Approach to Thyroid Disease

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Learning Objectives:
1. Review the prevalence of thyroid disease in the general population
2. Basic hormone physiology and treatment options
3. Updated methods of molecular testing of thyroid nodules

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