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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM**

February 22 – 24, 2024 | McCormick Place Chicago

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REGIONAL MEETING: IN-PERSON

Drury Lane, 100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace

Wednesday, Nov. 8, 8:30 a.m. to noon

Cornucopia of Clinical Conundrums in Endodontics

3 CE credit hours

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM:

Course Description:

Endodontic emergencies have the potential to create challenges for the dental provider. This course will offer solutions related to diagnosis, pain control, treatment and patient management. Topics covered include accurately diagnosing endodontic cases, cracked tooth syndrome, management of a "hot tooth," and tips to ensure adequate anesthesia and a presentation of unique endodontic challenges.

Course Objectives:

By the end of this course, attendees will be able to:

- Identify common endodontic emergencies and their associated presentation characteristics
- Discuss clinical and pharmacological management of endodontic emergencies
- Recognize the typical presentation of a cracked tooth and associated management techniques
- Outline anesthesia techniques to apply to challenging endodontic cases
- Highlight the diagnosis and management of atypical endodontic cases

ABOUT OUR SPEAKER:



Robert Goldberg, DDS, earned his dental degree from the University of Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry in 1997. He participated in the GPR programs at the University of Illinois Chicago and University of Chicago hospitals, and practiced as a general dentist with his father and uncle. Dr. Goldberg went on to earn his certificate in endodontics from Nova Southeastern University in 2003 and has been serving the Buffalo Grove and surrounding communities for almost 20 years. Dr. Goldberg is a Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry and a Diplomate of the American Board of Endodontics. He currently serves on several committees for the International Academy of Endodontics and has served almost 25 years on the CDS Peer Review and/or Mediation committees.

CDS ELECTION:

Voting for the 2024 officers of the Chicago Dental Society will take place Nov. 8 at the Regional Meeting.

Nominees for office are:

- **President:** David B. Lewis, Jr.
- **President-elect:** Denise D. Hale
- **Secretary:** Philip L. Schefke
- **Vice President:** Victoria A. Ursitti
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ABOUT CDS MEETINGS:

Regional Meetings are held in person at Drury Lane in Oakbrook Terrace and in a webinar formats.

IN-PERSON MEETINGS:

- Earn 3 CE hours
- A fee of \$150 is charged to dentists who are not ADA members. The fee may be applied to membership for the current year.
- **No partial credit will be issued.** CE credit verification will be emailed to registered attendees after each meeting.

FUTURE MEETING:

In-person: Friday, April 5, 2024:
9 a.m. – noon, location TBA.

Joanne Oppenheim, DDS and **Kenneth Kromash, DDS**, will present "Dental Anxiety and Phobias and Special Needs Patients."

You may pick up your badge onsite at Drury Lane, unless otherwise noted. The badge barcode will be scanned after the session to verify attendance for CE credit.

If the speaker provides a handout, it will be available for download prior to the meeting on www.cds.org.



PRESIDENT'S INVITATION

When it's February in Chicago, that means one thing: The 2024 Chicago Dental Society Midwinter Meeting gets under way at McCormick Place West, inside where the weather is always perfect! The hardworking board, staff and volunteers of the Chicago Dental Society welcome you to create your future with three days of top networking opportunities, continuing education, events, exhibits and much more.

Under the direction of our CDS Directors of Scientific Programs — Drs. Ted Borris (retired) and Cheryl Mora (present) — and in tandem with Drs. Yendis Gibson, General Chair, and Dave Williams, Program Chair, CDS has scouted numerous meetings in North America and online to assemble a program that has something for everyone. Working with a core of scouts from our Scientific Program Subcommittee, the meeting is offering more than 230 courses and 36 participation workshops by 143 speakers providing you with knowledge you can take back to the office the very next day.

The expansive Exhibit Hall will be full of top dental industry companies, as we are well on our way with nearly 400 exhibitors registered so far. You literally get to “kick the tires” on many products and services and compare them in real time under one roof to assist you in selecting what best suits your needs. Don't forget, a CDS member (tripartite and associate) rebate is offered toward purchases made on the exhibit floor during the meeting.

On Thursday afternoon from 3:45 to 5 p.m. we will feature our **Keynote Session speaker Geoffrey Baer** of Chicago Public Television fame who will present an entertaining program on all things Chicago. Join us to learn a little bit more about “Our Kind of Town.” Light refreshments will be served.

On Friday afternoon, our alliteratively renamed **Sips, Suds & Sales** featuring wine and beer will occur on the exhibit floor in the afternoon from 3:15 to 5:15 p.m., allowing all attendees to consider purchases from exhibitors in a relaxed social atmosphere. It's a great way to finish your day or start your evening with colleagues.

We listened and are returning the **Early Career & New Dentist Reception** to Restaurant 270, adjacent to the West escalators/stairs on Level 2, where you can't be missed nor miss it! This will also be on Friday from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Join your colleagues to network and compare notes on how your day at the Meeting went or how your career is evolving.

The popular **Dental Student Reception** (more than 600 attendees in 2023!) will be at the back of the exhibit floor on Friday from 4 to 5:30 p.m. So find your way there after a class or a walk around the exhibit floor to talk about your day and your future with your classmates and those from other dental schools.

Friday night you are free to enjoy all the City of Chicago has to offer! Great restaurants and entertainment abound for your team, family and friends. Recharge for Saturday's final day with the finest speakers, courses and exhibitors.

To cap off the meeting, my wife Christine and I invite you to join us Saturday at the **President's Dinner Dance** starting at 7 p.m. in the Crystal Ballroom at the Hyatt Regency Chicago. This is a time for all CDS members and attendees to celebrate the 159th Midwinter Meeting and the efforts by so many who make it such a success! The Chicago Catz band is lined up for our musical enjoyment while dining and dancing. Yes, they can play it all, and they will entertain us nonstop until 11:30 p.m. Bring your sneakers if you need them to finish off the night!

The entire CDS membership and staff is excited to offer the 159th edition of the Midwinter Meeting to you with the intent that it will help you to continue creating your future and friendships in dentistry! The CDS is firmly committed to the challenge of being “The Respected Leader in Scientific Dental Meetings” with you in mind.

