

DR. SANTOSH SHIVASWAMY

Consultant – ENT & Head and Neck Surgery

Qualification

MBBS | DLO | DNB | FMES (POL) | Fellowship in Laryngology

Overview

Dr. Santosh Shivaswamy is an experienced ENT and Head & Neck Surgeon in Bangalore. He is currently practising as a Consultant - ENT, Head & Neck Surgery at Manipal Hospital, Doddaballapur, Bangalore. Dr. Santosh Shivaswamy brings a wealth of knowledge and surgical expertise to his role as a specialist in ENT and Head & Neck Surgery. With an academic foundation that includes an MBBS, DLO (Diploma in Otorhinolaryngology), and a DNB in ENT, he has developed an in-depth understanding of disorders related to the ear, nose, throat, and head and neck region. In his pursuit of excellence, Dr. Shivaswamy has also completed a Fellowship in Laryngology, enabling him to manage complex voice-related disorders with precision. His clinical approach is rooted in evidence-based medicine, and he ensures each treatment plan is tailored to deliver optimal outcomes. At the forefront of minimally invasive procedures, Dr. Shivaswamy is adept in endoscopic sinus surgeries that address sinusitis and nasal obstructions with reduced recovery time and greater patient comfort. He is highly experienced in performing delicate micro ear surgeries such as tympanoplasty, mastoidectomy, stapedotomy, and

ossiculoplasty—restoring hearing and improving ear health. His proficiency in laryngotracheal reconstructions, endoscopic anterior skull base surgeries, and head and neck procedures makes him a trusted surgeon for complex cases. His keen interest in phonosurgery enables him to treat vocal cord lesions and voice disorders effectively. Additionally, he provides comprehensive care for snoring and sleep apnea, offering individualised solutions that improve breathing and sleep quality. Dr. Shivaswamy's commitment to professional growth is evident in his membership in respected organisations like the Indian Academy of Otolaryngology and Head & Neck Surgery, the Association of Otolaryngologists of India, and the Indian Association of Surgeons for Sleep Apnea (IASSA). These affiliations keep him actively engaged in learning the latest developments in ENT and sleep surgery, which he readily incorporates into his practice. He has received accolades such as the Prof. S. Kameshwaran Gold Medal for his research in ear surgery and has co-authored scientific papers in reputed medical journals, reflecting his contributions to academic medicine. With a patient-first approach, Dr. Shivaswamy ensures that every individual receives comprehensive education about their condition and treatment options. His consultations are thorough, clear, and compassionate, helping patients feel informed and confident in their care journey. He emphasises preventive care and lifestyle modifications to support long-term wellness alongside surgical or medical intervention. Dr. Shivaswamy stays abreast of the latest advancements in surgical tools and techniques, consistently integrating new technologies to enhance surgical accuracy and patient safety. Whether treating chronic sinusitis, voice disorders, or offering reconstructive head and neck surgery, his goal remains the same—ensuring optimal health, comfort, and quality of life for each patient. Fluent in multiple languages, Dr. Santosh Shivaswamy ensures empathetic and effective communication with patients from diverse backgrounds, creating a warm and supportive clinical experience for all.

Fellowship & Membership

- Fellowship in Laryngology.
- FMES : Memberships - Association Of Otolaryngologists Of India - LM4412.
- Indian Academy of Allergy LM -467.
- Indian Academy of Otolaryngology and Head & Neck Surgery.
- Indian Association of Surgeons for Sleep Apnea (IASSA).
- Indian Medical Association -Bangalore,Karnataka State Medical Society and LIONs Club Bangalore.

Field of Expertise

- Endoscopic Sinus Surgery
- Micro Ear Surgery - (Stapedotomy, Tymanoplasty, Mastoidectomy, Ossiculoplasty)
- Head& Neck Surgery
- Phonosurgery For Voice Disorders
- Snoring Disorders
- Cochlear Implant & Implantation Otology
- Laryngotracheal Reconstructions
- Endoscopic Anterior Skull Base Surgery
- Endoscopic Ear Surgery
- Treatment for Snoring Disorders instead of Snoring Disorders

Languages Spoken

- English
- Hindi
- Kannada
- Telugu
- Tamil

- Malayalam

Awards & Achievements

- Prof. S Kameshwaran Gold Medal Paper Presentation - Role of fibrin Glue in Ear Surgery.
- 10th TN State AOICON.

Talks & Publications

- Nasal Septal Clips: An Alternative to Nasal Packing After Septal Surgery? Indian Journal of Otolaryngology and Head & Neck Surgery December 2012, Volume 64, Issue 4, pp 346-350.
- Laryngeal Fiberscopic Surgery - An Alternate Approach to Micro-Laryngeal Surgery. Article no- 071/2008, Indian Journal of Otolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgery as co-author.
- Canine Fossa Approach in Endoscopic Sinus Surgery – Our Experience Article no- 071/2008, Indian Journal of Otolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgery as co-author.
- A Case Report: Tracheal trauma Leading to surgical emphysema in Journal of Otolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgery as co-author.
- Role of fibrin glue in ear surgery - Gold Medal 10th TN State AOICON –2006.
- Septal clips – to avoid nasal packing – Poster presentation 10th TN state AOICON - 2006.
- Upper alveolar tumors – a different Entity in oral cancers at 58th AOICON 2006, Lucknow.
- Para pharyngeal Space tumors, Poster presentation - PMMC flap a Work Horse in Head & Neck Reconstruction 5th FHNOCON 2006, Lucknow.
- Foreign Body in the tracheobronchial Tree at South Zone AOI

Conference 2005, Pondicherry.

- Lateral tongue flap Reconstruction at 23rd State AOI Conference 2005, Hubli.
- Dr. Santosh Shivaswamy on the Use of Earplugs for Long Periods of Time and How it can cause a Number of Complications for Your Ear Health | Manipal Hospitals Hebbal | Bangalore Mirror.