



MercyAscot Head & Neck Service:



A comprehensive service for head and neck disorders

Our multidisciplinary team of complementary health specialists provides exceptional holistic care and a unique wrap-around support service for our patients, ranging from Specialist nursing and wound care; Dietitian; Clinical pharmacy; Speech and language therapy; Physiotherapy; Specialist Pathology and Radiology.

Our surgical service is led by world class surgeons Rajan Patel, Mark Izzard, Kevin Smith and Muammar Abu-Serriah; and Kim Gear, provides the non-surgical management of head and neck disease, with areas of expertise including:

- ✦ Head and neck cancers
- ✦ Mouth and skin cancers
- ✦ Neck and thyroid lumps
- ✦ Maxillofacial trauma
- ✦ Reconstructive surgery
- ✦ Otorhinolaryngology
- ✦ Tooth extraction
- ✦ Facial deformity
- ✦ Oral facial rehabilitation and dental implants
- ✦ Oral ulceration
- ✦ Dry mouth

In addition, the MercyAscot Head & Neck Service is proud to offer comprehensive one-stop diagnostic clinics:



Neck Lump Clinic

An integrated multidisciplinary one-stop clinic for neck lump patients, staffed by a radiologist, a pathologist and a surgeon. Patients receive diagnosis and a treatment plan in 45 minutes. All patients seen within one week. A Southern Cross Affiliated provider service.



Facial Fracture Clinic

A seamless multidisciplinary one-stop specialist facial fracture service, for ACC-covered patients with suspected sub-acute facial and nasal bone fractures.



Salivary Gland Pathology Clinic

A streamlined multidisciplinary clinic, for the comprehensive evaluation of patients with salivary gland disorders including swelling and inflammation, Sjogren's syndrome, salivary stones and tumours.



Our team is committed to close communication with you as the referrer, to efficiently treat and rehabilitate your patients. We are focused on delivering clinical excellence and outstanding patient experience.

To find out more about the MercyAscot Head & Neck service and our clinics, visit mercyascot.co.nz/headandneck