**Objectives: Rhinology Minifellowship Program**

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**Initial 3-week minifellowship program objectives:**

This program is designed for senior residents in otolaryngology, or otolaryngologists in practice. It focuses heavily on endoscopic surgical anatomy and common surgical techniques. Easy to use anatomical landmarks and a step-wise approach toward endoscopic sinonasal surgery are reviewed for a variety of benign and malignant sinonasal disorders. Participants will have hands-on experience with basic surgical anatomy and techniques (turbinate and septal surgery, ethmoidectomy, maxillary/frontal/sphenoidal sinusotomies), as well as advanced surgical anatomy and techniques (extended sinusotomies, and endoscopic surgery of the orbit and skull base). This will involve multiple fresh cadaveric dissections (minimum of 1 dissection per week), lectures, and observation in the operating rooms and clinics. Only 2 participants will be limited per 3 week session. It also includes the following:

- Access to an extensive library of edited surgeries, illustrating a variety of endoscopic transnasal procedures to address inflammatory, as well as benign and malignant neoplasms, of the sinuses, orbit, and skull base.
- Access to Departmental weekly teaching conferences currently available to fellows and residents.
- Instruction on the use of simple video editing software to edit O.R. videos from cases observed (optional).
- Suggested reading materials provided, including a complimentary copy of Dr Casiano’s Endoscopic Dissection Manual.
- Complimentary access to the University of Miami Calder Medical Library.
- Lectures on endoscopic sinonasal, orbital, and skull base anatomy.
- Observation in the operating rooms and in the outpatient clinics; observing new patient workup, in-office procedures, as well as the preoperative, intraoperative, and postoperative care of patients.

**Refresher program (3-Weeks):**

The objectives for this program are the same as for the initial minifellowship rotation above.

**Course Focus:**

- This program is designed as a refresher course, for those participants desiring further experience in our anatomical dissection lab, and/or observation in the clinics or OR.