

Robert Cox, MD

General Otolaryngologist

Education & Training

Undergraduate: Dickinson College, Carlisle PA 2010-2014

Medical School: University of Connecticut School of Medicine, Farmington CT 2015-2019

Residency: Otolaryngology: The George Washington University, Washington DC 2019-2024

Hospital/Surgical Privileges

Rhode Island Hospital/Hasbro Children's Hospital

The ENT Center of Rhode Island

Academic Appointments

Clinical Instructor of Surgery of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery

Warren G. Alpert Medical School of Brown University, 2024 to present

Board Certification

Board Eligible (completed written, oral pending) -- American Board of Otolaryngology

Research & Publications

Youner, E. R., **Cox, R.**, & Zapanta, P. (2023). Inadvertent, Self-Induced Pneumoparotitis Provoking Pneumomediastinum. *Cureus*, 15(1), e34016. <https://doi.org/10.7759/cureus.34016>

Benito, D. A., Shaver, T. B., **Cox, R.**, Strum, D. P., Mehta, V., Shim, T., Chillakuru, Y., Badger, C., & Joshi, A. S. (2022). Cost-analysis of in-office versus operating room sialendoscopy: Comparison of cost burden and outcomes. *American journal of otolaryngology*, 43(3), 103424. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.amjoto.2022.103424>

Nogues, J. C., **Cox, R.**, Mulcahy, C., Benito, D., & Goodman, J. (2021). Incidentally discovered severe hypercalcaemia from a functioning parathyroid cyst: the limitations of intraoperative parathyroid hormone (IOPTH) monitoring. *BMJ case reports*, 14(5), e239119. <https://doi.org/10.1136/bcr-2020-239119>

Naples, J., **Cox, R.**, Bonaiuto, G., & Parham, K. (2018). Prestin as an Otolologic Biomarker of Cisplatin Ototoxicity in a Guinea Pig Model. *Otolaryngology--head and neck surgery : official journal of American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery*, 158(3), 541–546. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0194599817742093>

Personal

Dr. Robert Cox graduated magna cum laude with a bachelor of science in biochemistry Dickinson College in Carlisle, PA. He then returned to his home state of Connecticut where he earned his medical degree from the University of Connecticut. He went on to

complete his internship and residency in Otolaryngology/Head & Neck Surgery at the George Washington University in Washington, DC.

Dr. Cox is a general otolaryngologist and enjoys treating the full spectrum of otolaryngology in adults and children. He has a special interest in the surgical management of obstructive sleep apnea, thyroid and salivary gland disorders, and sinus disease. He is thrilled to have returned to New England and lives in Providence with his wife and their Golden Retriever, Henry. In his free time, he enjoys working on his garden, playing guitar, and competing in amateur cycling races.