

Robotic TORS Cadaveric Dissection Course

Newcastle Surgical Training Centre

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TARGET AUDIENCE:

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Aims and Objectives

- Become familiar with the function and operation of the da Vinci Surgical system
- Appreciate the ergonomics of the da Vinci Surgical system robot and the available robotic instrumentation
- Perform the standard primary TORS procedure on cadaveric simulation
- Understand the relevant TORS anatomy
- Define the role of TORS in current day head and neck cancer patients
- Understand the benefits and rationale of offering a transoral resection service
- Gain and insight into the pathological assessment of transoral resections
- Understand the adjuvant treatment and schedule following transoral surgery