David B. Lewis, Jr.
CDS President, 2024



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- Education
- Collegiality
- Diversity
- Inclusion
- Leadership

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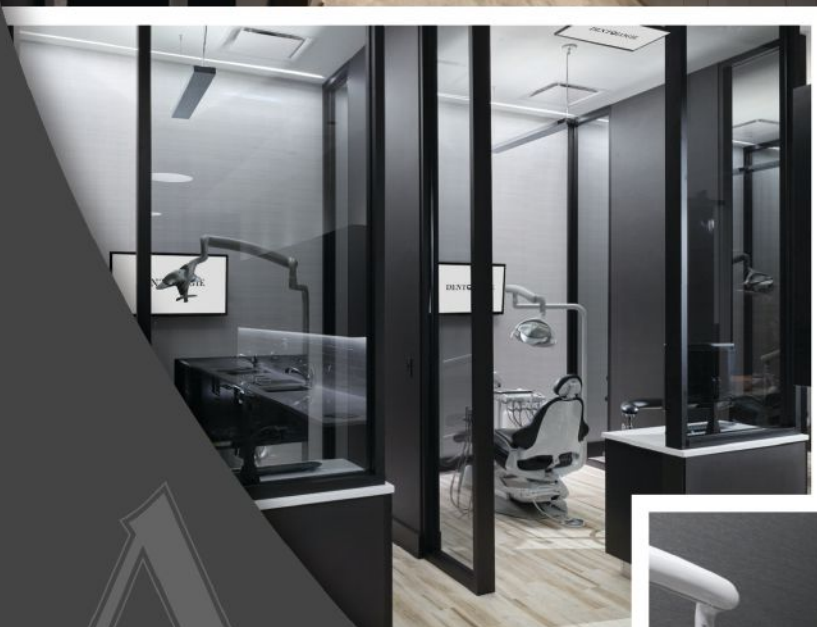
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Create your Future

Chart the professional future you want at the 2024 Midwinter Meeting. The Chicago Dental Society once again brings you unparalleled continuing education and access to the country's leading dental exhibitors when the best scientific dental meeting in the country returns Feb. 22 – 24, 2024. Find the education, inspiration, suppliers, and networking you need along with lively attendee events in our beautiful hometown, Chicago.

Online registration for the 159th Midwinter Meeting is open from Nov. 1 through the last day of the meeting, Feb. 24, 2024.

You may save time by simply updating existing registrations online or in the

mobile app (available in January) to add team members, courses and events. Badges will be mailed through Jan. 31, 2024. Any registration badges processed after Jan. 31 can be picked up onsite.

If your badge has not been mailed to you, have your registration confirmation email available to expedite badge(s) pickup onsite. You only need to visit the General Registration area at McCormick Place West to print your badge(s) at the e-badge stations located on the Concourse, Level 3.

Illinois dentists: remember that 2024 is a license renewal year.

EDUCATION

All Midwinter Meeting sessions carry a fee unless otherwise noted. All courses, free and paid, require registration. To gain access into the session onsite, the barcode on the name badge will be scanned.

Lectures offer cutting-edge information on a wide variety of topics for every member of the dental team, ranging from 90 minutes to 3 hours in length. All-day programs (6 credit hours) will have 1 ½ hour lunch break included.

Hands-on workshops (note new course code this year) provide opportunities to handle and manipulate materials, equipment, and instruments and to

THERE IS LOTS TO SHARE ABOUT THE 2024 MIDWINTER MEETING!

Save big by registering early! Lectures and hands-on workshops are at their best price in November and December. Beat the January-February price increase of \$25-\$40 per course depending on the type.

The Windy City Lecture Series returns! Check out our lineup of first-time speakers on Saturday as they make their debut at the Midwinter Meeting.

Don't miss this chance to master the skills you need to put a microscope to use in your office. Look for Hands-On Workshop H331 on Saturday.

Student Scientific Research Posters submitted by students from our two local dental colleges as well as SIU, Marquette and Indiana will once again be assembled in the Exhibit Hall. Stop by and see their impressive research for 1 CE credit each day.

Due to changes around ADA CERP CE requirements, the Exhibit Hall will no longer be eligible for 1 CE credit each day.

Don't miss our Keynote Session with the talented Chicago tour wizard Geoffrey Baer! Be sure to sign up for this lively program, which will be from 3:30 – 4:45 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 22, in Room W375D. Don't miss out on an iconic Chicago-style snack while you discover treasures about our hometown.

A podcast lounge will debut at the Midwinter Meeting. On the heels of the launch of CDS' own Filling You In podcast, the lounge will be a place for CDS and visiting podcasters to conduct their interviews. Stop by Booth 1015 on the exhibit floor and say hello!



Need to reset after a busy schedule? Sign up for light yoga during the noon hour on Thursday and on Friday. New in 2024!

Get ready for the popular Early Career and New Dentist Reception at its new time and location in 2024: Restaurant 270 on Level 2. Join us 5 - 6:30 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 23.

Due to popular demand, Brews & Bargains has added wine and taken on a new name – Sips, Suds & Sales! Beer and wine will be available in the Exhibit Hall for this chance to visit with vendors on Friday, Feb. 23, from 3:15 – 5:15 p.m.

The CDS Member Booth is back again with friendly faces and a headshot photographer. Stop by and see us at Booth 3608 in the Exhibit Hall.

CE from the meeting will be free to download until April 30, 2024. There is a \$35 fee afterward.

practice techniques under the supervision of an expert clinician. Some workshops require the participant to bring instruments or materials from the office or mandatory attendance at a prerequisite lecture prior to the workshop. Please check course descriptions carefully for such information.

Course Codes are:

- H – hands-on workshops (3 hours)
- FL – free lectures (3 hours)
- FP – free panels (3 hours)
- FS – free short lectures (1.5 hours)
- L – lectures (3 hours)
- LD – Donated CDS Foundation lecture (3 hours)

- LS – short lectures (1.5 hours)
- CLT – Corporate Learning Theater (no CE provided)

Free Courses (F)

Free courses are preceded with “F.” Register and arrive in advance of start time. If you arrive late for a free course, your seat may be gone. Course start times are staggered.

Mandatory Courses (M)

Some workshops have a mandatory lecture as part of the presentation. When registering for the workshop “H” course, mandatory lecture seats (marked with “M”) are automatically reserved for you and included in the workshop fee.

Repeat Courses (R)

Several of our courses are repeated during the meeting to enable as many people to attend as possible. Repeat courses are denoted with an “R.”

Registration categories that cannot attend courses include Exhibits Only (categories EFD, EFN), Children Under 18 (category R), Special Events (category SE) and Guest (category U). Student categories that cannot reserve free courses in advance include Pre-Dental (category PD), Hygienist (category QH), and Assistant (category QA).

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Handouts

Course handouts will be available online for courses where the clinician has provided them when registration opens Nov. 1, or on the Midwinter Meeting mobile app when it is available for download in January.

Student Scientific Research Posters

Student Scientific Research Posters allow students from University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry, Midwestern University College of Dental Medicine, Southern Illinois College of Dental Medicine, Marquette University College of Dentistry and University of Indiana School of Dentistry to display their chosen research projects during the Midwinter Meeting. The Research Posters are located around the Overlook Café, which is in the center of the Exhibit Hall. Please plan to visit these research posters, support the students and earn 1 CE credit each day.

EXHIBITS

During the meeting at McCormick Place, see the best exhibits showcasing the latest in dental products and services and enjoy additional outstanding programs presented in the Corporate Learning Theater (no CE provided). Your badge is your access to the Exhibit Hall. Your badge must be worn at all times during the meeting and while in the Exhibit Hall.

