

Examples:  
All transoral surgery : tonsillectomy, laryngeal surgery  
All intranasal surgery : sinus surgery  
All endolaryngeal or transtracheal surgery : bronchoscopy, tracheostomy, laryngectomy  
Mastoidectomy (and other high speed-bone drilling procedures)

Examples:  
Transcervical surgery : neck dissection, thyroidectomy  
Skin / superficial procedures



**ENT SURGICAL PROCEDURES DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC**



Examples :  
Acute upper airway obstruction  
Life-threatening conditions (such as bleeding, impending coning)

**Urgent**

Examples :  
Head and neck malignancy  
Abscesses/infective conditions  
Foreign body (not immediately life threatening)  
Failed medical management

Examples :  
Other cases with non-urgent or time sensitive conditions

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