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CASE STUDY: CHRONIC SINUSITIS WITH NASAL POLYPOSIS

A 65-year-old male with a history of environmental allergies has experienced a long history of post-nasal drip, facial pressure around his nose and eyes, difficulty breathing through his nose, and a decreased sense of smell. He has had multiple episodes of acute sinus infections with associated yellow discharge from his nose and discolored post-nasal drip. These episodes are often treated with courses of antibiotics and steroids.

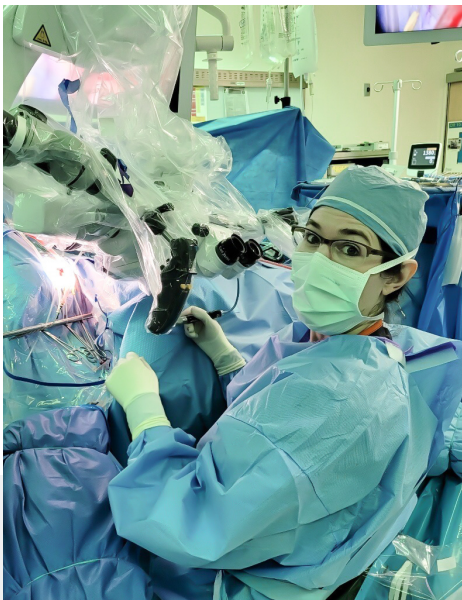
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WELCOME, DR. COURTNEY VOELKER TO PACIFIC HEAD AND NECK

Pacific Head and Neck is proud to introduce **Dr. Courtney Voelker – Head & Neck Surgery, Otolaryngology – Neurotology**. Dr. Voelker is a Rhodes Scholar and board certified neurotologist. She is Chief of Otolaryngology, Neurotology, and Lateral Skull Base Surgery and the Director of the Cochlear Implant Program at Pacific Neuroscience Institute Medical Group (PNIMG). Dr. Voelker is committed to offering high quality, compassionate care to patients in her clinic, while pursuing scientific advancements in the field. Dr. Voelker's clinical interests include chronic ear disease, otosclerosis, cochlear implantation (adult and pediatric), vestibular disorders, skull base tumors including acoustic neuromas, meningiomas, and glomus tumors. Her research interests include studying inner ear structure and function, and how that knowledge translates into treatments for patients with hearing and balance problems.



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NICK'S STORY - SINUS INFECTION AND DEVIATED SEPTUM

Patient Nick was diagnosed with a sinus infection and deviated septum. Nick had previously undergone another surgery which had no change towards his infection.

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