Exhibit Hall Schedule

McCormick Place West, Level 3, Hall F

- Thursday, Feb. 22, 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
- Friday, Feb. 23, 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
- Saturday, Feb. 24, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Corporate Learning Theater(s) – Located in the Exhibit Hall, two Corporate Learning Theaters offer sponsored programs multiple times daily. Various exhibitors are scheduled to provide one-hour, in-depth presentations on products, services, or techniques in an open-air theater. These sessions DO NOT offer CE credit. The theaters are located at the rear of the Exhibit Hall. Register for these free lectures in advance.

Exhibits Only Pass – An Exhibits Only Pass is available for both dentists (category EFD) and non-dentists (category EFN) attending the commercial exhibition only. All other category badges allow access to the Exhibit Hall.

SPONSORS

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REGISTRATION

Your registration badge provides you access to the Midwinter Meeting. The barcode on your badge will be scanned for lecture/workshop room access, CE verification and to obtain the CDS Rebate.

Lanyard ties will be available onsite for your convenience. The color of the lanyard designates what category you are in.



Be a CDS member and save!

- **CDS Member Rebate** – All current Chicago Dental Society member dentists who pre-register before February are eligible. The rebate value is reflected on your badge. To activate the rebate, be sure to make purchases in the Exhibit Hall. Proof of purchase is required. Rebates can only be submitted during the meeting at the Rebate Redemption Center, located in the Exhibit Hall.
- **Membership Pays Dividends** – Free registration for the Midwinter Meeting is a benefit available only to those CDS members who have paid their 2024 dues. Associate members receive the same benefits as local members, including free registration for the Midwinter Meeting and the opportunity to participate in CDS educational programming throughout the year. If you are an ADA member outside Lake, Cook, and DuPage counties in Illinois or an international dentist, you can join today as a CDS associate member at on.cds.org/member and register for the Midwinter Meeting for free.
- **CDS Member/Team Lecture Package** – CDS member dentists and dental team members who they register can opt for a special \$275 per-person unlimited Lecture Package through December (\$290 in January). The package is good for paid lectures only; hands-on workshops and CDS Foundation lectures are not included. Please note, lectures must be selected in advance of attending but may be modified after purchase. During the days of the Midwinter Meeting, you will not be admitted to the class if you have not selected a lecture in advance.

Incentives for all registrants:

- **Buy 3 = 1 Free** – For every three paying registrations that you purchase, you can sign up a fourth registrant for free, making the Midwinter Meeting more affordable for all attendees. The value of the lowest cost registration fee will be automatically credited at the time of registration.

- BLUE – Dentists
- RED – Hygienists
- GREEN – Assistants
- YELLOW – Dental Team
- BLACK – Exhibitors and all other registrants

Online Additions & Exchanges –

You may revisit the registration site at www.cds.org, from Nov. 1 through Feb. 24, 2024, to make changes and additions to your office registration. You can also contact our registration vendor directly for adjustments and refunds.

Registration Confirmation – Once you have registered your team online, you will receive an email confirmation that will include a summary of your team, courses and events registered for the Midwinter Meeting. Your badges will be mailed for registrations completed by Jan. 31. For registrations completed Feb. 1 or later, badges must be picked up at McCormick Place in the General Registration area or at printing kiosks.

In addition, because you have been prompted to provide a unique email for each registrant, individual registration itineraries will be automatically emailed to each registrant providing their registration/Access Key, category, courses and/or events. The email address and Access Key number are used as your log-in access for the Midwinter Meeting mobile app and CE verification.

Don't forget your badge – If you arrive at the Midwinter Meeting without your badge, you can print a replacement badge at the Reprints Booth for \$25 in the General Registration area, Level 3, Concourse. Please allow time to wait in line before your course begins.

Contact our registration vendor immediately if you have a question about your registration badges. Please call 630.241.1345 or 888.696.2446 or email CDS-MWM@attregistration.com.

Scanning

It is your responsibility to have your badge barcode scanned to guarantee eligibility for CE credit for each course. Course verification codes will be announced at the end of each course. Both the scan and verification code are necessary for each course or you will not receive credit.

The Chicago Dental Society designates one (1) credit per clock hour for CE activities, unless otherwise noted. It is your responsibility to verify the CE requirements of your licensing or regulatory agency and to contact them with any questions regarding licensing.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Illinois dentists are required to obtain 48 CE hours in a three-year period. The current cycle ends in September 2024. Illinois hygienists are required to obtain 36 CE hours in a three-year period and CPR certification in the year of licensure. The State of Illinois requires dentists and teams to attend sessions on Sexual Harassment and Opioids annually.

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ADA CERP guidelines state that you must be present at least 50 minutes of every hour that you expect credit. You can obtain your CE certificate at least one week after the completion of the meeting either through the CDS Midwinter Meeting mobile app or at www.cds.org.

Be sure to save your badge to have the proper registration and access key information. CE certificates for the 2024 Midwinter Meeting will be issued free of charge through April 30, 2024. A \$35 fee will be applied after that date.

ONSITE REGISTRATION SCHEDULE

McCormick Place West, Level 3, Concourse

- Wednesday, Feb. 21, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Exhibitor registration ONLY)
- Thursday, Feb. 22, 7:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Friday, Feb. 23, 7:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Saturday, Feb. 24, 7:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Registration is required for all special events in order to manage food and beverage orders. Events are free with the exceptions of the Keynote Session, Yoga, Early Career & New Dentist Reception, and the President's Dinner Dance. Event participants must be registered, which can be done at the same time you select your courses.

The Midwinter Meeting is hosting the following special events:

Thursday

- Keynote Session: 3:45 – 5 p.m.
- Yoga for Midwinter Mindfulness: 12 – 12:45 p.m.

Friday

- Yoga for Midwinter Mindfulness: 12 – 12:45 p.m.
- Sips, Suds & Sales: 3:15 – 5:15 p.m.
- Early Career & New Dentist Reception: 5 – 6:30 p.m.
- Dental Student Reception: 4 – 5:30 p.m.

Saturday

- President's Dinner Dance: 7 p.m. start

FAQS

Do you have a question about the 2024 Midwinter Meeting? There is a good chance you will find the answer to your question at cds.org/mwm.

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Gordon J. Christensen Lecturer Recognition Award – The Gordon J. Christensen Lecturer Recognition Award was established in 1990. The award recognizes Dr. Christensen’s many outstanding contributions to the dental profession and the Midwinter Meeting, and it honors the contributions of the recipient. Please see CDS social media for details during the meeting.

CDS Foundation Vision Award – The CDS Foundation Vision Award honors outstanding volunteer achievement. The recipient is a CDS dentist, dedicated philanthropist and volunteer who generously supports access-to-care programs and dental education for the underserved in their community; practices the dental profession with integrity, honesty, and truthfulness with commitment to the protection of the public trust; demonstrates altruism in endeavors, meriting the respect of patients, colleagues, and the community; and leads and inspires others through a high sense of purpose and dedication. Please see CDS social media for details during the meeting.

