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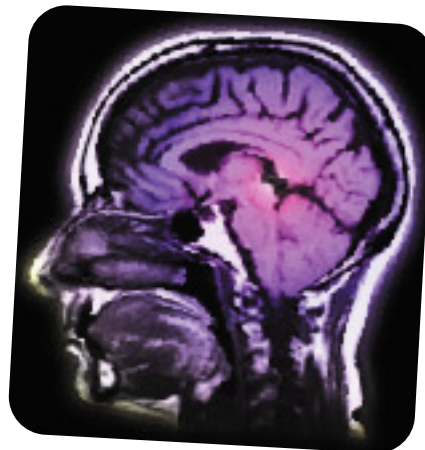
Endoscopic Third Ventriculostomy

Course Description Endoscopic third ventriculostomy has clearly been established as an alternative method for treating noncommunicating hydrocephalus. The success of the procedure is strongly dependent upon appropriate equipment, surgeon's experience, patient selection, and accurate outcome assessment. This course will examine all of these issues through the use of multiple lectures and a hands-on introduction to the equipment. The lectures will be given by neurosurgeons with vast experience in the field of endoscopic neurosurgery.

Course Objectives The course is intended for practicing neurosurgeons or neurosurgeons in training who are interested in learning about endoscopic third ventriculostomy. It is the objective of the course that the participant gains a knowledge in the technique of endoscopic third ventriculostomy which affords them the confidence of applying the technique within their practice. It is also intended for the neurosurgeon who currently uses third ventriculostomy and wants to expand their understanding of complex issues such as third ventriculostomy in the infant population, difficult third ventriculostomy, radiographic assessment and complication avoidance.

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