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ENT Team Showcases Excellence on the Regional and International Stage

The Ear Nose and Throat (ENT) Department has been celebrating a number of achievements over recent weeks, highlighting its commitment to clinical excellence, education and quality improvement.

These achievements demonstrate the ENT Department's strong culture of education and innovation, while showcasing the expertise of its clinicians on both the regional and international stage.



Led by Consultant ENT Surgeon, Miss Bethan Fon Jones, several resident doctors presented posters summarising the team's work at the North of England Otolaryngology Society meeting. Otolaryngology is the study of diseases of the ear, nose and throat.

The team showcased audits and quality improvement projects undertaken over the past year, demonstrating the team's ongoing commitment to improving patient care and clinical practice.

The team's efforts were recognised with Dr Matthew West's posters being awarded second place, a fantastic achievement and a testament to the high standard of work being carried out within the department.

In addition to supporting the team's resident doctors, Miss Jones was invited to speak at the North of England Otolaryngology Society meeting, where she delivered a presentation on sialendoscopy (minimally-invasive salivary gland surgery where a small camera is introduced into the pathway carrying saliva), sharing her expertise with colleagues from across the region.

Her expertise has also been recognised internationally. Miss Jones was invited to join the faculty at the 4th International Sialendoscopy Society meeting in Athens, where she delivered an invited lecture and chaired a scientific session. The invitation reflects her growing reputation in the field of sialendoscopy.



Congratulations to Miss Bethan Fon Jones and the resident doctors on these outstanding accomplishments, which continue to raise the profile of the department and the Trust while contributing to the advancement of ENT care.

