

Table 2: Comparison of cause of failure in external dacryocystorhinostomy between consultant and fellow.

Grade	Cause of Failure: percentage (number)		Total % (number)	Significance
	Fibrous/membranous soft tissue obstruction	Inappropriately sized/located ostium		
Consultant	73.3% (11)	26.7% (4)	100% (15)	p =0.002
Fellow	22.7% (5)	77.3% (17)	100% (22)	