

Table 1. Demographic features of patients with recurrent goiter.

Male/Female	8/106
Age (years)	49,2 ± 12,1 (26-82)
Time lapsed from primary surgery (years)	16,5 ± 7,5years (4-35)
Operation indication of first surgery (MNG/toxic MNG)	106/8
Surgical procedure (subtotal/lobectomy)	101/13
Levothyroxine replacement treatment (number of patients)	47
Thyroid volume (cm ³)	6,8±24,8 (1,14-148,81)
Hypoparathyroidism after primary surgery /second surgery	5/4
Palsy of the recurrent laryngeal nerve after primary surgery/second surgery	3/3

Table 2. FNAB findings of patients with recurrent goiter.

Benign	148 (74%)
Suspicious	6 (2.71%)
Malign	3 (1.35%)
Inadequate	52 (26%)
Hurthle cell lesion	5 (2.26%)
Cellular microfollicular lesion	7 (3.16%)
Total	221 (100%)

Table 3. The pathological results of second surgery.

Malign	4 (22%)
Nodular Hyperplasia (NH)	10 (55%)
NH + Hashimoto Thyroiditis	3 (16.6%)
Hashimoto Thyroiditis	1 (5.5%)
Total	18 (100%)