DISCLAIMERS

Special Events Disclaimer – In purchasing special events, individual(s) release the Chicago Dental Society as well as any of their employees from and against all claims, demands, suits, actions, losses (to persons or property), damages, injuries (including personal or bodily injury or death), expenses (including attorney fees), or other liabilities of any kind, by or in favor of any person, directly or indirectly arising out of or in connection with the event, regardless of cause or fault.

Speaker/Course Disclaimer – Any and all statements or suggestions expressed or implied in any manner by an instructor or any other person(s) before, during, or after any educational meeting, seminar, or any other event, or any program held by or associated with the Chicago Dental Society Midwinter Meeting (MWM) is strictly the opinion of the instructor or other person(s) and not the opinion of the Society or the MWM. The MWM does not recommend, endorse, oppose, or suggest the use or non-use of any particular product, modality, company, or course of conduct. Each attendee agrees that any conclusion reached, or decision made by him or her during or after the Meeting, is strictly that of the attendee and not at the direction, suggestion, or implication of the MWM, its employees, or agents. Speakers are required to disclose to participants any financial, commercial, or promotional interests in a product or company that may influence their presentation. However, the CDS shall not be liable for a speaker’s failure to disclose such interest. Please be advised that courses, speakers, or scheduling may change without notice.

Workshops Disclaimer – For those attending workshops, please be aware of the potential risks associated with using new techniques and procedures without having fully attained a competency level to practice them.

The Chicago Dental Society does not have a housing bureau and does not make reservations for attendees. However, CDS has arranged for a limited number of rooms with special discounted rates and/or incentives as part of the room block for the Midwinter Meeting.

DO NOT contact the Chicago Dental Society for reservation requests.

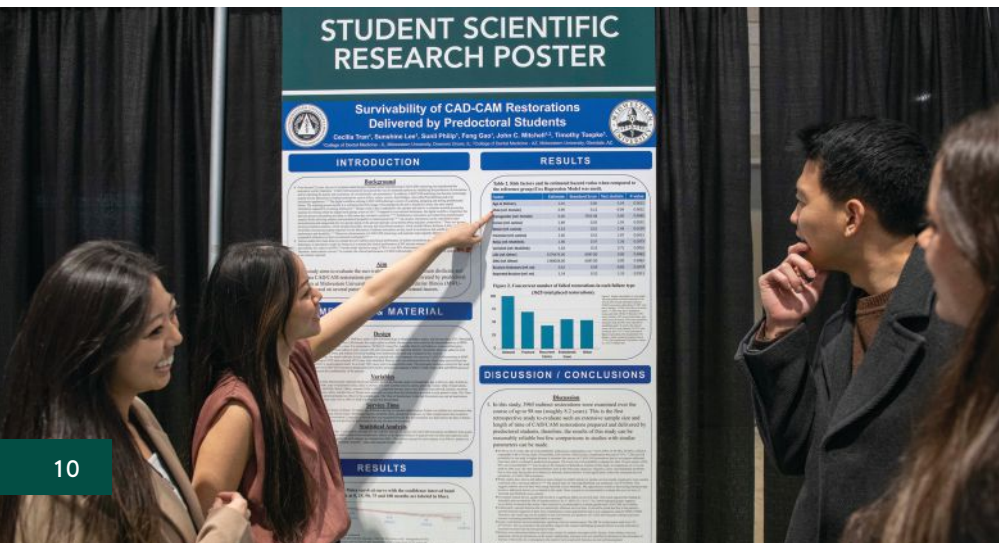
Contact the hotel of your choice from the list at right by telephone and ask their reservations desk for the “Chicago Dental Society Midwinter Meeting 2024 convention rate.” All hotel rooms are booked on a first-come, first-served basis, and the number of rooms at these rates are limited. Some may already be sold out. Rates also may change without notice.

Room rates include a per-night rebate to the Chicago Dental Society to help defray the cost of continuing education at the Midwinter Meeting. Rates do not include taxes. A first-night deposit or major credit card must guarantee all reservations.

Note: Shuttle bus service to McCormick Place will be available during peak hours only for guests staying at these room block hotels. For specific times and pick-up locations, check signs within your hotel. During non-peak times, additional shuttle service will only be available to and from the Hyatt Regency Chicago (CDS Headquarters) intermittently.

Staying in the room block helps keep meeting costs as low as possible and helps attendees stay connected with informal activities and networking opportunities. We encourage you to make reservations today.

BE AWARE of unauthorized hotel solicitations or fraudulent offerings as no outside housing bureau is authorized to handle Midwinter Meeting housing.



HOTEL GUIDE



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|---|------------------------------|
| 1. Blackstone Hotel, Autograph Collection
636 S. Michigan Ave.
Single/Double: \$124 (Early rate through Dec. 31)
Single/Double: \$144 (rate after Dec. 31)
on.cds.org/blackstone2024 | 312.447.0955
866.508.0261 |
| 2. Chicago Marriott Downtown
540 N. Michigan Ave.
on.cds.org/marriott-downtown2024
Single/Double: \$159 | 312.836.0100
877.303.0104 |
| 3. Fairmont Chicago, Millennium Park
200 N. Columbus Dr.
Single/Double: \$122 (Early rate through Dec. 31)
on.cds.org/fairmont2024-early
Single/Double: \$163 (rate after Dec. 31)
on.cds.org/fairmont2024-main
<i>*Shuttle service pick up and drop off from Hyatt Regency Chicago</i> | 312.565.8000
800.441.1414 |
| 4. Hilton Chicago
720 S. Michigan Ave.
(select "Early" until Dec. 31. Select "Attendee" after Dec. 31)
Single/Double: \$114 (Early rate through Dec. 31)
Single/Double: \$149 (after Dec. 31)
on.cds.org/hilton2024 | 312.922.4400
877.865.5320 |
| 5. Hyatt McCormick Place
2233 S. Martin Luther King Dr.
on.cds.org/hyatt-mccormick2024-early
Standard Attendee Rate Group Code: G-CDS2
Single/Double \$189
<i>*This hotel will not have shuttle service.</i> | 402.593.6018
800.233.1234 |
| 6. Hyatt Regency Chicago (CDS headquarters hotel)
151 E. Wacker Dr.
Group Code Early Rate: G-BD10
Single/Double: \$159 (Early rate through Dec. 31 and into January date TBD)
on.cds.org/hyatt-regency2024-early
Standard Code after Early Rate: G-BDSF
Single/Double: \$179 (after early bird)
on.cds.org/hyatt-regency2024-standard | 800.233.1234
888.421.1442 |
| 7. InterContinental Chicago
505 N. Michigan Ave.
on.cds.org/intercon2024
Single/Double: \$125
NOTE: The online reservation system may display a "\$25 per night amenity fee." This fee will not be charged to any Midwinter Meeting attendee or exhibitor. For further information, please contact the InterContinental directly. | 312.321.4100
877.424.2449 |
| 8. Marriott Marquis Chicago*
2121 S. Prairie Ave.
on.cds.org/marriott-marquis2024
Single/Double \$226
<i>*This hotel will not have shuttle service</i> | 312.824.0500
877.303.0104 |
| 9. Palmer House Hilton
17 E. Monroe St.
on.cds.org/palmer2024
Single/Double: \$114 (Early rate through Dec. 31)
Single/Double: \$149 (after Dec. 31) | 312.726.7500
877.865.5321 |
| 10. Renaissance Chicago
1 W. Wacker Dr.
on.cds.org/renaissance2024
Single/Double: \$159 | 312.372.7200
877.303.0104 |
| 11. Swissotel Chicago**
323 E. Wacker Dr.
on.cds.org/swissotel2024
Single/Double: \$109
<i>**Shuttle service pick up and drop off from Hyatt Regency Chicago.</i> | 312.565.0565
888.737.9477 |

