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Specializing In:

Disorders of:

- hoarseness
- breathing
- swallowing
- singers
- actors
- speakers

Procedures of:

- diagnostic stroboscopy
- digital laryngeal imaging
- laryngeal injections
- laser treatments
- vocal cord augmentation
- microlaryngoscopy
- nerve grafting
- vocal pitch surgery
- laser tumor resection

PARQ (Procedure, Alternatives, Risks & Questions) conference

Procedure: LASER treatment in office

Anesthesia: Topical

Alternatives: A brief listing of alternatives might include speech therapy or possibly more traditional surgery.

Risks: Failure to completely correct voice problem or completely remove the lesions, burn.

Laser treatment involves topically anesthetizing the nose, throat and vocal cords. A laser fiber is passed through the endoscope and the endoscope is inserted through the nose until the area to be treated is in view. Your eyes will be protected with appropriate laser glasses.

Students may be involved in observing or assisting with the procedures described above. Their name(s) is/are _____.

Questions:

Dr. Thomas explained all of the above to me, I have had the opportunity to view the extensive explanation on the voicedoctor.net website. My questions have been answered to my satisfaction. I consent to the procedure.

Patient signature

____ : ____
Time

____ / ____ / ____
Date

Witness signature

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Laser treatment in office

Name: _____

DOB: ____ / ____ / ____