 11th, 2025

The Iowa Head and Neck Course will be offered as an in-person & virtual 3-day course. The format will allow for panel discussions, Q & A and hands-on cadaver lab.

Guest Speakers

Rod Rezaee, MD,

Sidharth Puram, MD, PhD;

- Washington University Ashok Jethwa MD,
- University of Minnesota
- -University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center

Course Directors

- Nitin Pagedar, MD
- Zaid Al-Qurayshi. MD
- Rodrigo Bayon, MD
- Kristi Chang, MD

University of Iowa Speakers

- Carryn Anderson, MD
- Brian Andrews, MD
- David Gratton, DDS, MS
- Matt Hoffman
- Joan Maley, MD

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7:50	Welcome and introduction	Faculty		
8:00	Managing Margins in Oral Cavity Cancer	Sidharth Puram		
8:30	Advanced Oral Cavity Cancer	Rodrigo Bayon		
9:00	Dental Management of the HNC Patient	David Gratton		
9:30	Neck Dissection Operative Techniques	Nitin Pagedar		
10:00	Break			
10:15	Parapharyngeal Space Tumors	Ashok Jethwa		
10:45	Salivary Gland Cancer	Kristi Chang		
11:15	Management of Osteoradionecrosis	Zaid Al-Qurayshi		
11:45	Panel Discussion	All		
12:30	Break for Lunch			
1:00	Lab	Faculty		
5:00	Adjourn			
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8:00	Primary Hyperparathyroidism	Nitin Pagedar
8:30	Differentiated Thyroid Cancer	Ashok Jethwa
9:00	Locally Advanced Thyroid Cancer	Kristi Chang
9:30	Contemporary imaging of head and neck cancer	Joan Maley
10:00	Break	
10:15	Total laryngectomy	Rod Rezaee
10:45	Advanced Skin Cancer	Zaid Al-Qurayshi
11:15	Designing surgery after neoadjuvant therapy	Sidharth Puram
11:45	Panel Discussion	All
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Friday June 13 th , 2025				
8:00	HPV and Head and Neck Cancer	Nitin Pagedar		
8:30	Evidence-Based Transoral Surgery	Rodrigo Bayon		
9:00	Adjuvant Therapy After Transoral Surgery	Carryn Anderson		
9:30	Early Glottic cancer	Matt Hoffman		
10:00	Break			
10:15	Pharyngeal Reconstruction	Ashok Jethwa		
10:45	Oral Reconstruction	Rod Rezaee		
11:15	Cutaneous Reconstruction	Brian Andrews		
11:45	Panel Discussion	All		
12:30	Break for Lunch			
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Intended Audience:

Head and neck surgeons and radiation oncologists, nurses And PAs.

Lectures will be held in the Alumni Conference room, 21271 PFP, within the Otolaryngology clinic. The clinic is located on the second floor of Pomerantz Family Pavilion, by elevator L.

Exhibitors will have a display table outside the Alumni Conference room between Elevators L and M

To Register



Educational Objectives

- Apply current diagnostic, medical and surgical protocols to the treatment of head and neck neoplasms
- Assimilate the role of radiation and chemotherapy in the contemporary management of head and neck cancers
- Explain the adequacy of neck dissection and patient survival in head and neck cancer

Continuing Education Credit



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Other Provider: All other participants will receive a certificate of participation for this conference upon completion of the online evaluation. It is the responsibility of each attendee to determine if the continuing education programs they attend meet the requirements of their professional licensure board.

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