GENERAL INFORMATION

REGISTRATION FEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	TIER 1 Registration Fee (Nov. 2023)	TIER 2 Registration Fee (Dec. 2023)	TIER 3 Registration Fee (Jan. 2024)	TIER 4 February 2024 and Onsite	CREDENTIALS All categories include entrance to exhibit floor
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DENTIST REGISTRATION FEES AND CODES						
A.	CDS Member Dentist	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	CDS/ADA member 2023/2024; CDS dues paid in full, or in autopay plan
B.	ADA Member Dentist	\$155	\$165	\$175	\$195	ADA member 2023/2024
C.	Graduate, Resident Dentist	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	School/Hospital ID
D.	International Dentist	\$155	\$165	\$175	\$195	Identification; business card
EFD.	Exhibit Pass Only (Dentists only)	\$150	\$150	\$150	\$150	Dentists only; no courses
EFN.	Exhibit Pass Only (Non-Dentist only)	\$150	\$150	\$150	\$150	Non-dentists only; no courses
F.	Federal Dentist	\$155	\$165	\$175	\$195	Current Federal ID 2023/2024
G.	Non ADA Member Dentist	\$850	\$850	\$850	\$850	Onsite: Driver's License/State ID

STAFF AND DENTAL TEAM REGISTRATION FEES AND CODES						
I.	Hygienist	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Onsite: drivers license/state ID, official letterhead
J.	ISDS Hygiene Member	\$0	\$20	\$30	\$50	ISDS current 2023/2024 hygiene members only
K.	Assistant	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Onsite: drivers license/state ID, official letterhead
L.	ILDAA Member	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Current ADAA members with Illinois residence only; current member card 2024
M.	Office Personnel	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Onsite: drivers license/state ID, official letterhead
MC.	Dental Health Coordinator	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Onsite: drivers license/state ID, official letterhead
MH.	Medical/Healthcare Professional	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Onsite: drivers license/state ID, official letterhead
N.	Laboratory Technician	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Onsite: drivers license/state ID, business card

STUDENT REGISTRATION FEES AND CODES						
HD.	Dental Student (USA)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Current school ID 2023/2024
HI.	Dental Student (International)	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10	Current school ID 2023/2024
NS.	Laboratory Technician Student	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	2023/2024 school/program ID card
PD.	Pre-Dental Student	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Current school ID Required
QA.	Assistant Student	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Current School ID 2023/2024
QH.	Hygiene Student	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Current School ID 2023/2024

GUEST REGISTRATION FEES AND CODES						
R.	Child younger than 18	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Parent/guardian; No course room access; No courses
SE.	Special Events Only	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Must be a guest of a registered attendee. Dentists not eligible to register in this category. No courses
U.	Guest/Family	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Business Card or Identification; No courses

EXHIBITOR/TRADE/PRESS REGISTRATION FEES AND CODES						
P.	Press	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	Business Card/ID; register in Press Room
V.	U.S. Trade	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Business Card or Identification
W.	International Trade	\$55	\$65	\$75	\$95	Business Card or Identification

REGISTRATION FORM

THREE WAYS TO REGISTER:

ONLINE: www.cds.org • **FAX:** 630.241.1007 • **MAIL:** CDS Midwinter Meeting; P.O. Box 735, Minooka, IL 60447.

FAX TRANSMISSION DISCLAIMER: Fax your form well in advance of the Jan. 31 deadline. CDS is NOT responsible for faxes not received due to a busy line. Keep your fax transmission report in case of problem.

1. USA

PAYOR NAME (Primary Registrant) _____

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INTERNATIONAL

PAYOR NAME (Primary Registrant) _____

COMPANY _____

ADDRESS _____

ADDRESS (must include Suite/Apt if applicable) _____

CITY _____ COUNTRY _____ POSTAL CODE _____

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2. PRIMARY REGISTRANT (Print or Type)				3. CATEGORY LETTER	4. PRE-REG FEE	TOTAL
CDS # or ADA # _____					\$ _____	\$ _____
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5. SPECIAL EVENTS

<input type="checkbox"/> SE1/Keynote Session, Thursday, Feb. 22 _____ @ \$15 = _____	<input type="checkbox"/> SE4/Sips, Suds and Sales, Friday, Feb. 23 _____ @ \$0 = _____
<input type="checkbox"/> SE2/Yoga for Midwinter Mindfulness, Thursday, Feb. 22 _____ @ \$15 = _____	<input type="checkbox"/> SE5/Early Career & New Dentist Reception, Friday, Feb. 23 Graduation year _____ \$25 = _____
<input type="checkbox"/> SE3/Yoga for Midwinter Mindfulness, Friday, Feb. 23 _____ @ \$15 = _____	<input type="checkbox"/> SE6/Dental Student Reception, Friday, Feb. 23 _____ \$0 = _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> SE7/President's Dinner Dance, Saturday, Feb. 24 _____ @ \$175 = _____

10. AMOUNT TOTAL

Primary Registrant Total _____	Special Events Total _____	Course(s) Total _____
GRAND TOTAL _____		

11. METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check Amount: \$ _____

Credit Cards: Visa MasterCard American Express

Security Code _____

(Please Print) CDS accepts personal checks (made payable to the CDS Midwinter Meeting), American Express, MasterCard and Visa as payment for pre-registration. However, if ordering tickets, we urge registrants to use American Express/Mastercard/Visa.

CARD NUMBER _____ EXPIRATION DATE _____

CARD HOLDER'S NAME _____

SIGNATURE _____



Choosing a Bank for Your Dental Practice.

Purchasing a practice is one of the most important decisions of your professional life. That's why the process of building the right team to guide you must include proper care and diligence. At Old National Bank, we believe that starts with your bank.



