

MEE/Stanford Update in Tracheoesophageal Voice Restoration and Laryngectomy Care: 2017

Friday, March 17–Saturday, March 18, 2017

OFFERED BY

Massachusetts Eye and Ear Department of Otolaryngology
Meltzer Auditorium, 3rd Floor
243 Charles Street, Boston, Massachusetts

COURSE DIRECTORS

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

MEE/Stanford Update in Tracheoesophageal Voice Restoration and Laryngectomy Care: 2017 will provide practitioners who care for laryngectomy patients with a comprehensive overview of the current standard of care practices for management of disorders in this region as well as an introduction and review of evolving and innovative treatment approaches.

Distinguished faculty from Harvard Medical School as well as from prominent programs nationally will present a series of didactic lectures and participate in open panels, which cover the evaluation and management of surgical considerations, including: primary vs. secondary tracheoesophageal voice restoration procedures, dysphagia after total laryngectomy, pulmonary and olfactory issues, as well as dental complications and oral hygiene issues following tracheoesophageal puncture procedures. Pertinent rehabilitative issues will similarly be addressed during specific sessions. The course will also focus on providing the attendees with live clinical demonstrations that include the evaluation of patient and prosthesis selection techniques, the initial insertion of a voice prosthesis, current issues related to medical, surgical, and behavioral complications, and their impact on tracheoesophageal voice restoration.

Open interaction between faculty and participants will be encouraged throughout the course with particular emphasis during the scheduled panel discussions on day one and during the clinical demonstrations on day two.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- Review the selection criteria for TEP voice restoration
- Differentiate primary vs. secondary TEP surgical procedures and voice prosthesis placement
- Develop clinical solutions to common TEP complications
- Describe the benefits of heat moisture exchange systems
- Identify three methods available to TEP speakers to aid in managing the prosthesis
- Evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of each voice rehabilitation method in detail to assist patients with total laryngectomy

TARGET AUDIENCE

Physicians, allied health professionals, otolaryngology—head and neck surgeons and residents-in-training, certified speech pathologists, speech pathologists-in-training, nurse practitioners, physicians' assistants, and nurses involved in laryngectomy patient care.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Tuition fee: **\$100 per person**

Includes lunch and evening reception.

Registration by credit card (all major credit cards accepted) can be completed at MassEyeandEar.org/VoiceCourse. Upon receipt of your paid registration, an email confirmation from the Mass. Eye and Ear Education Office will be sent to you. Be sure to include an email address that you check frequently. Your email address is used for critical information including registration confirmation, evaluation, and certificate. *Registration with cash payment or by check is not permitted.*

REFUND POLICY

No refunds will be issued for any cancellations.

COURSE LOCATION

All sessions will be held in the Meltzer Auditorium, 3rd floor, 243 Charles Street, Boston, MA 02114.

ACCOMMODATIONS/TRAVEL

A limited number of rooms have been reserved at the Wyndham. Please specify that you are enrolled in the "Voice Restoration Course" to receive a reduced room rate. Please do not purchase non-refundable airline ticket(s) until you have received an email from our office confirming your paid registration.

INQUIRIES

Monday–Friday, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm (ET)

By phone 617-573-3654 or by email at

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For more information and to register:
MassEyeandEar.org/VoiceCourse

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

March 17, 2017

7:15–8:00 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast	
8:00–8:10 am	Welcome and Introduction	Daniel Deschler, MD
8:10–8:30 am	Surgical Reconstruction Following Total Laryngectomy	Kevin Emerick, MD
8:30–8:50 am	Non-Surgical Voice Restoration After Laryngectomy	Ann Kearney, MA
8:50–9:30 am	Surgical Voice Restoration.	Daniel Deschler, MD
9:30–9:45 am	Questions	
9:45–10:00 am	Break	
10:00–10:30 am	Patient Selection to Optimize Success	Glenn Bunting, MS
10:30–10:50 am	Timing of Prosthesis Placement	Daniel Deschler, MD
10:50–11:20 am	Pulmonary Rehabilitation and HM.	Carla Gress, ScD
11:20–11:45 am	Stoma Valves and LaryButtons	Meryl Kaufman, MEd
11:45 am–12:00 pm	Questions	
12:00–1:00 pm	Lunch (provided)	
	Laryngeal Cancer Post-Treatment Issues	Moderator: Kevin Emerick, MD
1:00–1:25 pm	Tissue Changes with Chemoradiation Therapy	Jeremy Richmon, MD
1:25–1:50 pm	Dysphagia Following Total Laryngectomy	Tessa Goldsmith, MS
1:50–2:10pm	Lymphedema Treatment	Tessa Goldsmith, MS
2:40–3:00 pm	Break	
	Multidisciplinary Management of TEP Complications.	Moderator: Jeremy Richmon, MD
3:00–3:15 pm	Botox for Voice Limiting Spasm	Phillip Song, MD
3:15–3:45 pm	Prosthesis Selection to Optimize Success	Meryl Kaufman, MEd
3:45–4:15 pm	TEP Complications: More than Just a Valve Change	Glenn Bunting, MS
4:15–5:15 pm	Panel: Case Controversies and Complication.	<i>Moderator:</i> Glenn Bunting, MS <i>Panel:</i> Deschler, Emerick, Goldsmith, Gress, Kaufman, Kearney, Song
5:15–6:30 pm	Wine and Cheese Reception with Faculty	

March 18, 2017

8:00–8:20 am	Developing Your TEP Program	Anna Choi-Farshi, MS
8:20–9:20 am	Panel: Reimbursement Issues in TEP Care	<i>Moderator:</i> Carla Gress, ScD <i>Panel:</i> Deschler, Kaufman, Kearney, Choi-Farshi, Bunting
9:20–9:35 am	The Patient’s Perspective	TBA
9:35–9:45 am	Questions	
9:45–10:00 am	Break	
10:00–1:00 pm	Clinical Demonstrations: 11th Floor Voice and Speech Laboratory	
	<i>Rooms 1 & 2: Medical/Surgical Issues: TEP Techniques, PE Spasm, And Leakage</i> Daniel Deschler, MD, and Kevin Emerick, MD	
	<i>Rooms 3 & 4: Speech Pathology Issues: Common Prosthesis Changes, Sizing, and Complications</i> Anna Choi-Farshi, MS, and Ann Kearney, MA	
	<i>Rooms 5 & 6: Laryngectomy Tubes and LaryButtons, Hands Free Tracheo-Stoma Valves, HMEs</i> Carla Gress, ScD, and Meryl Kaufman, MEd	

Please note: Program changes/substitutes may be made without notice.

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