



Foreword
Head and neck MR imaging I



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Head and neck imaging is a topic that has not been previously addressed in the *Magnetic Resonance Imaging Clinics of North America*. This is an important area of imaging and one that is a frequent source of frustration for many radiologists, particularly those whose involvement with such cases is infrequent. It is the intent of this two-part series to comprehensively address the technical, clinicopathological, and interpretive issues involved in head and neck MR imaging.

Dr. Suresh Mukherji is one of the leading head and neck radiologists in the world today. Dr. Mukherji performed his residency training at Brigham and Women's Hospital, followed by a fellowship in Head and Neck and Neuroradiology at the University of Florida. He began his academic career at the University of North Carolina, where he was Chief of Head and Neck Radiology. In 2001 he moved to the University of Michigan to assume the roles of Chief of Neuroradiology and Head and Neck Radiology, as well as Neuro-radiology Fellowship Program Director. He is also an Associate Professor of Radiology and of Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery.

Dr. Mukherji has published over 200 manuscripts that describe important insights regarding the approach to imaging patients with head and neck conditions. He is the author of several textbooks, including *Modern Head and Neck Imaging*. In addition to being a prolific author, he is also a highly regarded teacher and has served on course faculty and as visiting professor throughout the world. His innovative work has been recognized with many awards and grants.

I would like to extend my appreciation to Dr. Mukherji and to his team of contributing authors for their exceptional efforts in putting together this issue of the *Magnetic Resonance Imaging Clinics of North America*. I trust that readers will find it to be a timely and practical guide to the application of MR imaging of the head and neck.

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