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THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Of the Israeli Society of Head and Neck Surgery and Oncology

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Thursday, November 7th, 2024

08:30–10:00 Registration & Breakfast 
10:00– 10:10 Opening remarks

10:10–11:25 **Session** **Updates on the management of oral cancer**

10:10–10:30 **Keynote**
Versatility of the parascapular system for complex head and neck reconstruction
Eitan Prisman

10:30–10:45 **Keynote**
The effect of cannabis plant extracts in Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma (HNSCC) and the quest for cannabis-based personalized therapy
Blal Kifah

10:45–11:25

Panel

Advances in oral cancer

Ohad Ronen

Pre-malignant lesions

Dan Yaniv

Surgical margins – novel molecular techniques

Haim Gavriel

Selecting the right preoperative imaging modality

Anton Warchavsky

Targetable mutations in salivary gland tumors

Inbar Finkel

Q&A

11:25–12:00

Coffee break & Exhibition



12:00–12:40

Tumor board – **Oral Cancer**

Gideon Bachar

Gilad Horowitz | **Noga Kurman**

Ayman Salhab | **Avi Hefetz**

Eitan Prisman

12:40–13:50

Free papers session #1

Doron Schindel | **Dan Guttman**

The role of adjuvant radiotherapy for early-stage oral cavity cancer with minor adverse features; A single institute experience

Eyal Yosef

Association between hypothyroidism and tracheostomal stenosis in laryngectomized patients

Roe Noy

Correlation between immunohistochemistry assessment of YAP expression and clinical outcomes of HNSCC patients

Alexandra Dorman

Pathological response to neoadjuvant chemo +/- immunotherapy treatment in oral cavity SCC

Liyona Kampel

Deep learning AI can predict the expression of P16 protein in oropharyngeal squamous cell carcinoma (OPSCC) biopsies. Comparison with nuclear texture morphometric analysis
Sivan Bitterman

Digital technologies in maxillo-facial rehabilitation

Eleonora Ginzburg

TP53 genetic heterogeneity in the evolution of recurrent or second primary head and neck squamous cell carcinoma
Liyona Kampel

Treatment with PD-1 inhibitors for non-melanoma skin cancer among immunocompromised patients; A single institute's experience
Nofar Edri

Epigenetic circulating biomarkers for prediction of treatment outcome of radiation treatment of head and neck squamous cell carcinoma
Joshua Moss

The role of immunotherapy in the treatment of lip SCC: A case series
Ido Amir

13:50–14:50 Lunch break 

14:50–17:20 **Session**
Quality of life and reconstruction

14:50–15:10 **Keynote**
Novel Radioenhancer NBTXR3 as
a Single Agent in LA HNSCC or in
Combination with Anti-PD-1 in R/M
HNSCC

Aron Popovtzer

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15:10–15:30 **Panel**
State of the art in rehabilitation
Yonatan Cohen

Quality of life measurements

Keren Bartal


Maxillofacial consideration in head and
neck reconstruction

Yoram Fleissig

Q&A

15:30–15:50 **Keynote**
De-escalation protocols in head and
neck cancer

Amichay Meirovich

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15:50–16:30

Free Papers Session #2

Galit Avior | **Nir Hirshoren**

Molecular alteration patterns, rather
than tumor size, predict tumor behavior
in papillary thyroid cancer: results
from an international multicenter
retrospective study

Idit Tessler

Predictive value of ultrasound for
surgical planning in papillary thyroid
carcinoma

Tommy Jacob

Diagnostic accuracy in thyroid FNA:
Comparative evaluation of cytolyt
versus formalin smear techniques

Haia Darawshe

Thyroid gland dysfunction and
covid-19 severity – Is there a
correlation?

Nidal El Khatib

Comparison of the prevalence and
predictors for non-diagnostic thyroid
fine needle aspiration using different
cytological techniques

Nir Zontag

16:30–17:20

Case discussion

Tumor board – Reconstruction dilemmas

Ilana Doweck

Moshe Yehuda | Eran Alon

Nidal Muhanna | Thomas Shpitzer

Murad Abdelraziq | Yotam Shkedy

Eitan Prisman

17:30–19:00

Cocktail reception

Friday, November 8th, 2024

08:00–09:00

Registration & Breakfast



08:00–09:00

Residents' session

Medical oncology and radiation knowledge for surgical trainees – What and how?

Inbar Finkel | Nir Hirshoren

09:00–11:00

Session I

09:00–09:20

Keynote

Immunotherapy in elderly patients

Orit Gutfeld

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09:20–10:00

Panel

Head and Neck update

Benzion Joshua

FNA vs. FNB

Shlomo Merchavy

Sentinel lymph node for oral cavity carcinoma

Eric Remer

Laser treatment for oral cavity lesions

Avi Goldfarb

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Risk of future carcinoma detection in untreated pleomorphic adenomas of the parotid is lower than historically posited

Helena Levyn

Q&A

10:00–10:10

Speech and swallowing disorders following oral cavity surgery

Yuval Nachalon

10:10–11:00

Free papers session #3

Ilan Hochman | **Yaniv Hamzany**

Prognosis and outcome of cutaneous metastatic squamous cell carcinoma (cSCC) to the parotid gland in Israel: A 20 year analysis

Hadar Gez Reder

Outcomes of conversion surgery for patients with low-risk papillary thyroid carcinoma

Helena Levyn

Lymph node yield as a prognostic factor in oral cavity squamous cell

Dean Dudkiewicz

The administration of cetuximab as a second line after pembrolizumab among incurable head and neck squamous cell carcinoma patients; A single institute experience

Eyal Yosef

Superficial cordectomy of early glottic cancer – can we spare the ligament?

Daniel Ben Ner

The epidemiology and outcome of HPV associated oropharyngeal carcinoma; A single institute experience

Noa Zimhony-Nissim

Unique radiologic features of parapharyngeal space tumors can improve pre-operative diagnosis and surgical outcomes

Tareq Zoabi

The effect of radiation therapy on the immune response to head and neck cancer

Shay Sharon

11:00-12:00

Coffee break & Exhibition



12:00-13:10

Session II

12:00-12:20

Keynote

Particles radiation – Israeli task force

Eli Sapir

12:20-13:10

Tumor board – **Head and neck cancer in the elderly – surgical, oncological, and ethical considerations**

Limor Muallem

Jean-Yves Sichel | Lisa Cooper

Eli Sapir | Naomi Rabinovics

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13:10-13:20

Closing remarks & awards

Limor Muallem | Nir Hirshoren

13:20-13:40

New chairman and committee presentation

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13:40-14:30

Lunch



20:30

Special Lecture

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