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Application of Lasers in Treatment of Head and Neck Cancers

Lasers have a broad application in otolaryngology. The various possible uses result from the combination of many different anatomic subsites, different types of pathology (both benign and malignant), and several types of lasers available. Over the past few decades, the use of lasers among oral and maxillofacial/head and neck surgeons has grown dramatically. Their evolution has broadened the surgical options for treatment, and also contributed to a variety of new procedures commonplace in oral and maxillofacial /head and neck surgery. Hence, it becomes imperative for ENT surgeons, Oncologists and other Surgeons.



Course Director
Dr. Akshay Kudpaje

Dr Akshay Kudpaje is a Surgical Oncologist Head & Neck Cancers, trained in Head & Neck cancer management with vast experience. His special interest is Minimally Invasive surgery of Head and Neck (Trans-oral laser microsurgery of vocal cord, Robotic Surgery) & Reconstructive surgeries of Head & Neck region. He is involved in the evaluation and Surgical management of the cancers that affect the mouth, throat, nose, paranasal sinuses, voice box, salivary glands, thyroid and lesions in scalp, face, and neck.



Course Mentor and Invited Speaker
Dr. Vishal Rao

Dr Vishal Rao is the Chief of Head & Neck Surgical oncology & Robotic surgery at HCG Cancer Centre, Bangalore. Dr. Vishal is the inventor of 'Aum Voice Prosthesis' a \$1 speaking device for throat cancer patients. He has over 13 patents filed for his innovation on medical devices, drugs, techniques & theories. He has been conferred the Honorary FRCS from Royal College of Surgeons in Glasgow. He has over 100 national & international publications to his credit. He is a visiting faculty of John Hopkins University leadership programs.



Course Faculty
Dr. Rajesh H.C

Dr. Rajesh Holalu Chikkalingegowda heads the anaesthesiology department at HCG Cancer Centre, Bengaluru. He has been practising onco anaesthesia exclusively for the past 12 years. Specialised in HIPEC surgery, robotic surgery, ERAS implementation and surgical intensive care. Dr. Rajesh is the founder executive member of the Society of Onco Anaesthesia and Peri-operative Care.

MODULE 1: DIAGNOSIS & WORK UP

Head Neck Pathologies for Laser - [Dr. Akshay Kudpaje](#)
Understanding Laser - [Dr. Vishal Rao](#)
Clinical Work Up, Imaging & Planning - [Dr. Akshay Kudpaje](#)
Consents, Counselling - [Dr. Vishal Rao](#)

MODULE 2: MANAGEMENT

Anesthesia, Safety - [Dr. Rajesh](#)
Laser in Lesions in UADT Part - 1 - [Dr. Akshay Kudpaje](#)
Laser in Lesions in UADT Part - 2 - [Dr. Akshay Kudpaje](#)

Course Fees

Rs. 29,500/- Inclusive of GST

(Includes 2 days of Hands-on training session with Sheep larynx at HCG Hospitals Bangalore. Surgical Observations will be arranged depending on availability of cases)

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