Mark Oganovich, Senior Vice President of Healthcare Banking at Old National, has focused exclusively on healthcare providers for the past 17 years. He's closed more than 1,000 transactions on behalf of his clients, for a total of more than \$450M in loan fundings.

Step 1: Choosing the Right Bank

Not every bank likes to lend in every industry. While almost any bank will write a personal mortgage, very few will write a dental acquisition loan. Avoid the hurdles, wasted time – and a potentially failed deal – by making sure your bank has a group that specializes in dental financing.

Why? There are two major factors that distinguish financing for the dentists. First, cash flow lending on intangible assets and, second, the net worth of a typical recent graduate.

Intangible Collateral: Most dentists will approach the corner bank out of convenience. What they'll find is a general business banker that is used to "tangible" collateral, such as a house, that can be foreclosed upon if you fail to pay your loan. When buying a practice, the enterprise value of the business is viewed as "intangible" collateral. A conventional banker will see limited value – and may require additional guarantor support, collateral, seller notes, or shorter payback periods. These may very well suffocate your cash flow before it even starts!

Net Worth of Young Dentists: With the average student loan debt at \$300,000 and minimal cash balances, many early-career dentists have a large negative net worth. Most conventional banks look for a strong net worth, including liquid assets to back up the loan for their guarantors. This can be problematic for those recently out of school. In contrast, a dental-focused lending group would make decisions based on the projected cash flow of the practice, your potential earning power, and historical default rates in the industry. You will be asked to guarantee the note individually, but you should not need to find additional guarantor or collateral support.

Another important consideration when choosing your banking partner is to map out your future goals for the practice and know your banking partner will be able to accommodate those needs. Maybe this includes an expansion of the existing office, or adding more locations. Some banks will have a cap on how many offices they can fund, how fast they can fund them, where they will fund them, or how much money they will lend in total. Make sure your bank has the runway you'll need to achieve your goals.

Step 2: Interview Your Banker

In my opinion, the relationship with your banker is the most undervalued asset in this process. To me, it matters more than anything.

Not all bankers are created equal. Picking a banker that has a strong work ethic, experience and connections is crucial. Interview your banker to see what makes them an expert and different from other bankers. Behind the scenes, your banker is quarterbacking internal and external relationships to help create the smoothest outcome. This could include knowing how to use loan policy to customize loan structures or how to best present your deal to the credit team, both of which play a role in the deciding factors for approval or not.

Being part of somebody's learning curve will turn out to be costly. It will cost you time, money, stress – and potentially your deal. Make sure your deal team has references and, most important, make sure you build a team that will be committed to you and your practice for years to come.

The Old National Difference

Experience: Clients here are able to build lasting relationships with the decision makers for the bank. Our dental bankers have an average tenure of 15 years and I have personally been with the same bank for 24 years. With us, you get a relationship with one banker, who can serve as a trusted source of information for years. This allows clients to operate with confidence in knowing what their bank can or can't do, since they are actually talking to the decision maker.

Flexibility: No deal is ever the same. At Old National, we're proud of our adaptability in finding lending solutions – it's one of the reasons I've been successful as long as I have. In contrast, many larger banks end up trying to fit a square peg into a round hole – and when they can't, they tell you you're out of luck. Make sure you understand the capability your bank has in being flexible to its policies, as it will be crucial in getting you to the finish line.

At Old National, we believe relationships and results matter.

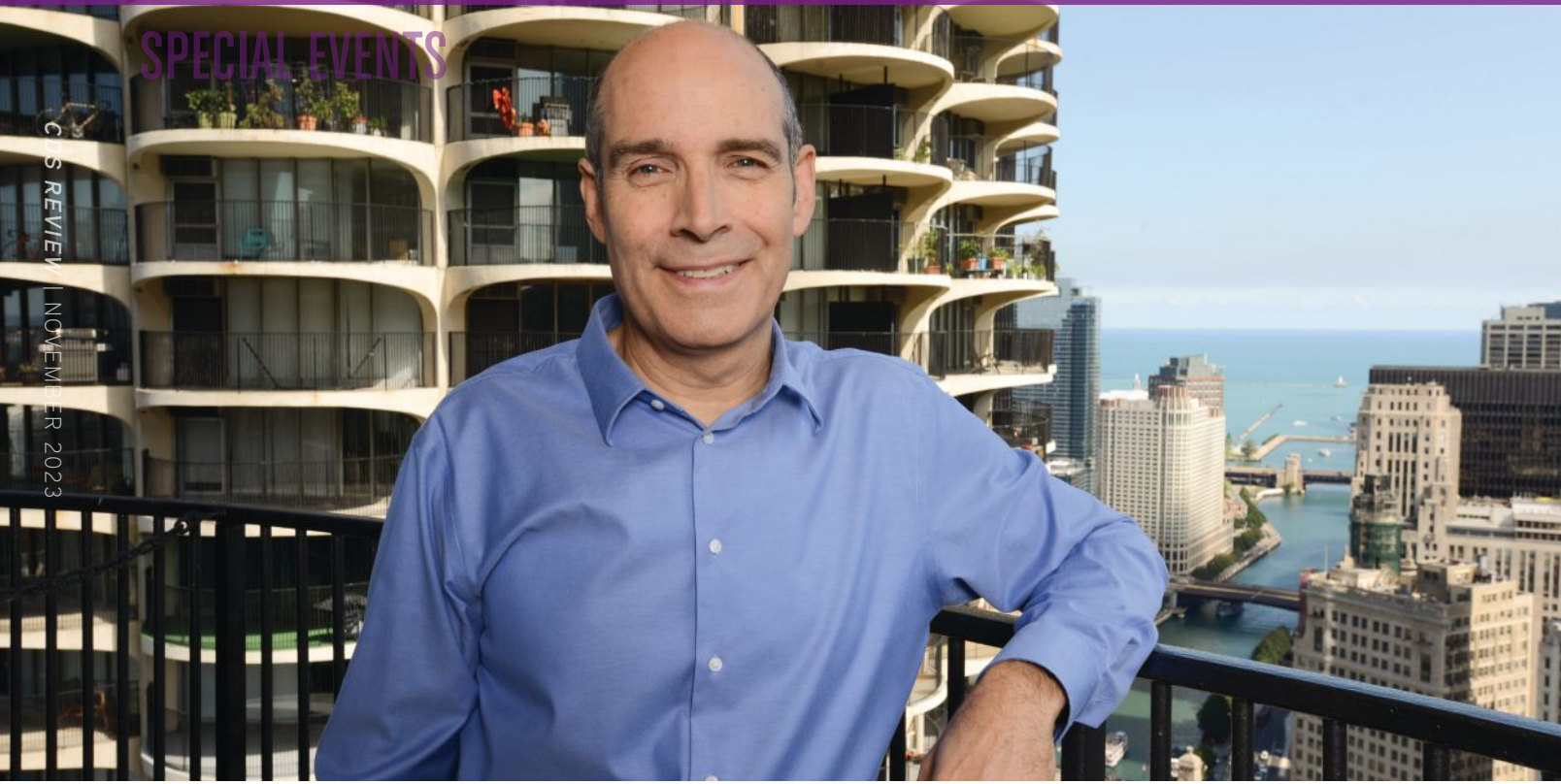
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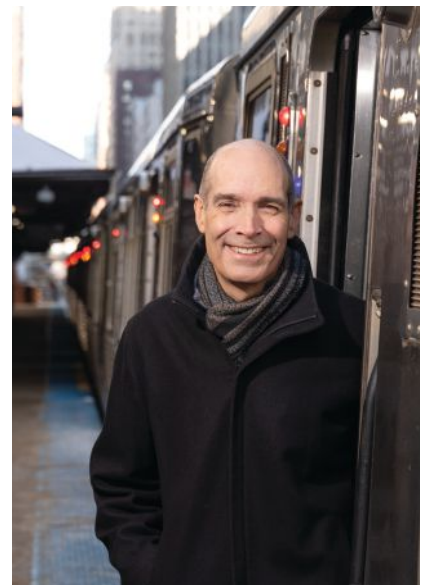
EXPLORE CHICAGO WITH GEOFFREY BAER

