WEEK 1:

ENT EMERGENCIES: SITUATIONS REQUIRING IMMEDIATE REFERRAL

ENT Refresher Webinar Series Goals:

To expand the lines of communication between primary care physicians and specialists in Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery, and to share discussion and recent advances as it pertains to complex or challenging cases in Otolaryngology.

By the end of this ENT Refresher Webinar series, participants will be able to:

1. Apply knowledge of recent advances to complex or challenging cases in Otolaryngology
2. Employ an increased quality of care to patients requiring ENT based treatment
3. Recognize when a referral to an ENT specialist should occur, and how to optimize pre-referral workup

AGENDA

12:00 – 12:15 pm
Webinar Login

12:15 - 12:20 pm
Welcome and Introduction: Dr. Hayder Al-Tukamchi

12:20 – 1:05 pm
Lecture: ENT Emergencies: Situations Requiring Immediate Referral
Dr. Josée Paradis and Dr. Camilla Stepniak

Objective: To identify otolaryngologic conditions that require immediate referral.

At the end of the workshop, participants will be able to:

1. Recognize the presentation of sudden sensorineural hearing loss as an ENT emergency
2. Identify when an ear or sinus infection requires prompt referral
3. Develop an approach to management of nasal trauma including assessing for a septal hematoma and appreciation of the timeline for nasal fracture reduction
4. Assess an acute auricular (ear pinna) injury
5. Identify pediatric foreign body situations that require immediate Emergency Room assessment

1:05 – 1:30 pm
Question and Answer session: Moderated by Dr. Hayder Al-Tukmachi

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