

**NATIONAL SPECIALIST REGISTER**  
**CRITERIA FOR REGISTRATION IN OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY**

Any doctor can request to be registered in Specialty of Otorhinolaryngology if he/she fulfils ALL the following requirements:

- 1.0 Fully Registered with Malaysian Medical Council (MMC) with current Annual Practicing Certificate (APC) or hold a Temporary Practicing Certificate (TPC)
- 2.0 Possessed recognised postgraduate qualification
  - 2.1 List of recognized postgraduate qualifications
    - i. Master of Otorhinolaryngology, Universiti Malaya
    - ii. Master of Otorhinolaryngology –Head & Neck Surgery, Universiti Malaya
    - iii. Master of Surgery (Otorhinolaryngology –Head & Neck), Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
    - iv. Doctor of Otorhinolaryngology Head & Neck Surgery, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia [Starting June 2013]
    - v. Master of Medicine (Otorhinolaryngology, Head & Neck Surgery), Universiti Sains Malaysia
    - vi. Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh in Laryngology
    - vii. Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Glasgow in Laryngology, FRCSGlas(ORL-HNS)
    - viii. Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland (FRCS (Ire) in Laryngology)
    - ix. Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of England (FRCS (Eng) in Laryngology)
    - x. Fellow of the Royal Australian College of Surgeons (FRACS in Otolaryngology Head & Neck Surgery)
    - xi. Diplomate American Board of Otolaryngology
    - xii. Intercollegiate Fellowship [FRCS (ORL-HNS)]
- 3.0 Completed a minimum of two (2) years of working experience as an Otorhinolaryngologist after post qualification in Otorhinolaryngology in hospitals/institutions recognized by the Subcommittee.
- 4.0 Confidential reports from two (2) referees.

Please note that Referees must meet the following requirements:

  - 4.1 Must be registered as Specialist in Otorhinolaryngology in NSR
  - 4.3 Must be a peer or senior professionally
  - 4.4 Must have qualified as a specialist in the specialty for a minimum of 5 years
  - 4.2 Must have worked with/had the opportunity to observe the applicant professionally

- 5.0 Evidence of actively practicing in Otorhinolaryngology for the past 2 year.
- 5.1 Logbook for the last two (2) years is required composing Otology, Rhinology and Head & Neck (refer to Appendix)
  - 5.2 The Summary and Logbook of Core Procedures must be endorsed by Head of Department (Public Sector) or Medical Director (Private Sector).
- 6.0 For applicant whose qualification and/or working experience as an Otorhinolaryngologist from overseas and have no local experience in Malaysia, must undergo a full time supervised local attachment for a period of up to one (1) year at an approved centre with satisfactory report.
- 7.0 Notwithstanding the above, the SSC may stipulate any additional conditions, including training/work experience/interview, on the applicant if deemed necessary.

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3<sup>rd</sup> December 2017

**SUMMARY OF CORE PROCEDURES PERFORMED**  
**(OTORHINOLARYNGOLOGY)**

Name of Applicant : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Period : \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

NO.	PROCEDURES	NO OF PROCEDURES		
		OBSERVED	ASSISTED	PERFORMED
<b>Rhinology</b>				
1.	Submucous diathermy of inferior turbinates			
2.	Antral washout			
3.	Antrostomy			
4.	Endoscopic Sinus Surgery			
5.	Trimming inferior turbinates			
6.	Nasopharyngoscopy			
7.	Ethmoidectomy (intranasal & external)			
8.	Frontal sinus trephination			
9.	Lateral rhinotomy			
10.	Rhinoplasty			
11.	Septorhinoplasty			
12.	Caldwel Luc & transantral procedures			
13.	Maxillectomy (partial, total, with orbital exentration)			
<b>Otology</b>				
14.	Tympanoplasty			
15.	Mastoidectomy (Cortical , modified radical, radical)			
16.	Aural polypectomy			
17.	Myringotomy			
18.	Grommet insertion			
<b>Laryngology, Head and Neck</b>				
19.	Tonsillectomy/adenoidectomy			
20.	Excision of head & neck cyst and sinuses			
21.	Bronchoscopy			
22.	Parotidectomy (superficial & total)			
23.	Salivary gland surgery			
24.	Commando Surgery			
25.	Laryngectomy (partial & total)			
26.	Endoscopic laryngeal microsurgery			
27.	Neck Dissections (all types)			
28.	Lateral pharyngotomy			
29.	Facial fracture reduction			
30.	Local Flaps and reconstructions			
<b>Emergency Procedures</b>				
31.	Oesophagoscopy and Foreign Body Removal			
32.	Bronchoscopy and Foreign Body Removal			
33.	Epistaxis Management			
34.	Drainage of Deep Neck Abscess			
35.	Facial Fractures Reduction			
36.	Tracheostomy			

Verified by : \_\_\_\_\_

(Supervisor/HOD)

Stamp :

Date :