

VOICE AND SPEECH



Dedicated to the evaluation and care of voice disorders, the Columbia Voice Clinic is a unique resource for the community and those who use their voices professionally.

Voice disorders are often signs of other medical problems.

Our medical experts use state-of-the-art technology to provide a wide range of services for all types of voice disorders.

Patients with symptoms of voice disorders will be evaluated by a ear , nose and throat specialist by :

- ❖ Laryngeal endoscopy
- ❖ CT SCAN Contrast of Neck in case of laryngeal cancers
- ❖ Laryngeal stroboscopy if indicated.

Specialty Care for Voice Disorders

The Columbia Voice Clinic offers a combination of behavioral, medical, and surgical treatment approaches for voice problems. Treatment will include either single or multimodality treatment which include medical, surgical and voice therapy.

- ❖ Thyroplasty, arytenoid adduction, and vocal cord augmentation to restore your voice following vocal cord paralysis
- ❖ Vocal cord microsurgery to treat vocal cord lesions such as polyps, cysts, and scars
- ❖ Injections of vocal cords to reduce impaired phonation and voice breaks caused by spasmodic dysphonia or essential tremor

- ❖ Laryngeal reconstruction to repair a narrowed or injured throat
- ❖ Voice therapy to rehabilitate and maximize the physiology of voice production
- ❖ Singing voice therapy to rehabilitate the injured singing voice

Our goal at the Division of Speech Language Pathology is to provide the highest quality of care for people who have speech, language, voice disorders.

To make an appointment or learn more about any of our speech-language pathology services at Columbia Hospitals : Consult an Ear Nose Throat Specialist.