

SIU OTOLARYNGOLOGY

SIU Otolaryngology strives to improve the health of people afflicted by diseases of the head and neck region through teamwork that is designed to provide optimal patient care, make new discoveries, and educate health care workers.

Our physicians give expert clinical care covering all aspects of the specialty. In addition, most of the faculty have completed extra training as a subspecialist. This enables us to provide patients with comprehensive programs in hearing and balance disorders, voice and upper airway disorders, head and neck surgery, and reconstructive surgery. We are particularly proud of the world class research team based in our department.

SIU Ear Nose & Throat Clinic Hearing & Balance Center

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DEPARTMENT OF OTOLARYNGOLOGY
REFERRAL GUIDE



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GENERAL ENT



Zaid Al-Zaghal, MD Assistant Professor

- · Medical and surgical disorders for the ear
- · Vertigo and imbalance disorder
- · Disorders of the facial nerve
- Hearing disorders: sudden & chronic
- Hearing aids, cochlear implants and other implantable hearing devices
- · Vestibular schwannoma & lateral skull based lesions

VOICE, SWALLOWING, AIRWAY



Sandra L Ettema, MD, PhD, CCC/SLP Associate Professor

- Dysphagia/swallowing disorders (Peds/Adults)
 - -Upper esophageal disorders
 - -Cricopharyngeal hypertrophy
 - -Sialorrhea (drooling)
 - -FEES Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing
- Tracheostomy care
- · Airway and voice disorders
 - -Sudden voice loss
 - -Hoarseness longer than 4 weeks
 - -Stridor
 - -Breathiness, difficulty speaking
 - -Subglottic/tracheal stenosis
 - -Professional singing
 - -Laryngomalacia/Tracheomalacia
- Spasmodic Dysphonia (shaky voice)
 - -Botox injections

■ URGENT CASE – Call immediately with information so provider can evaluate the appointment urgency

FACIAL RECONSTRUCTION, FACIAL PARALYSIS



Matthew Johnson, MD
Assistant Professor

- · Pediatric facial plastic and craniofacial surgery
- Facial paralysis reconstruction
- · Congenital facial conditions, orofacial clefting
- Reconstruction of facial defects (from cancer removal or trauma)
- Nasal surgery, rhinoplasty
- · Facial aesthetic surgery
- Pediatric micrognathia and upper airway obstruction
- Acute onset facial paralysis
- Recent facial trauma

HEARING LOSS, AIRWAY, THYROID



Stacie Gregory, MD Assistant Professor

- Thyroids (thyroid nodule, thyroid cancer, etc both pediatric and adult)
- Pediatric airway (laryngomalacia, subglotic stenosis, laryngeal papilloma, etc)
- · Pediatric sleep apnea
- Pediatric and adult hearing loss, pertaining to cochlear implant candidates (following all congenital/pediatric hearing loss patients from initial diagnosis)
- Congenital/pediatric neck masses (thyroglossal duct cysts, vascular and lymphatic malformations, branchial cleft anomalies, etc)

SINUS & SKULL BASE



Dana Crosby, MD, MPH, FARS, FAAOA

Program Director
Department Chair
Associate Professor

- Chronic sinusitis (with and without nasal polyps)
- Sinus tumors (benign or malignant)
- Cerebral spinal fluid leak through the nose
- · Thyroid eye disease
- · Blocked tear duct

HEAD & NECK CANCER, THYROID



Pardis Javadi , MD Assistant Professor

- Head and neck cancer
- Neck mass
- · Thyroid nodule
- · Hyperparathyroidism
- Parotid mass



Neil Mundi, MD, BSc (Hons), FRCS (C)
Assistant Professor

- Head and neck cancer
- Neck mass
- Thyroid nodule
- Parathyroid tumors & nodules
- Hyperparathyroidism
- · Parotid mass
- Submandibular gland mass



Arun Sharma , MD, MS, FACS Associate Professor

- Head and neck cancer
- Neck mass
- Thyroid nodule
- Hyperparathyroidism
- Parotid mass