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To whom it may concern,

**Re: National Prospective Robotic Head and Neck Surgery Audit**

The **ENT UK Robotic Leads** are fully supportive of this prospective National Audit on the indications and perioperative management of Head and Neck Robotic Surgery, developed and delivered by the **INTEGRATE (The UK ENT Trainee Research Network)** head and neck committee and conducted using a bespoke data entry system hosted by the University of Southampton.

Since the first UK procedure in 2013, robotic-assisted head and neck surgery has been increasingly adopted for a variety of indications, ranging from resection of oropharyngeal malignancies and primary site detection in head and neck unknown primary cancer through to management of obstructive sleep apnoea. This comprehensive national audit will provide the first insight into the scope of practice of robotic head and neck surgery across UK centres, more than a decade after the procedure's introduction. The audit will additionally capture data on the perioperative management of patients undergoing robotic procedures, with a view to introducing future national standardisation of treatment protocols and rehabilitation after surgery.

Widespread engagement from UK Robotic Head & Neck Cancer units is anticipated and essential to inform future improvements in robotic procedure care pathways. We are grateful for your support in this project. Further information is available here: [entintegrate.co.uk/national-tors-audit](http://entintegrate.co.uk/national-tors-audit).

Yours faithfully,

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