Geoffrey Baer, the popular Chicago public television host of dozens of specials on Chicago architecture and history, brings his witty and expert presentation to the Midwinter Meeting! Geoffrey's love and enthusiasm for all things in and around Chicago have made him a sought-after speaker. A writer and producer of his television "tours" for more than 30 years at WTTW, Geoffrey has skillfully explored the Chicago River, lakefront, the Loop, boulevards, the "L" and Chicago's suburbs and has interviewed storied architects who have left their indelible stamp on the Chicago skyline. More than a Chicago treasure, he also has brought us marvelous stories of people and places near and far in his award-winning programs on PBS about remarkable buildings, parks, towns and more all around the country. Don't miss this chance for a memorable visit with Geoffrey!

THURSDAY, FEB. 22

- 3:30 – 4:45 p.m.
- Room W375D
- \$15 per person; scan badge barcode at door

Event number: SE1





NEW TO THE MIDWINTER MEETING THIS YEAR!

YOGA FOR MIDWINTER MINDFULNESS

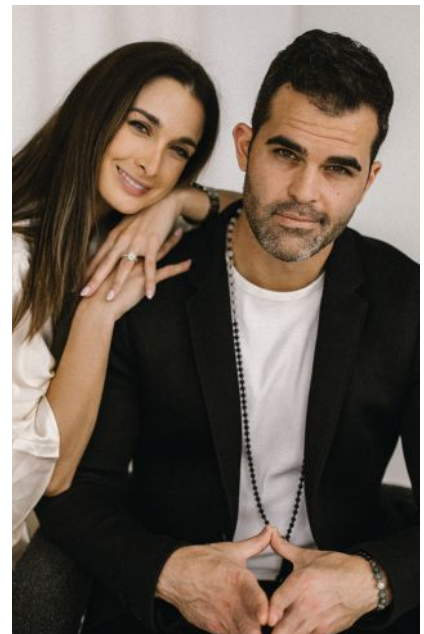
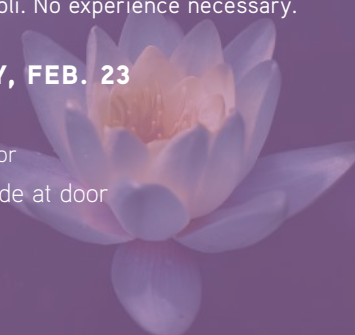
Tap this light yoga and breathwork session on Thursday and Friday and leave refreshed and balanced in mind and body. Loosen up your body (light movements can be done in business attire) and center your mind under the guidance of CDS member and yoga instructor Dr. Cristian Pavel and his spouse and partner, Dr. Danielle Cascioli. No experience necessary. One session each on Thursday and Friday.

THURSDAY, FEB. 22 AND FRIDAY, FEB. 23

- 12 – 12:45 p.m.
- Level 3, West Lobby, just off the exhibit floor
- \$15 per session, scan your badge barcode at door

Thursday, Feb. 22: Event Number SE2

Friday, Feb. 23: Event Number SE3



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SIPS, SUDS & SALES

Grab a glass of wine or beer and get ready to do some serious shopping with your favorite vendors in the Exhibit Hall on Friday!

REGISTER FOR FREE for our complimentary Sips, Suds & Sales event while browsing for some terrific bargains.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

- Exhibit Hall, 3:15 – 5:15 p.m.
- Open to all attendees and exhibitors

Event number: SE4

For more information on special sales and offers for this event, be sure to download the mobile app and look for the **EVENT BAG** email in your inbox the week of the Midwinter Meeting.

CDS Members: After shopping, head to the Rebate Redemption Center, provide your receipts and redeem your rebate, which will be provided after the meeting.





Early Career & New Dentist Reception

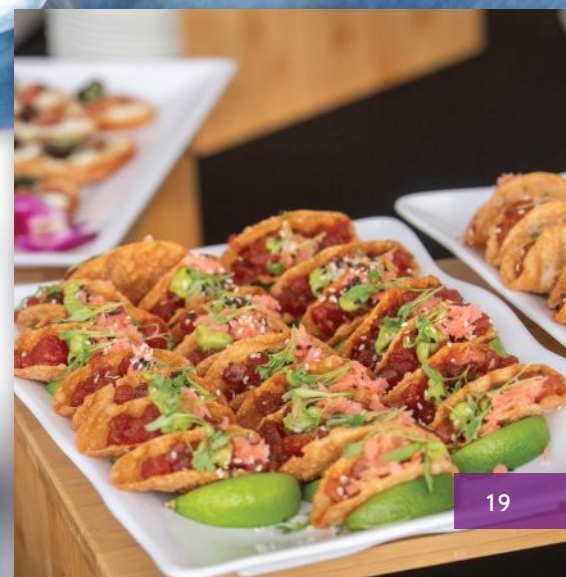
We invite early career dentists along with their New Dentist colleagues (those who have been a dentist for 10 years or less) to relax after a busy day and catch up with friends and classmates at our Early Career & New Dentist Reception. Please register to help us with orders for complimentary light food and beverages.

REGISTER for \$25. Onsite registration available.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

- 5 – 6:30 p.m.
- New location for 2024! The reception will be in Restaurant 270 on Level 2.
- Scan your badge barcode at door.

