Nasopharyngeal carcinoma (NPC) comprises about 85% of all malignant lesions in the nasopharyngeal region. The incidence of NPC is high in some specific ethnic groups and geographical areas; an intermediate incidence of NPC is seen in North Africa, where undifferentiated carcinoma of nasopharyngeal type (UCNT) is the most common subtype and regularly associated with Epstein-Barr virus (EBV). Nasopharyngeal carcinoma comprises about 85% of all NPC.