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Continuing Professional Development Lecture: Early Diagnosis And Intervention For Children With Hearing Loss 3 November 2020

Synopsis

In Singapore, for every 1000 births, 4 newborns are diagnosed with hearing loss (Universal Newborn Hearing Screening In Singapore: The Need, implementation and challenges. WK Low et al. 2005). To promote early detection, the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening programme was introduced in 2002. Unfortunately, this hidden disability can remain undetected in mild, late onset and progressive cases. Hearing loss left unmanaged can result in noticeable delay in speech development, poorer academic performance or undesirable behavioural and mental issues.

For this talk, the speakers will cover the following areas to encourage awareness in the importance of early diagnosis and management of paediatric hearing loss. Participants will have a better understanding of:

- how hearing loss is diagnosed in children
- types of intervention for children with hearing loss
- advantages of early intervention

Target Audience

All allied health professionals

Registration

To register, scan the QR code or click on the web link.
Registration closes on **16 October 2020, Friday**.



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Upon registration, you agree to the following [Terms & Conditions](#).

Zoom Capacity: 500

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For ease of accessing the lecture, please download/update Zoom Cloud Meetings app.

Details of the lecture meeting link will be sent to the successful registrants nearer the lecture date.

Lecture Details

Date	:	3 November 2020, Tuesday
Duration	:	45 minutes
Time	:	6.00 pm - 6.45 pm
Fee	:	Complimentary
Platform	:	Zoom Cloud Meetings

Speakers



Ms Goh Choon May
Senior Audiologist
ENT Centre
Singapore General Hospital (SGH)

Choon May graduated with a Bachelor Degree in Audiology from National University in Malaysia. She has been practicing as an Audiologist since year 2012, to provide diagnostic hearing assessments for all ages, fitting and evaluation of hearing aid usage, and cochlear implant rehabilitation. She is also involving in research projects, raising public awareness on hearing loss through public talks and hearing screening.



Ms Melissa Tan
Audiologist
ENT Centre
Singapore General Hospital (SGH)

Melissa is an Audiologist at SGH ENT Centre for Hearing and Ear Implants. She graduated with a Master's degree in Audiology from NUS from the pioneer cohort, and has been practising clinically since 2015. Her experience in working with paediatric and adult patients provides her with clinical exposure in managing patients across all age groups. She hopes to continue to develop her expertise in the field of hearing healthcare, and contribute back to the lives of those with hearing loss

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