

Rhinology is a growing field because it spans many medical and surgical disciplines, from the immunology of allergies and inflammations and the treatment of infections, traumas and neoplasias to functional and aesthetic surgery.

Nasal-sinus endoscopy has reached unprecedented levels of sophistication, which allows for more far-reaching and less damaging surgery.

The importance of the endoscopic examination is important also in accurately diagnosing nocturnal sleep apnoea syndrome and snoring, as well as, crucially, giving a correct pre-operative assessment of the location and size of the obstruction.