

# Otolaryngology/Head & Neck Surgery Residency Program Naval Medical Center Portsmouth



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# Program Overview:

- 5 year program, including internship
  - No PGY-2 "Resitern" year
- Intern slots
  - 2 categorical ENT surgical interns
  - Considered the OTO-1 year
- It's *Possible* to enter at the OTO-2 level after General Surgery internship
- OTO-2 through OTO-5 years
  - Two residents/year



# Current Status: Staff

- 10 Assigned, 7 subspecialty
  - 2 Otology/Neurotology
  - 1 Head & Neck Surgical Oncology/Reconstruction
  - 1 Pediatric OTO
  - 1 Laryngologist
  - 1 Otolaryngic Allergist
  - 1 Facial Plastics
  - 3 General OTO
- Affiliated
  - 5 Plastic & Reconstructive @ NMCP
  - 2 General OTO @ Langley AFB
  - EVMS Otolaryngology residency faculty



# Current Status

- Accreditation:
  - Fully accredited
  - Last site survey 9/2/2010
- Board pass rate:
  - 100% pass rate for the past 20 years



# Rotations

- OTO-1
  - Categorical OTO surgical internship
- OTO-2
  - Audiology course
  - Pediatric OTO X 3 months @ CHKD
- OTO-3
  - Audiology course
  - U of Iowa Anatomy Course X 2 wks



# Rotations

## ■ OTO-4

- U of Nebraska Head & Neck X 3 mos
- EVMS Head & Neck x 3 mos
- Temporal bone dissection course (away)
- Microvascular surgery course
- Otolaryngic Allergy Basic Course (away)

## ■ OTO-5

- All at NMCP
  - 6 months Head & Neck/Plastics, 6 months Otology
  - Otolaryngic Allergy Advanced Course
- Opportunities for TAD



# Strong Points

- Strong, well-rounded, defined academic program
  - Dedicated academic day
  - Didactic & interactive
  - Includes other services: path, rads...
  - Includes EVMS OTO department
- Subspecialty clinics & rotations
- Resident run clinics
- Case loads >1800/250
  - diversity
  - hands-on



# Strong Points

- Plastic & Reconstructive experience
- Head & Neck experience
  - EVMS, U of Nebraska
  - Hampton VAMC
- Anatomic dissections
  - Temporal bone lab & dissection
  - Bioskills lab
- Otolaryngology Training Exam (OTE) review course & scores
- Simulation Center



# Where We are Advancing to the Next Level

- Formal research curriculum
- Progressively increasing research time & productivity
- Increased use of the Bioskills lab
- Formal Otolaryngic Allergy training leading to board eligibility



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