

**Jefferson Thyroid Cancer and Parathyroid Disease Update 2019:
*Updates in Diagnosis and Treatment***

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After participating in this CPD activity, participants should be able to:

1. Differentiate the need for surgical intervention vs. active surveillance for various thyroid nodules, incorporating various aspects of the nodule characteristics.
2. Identify the degree of surgery needed for various types of thyroid cancer and determine when it is appropriate to be conservative or aggressive.
3. Determine which patients will benefit from adjuvant therapy including RAI, XRT, and chemotherapy.
4. Confidently diagnosis hyperparathyroidism and rule out other causes of hypercalcemia
5. Ability to order appropriate imaging studies for localization of parathyroid adenomas and know the differences between these modalities
6. Discuss and identify the indications for surgical intervention for primary hyperparathyroidism and the surgical options confidently with patients and other providers.
7. Confidently manage post-operative hypo- and hyper-parathyroidism
8. Assess their individual practice in light of the information and discussions during the workshop, and identify specific strategies to implement as part of a continuous improvement process for their practices.