Event number: SE5



SPECIAL EVENTS

DENTAL STUDENT RECEPTION

The Academic Chapter of the Chicago Dental Society invites all dental students to meet other students attending the Midwinter Meeting at this popular reception. Join us, socialize with your fellow students and enjoy complimentary light food and beverages. Please register to help us with ordering.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23

- 4 – 5:30 p.m.
- At the rear of the exhibit floor
- Limited to dental students
- Complimentary
- Scan your badge barcode at door

Event Number: SE6



president's dinner dance

PUT ON YOUR DANCIN' SHOES FOR THE CHICAGO CATZ BAND!



Celebrate your Midwinter Meeting experience in style at the President's Dinner Dance! Please join us at the beautiful Crystal Ballroom at the Hyatt Regency Hotel for this annual event, hosted by CDS President David Lewis, Jr., and his spouse, Dr. Christine Culp. Enjoy cocktails, a fabulous dinner and get ready for some cool grooves with the Chicago Catz band, an exuberant ensemble featuring funk, rock and R&B. Black tie is optional; comfortable footwear encouraged.

SATURDAY, FEB. 24

- 7 – 11:30 p.m.
- Hyatt Chicago Hotel, Crystal Ballroom, 151 E Wacker Dr, Chicago
- Reception from 7 – 7:30 p.m.
- Dinner seating at 7:30 p.m.
- Open to all attendees and exhibitors
- \$175 per person, tables of 10 available
- Chicago Catz band



Event Number: SE7

Register online at www.cds.org through February 21.





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Plan your Midwinter Meeting! This helpful collection of courses by day and audience will help you easily identify what continuing education courses will elevate your career.

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Stop Cancellations: Create a More Productive Schedule Now	LS144
Pursuing a Better Investment Experience	LS155
Strengthening Cybersecurity: Basic Cyber Defense Skills for Dental Teams	L123
The Trifecta! Leader + Team + Playbook = Success!	L157
Solving the Dental Staffing Crisis: How to Build (and Keep) a Superior Team	L171
Reeling into the Now: Conquer Instagram	FS175
Do You Take My Insurance?	LS177

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Gloves Off: Real Talk About the Dentist-Assistant Relationship in 2024	LS220
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Rise To Success: Systems & Strategies Build High-Performing Teams	L223
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How to Get Paid for What You Do	L241
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Financial Decisions Dentists Must Get Right: Flipping Uncertainty into Security	L372

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Communication Skills Tune-Up for Dental Teams from the Phone Call to the Chair	L323
Best Practices to Get Off of PPOs & Find More Freedom	L326
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Wear it on a Tuesday...	FL227
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Making Lemonade... And Other Strategies to Navigate Life's Heartache

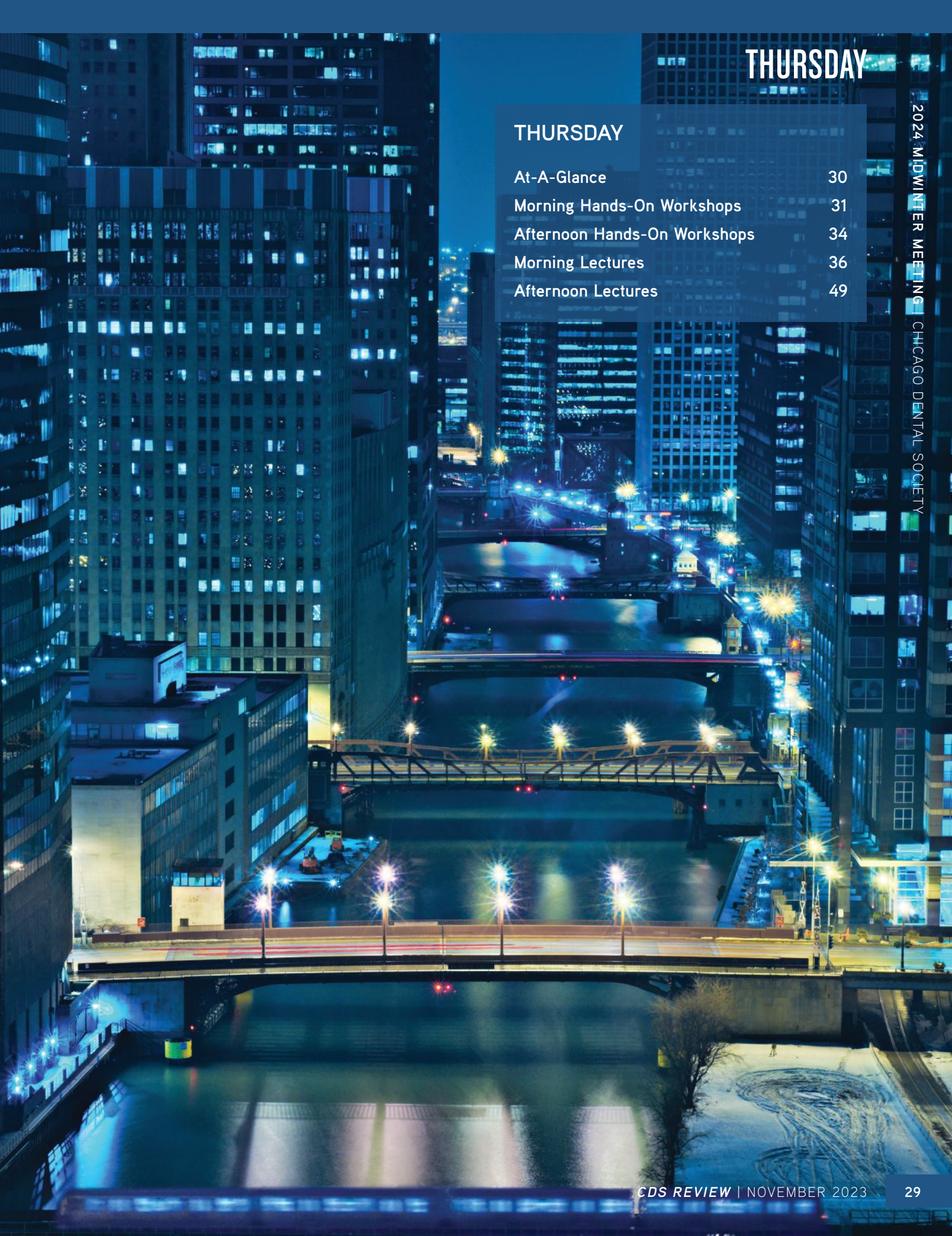
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LD130 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Life, and dentistry itself, is a tapestry of rewards and challenges, but some challenges become life-altering. How do we wear our professional hat while simultaneously navigating unexpected life challenges? Within the family of dentistry, most of us have faced, or will face, significant setbacks and difficulties. The COVID-19 pandemic had an immediate and far-reaching impact on dentistry. What are effective strategies to traverse life's challenges? What can we glean from those in the business of not only making lemonade, but benefiting from it? This lemonade recipe may surprise you.

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MORNING HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

CPR/BLS

H100, 8 – 11 a.m.



Vickie Onesti, BA,
Sacramento, CA
**Owner/Master
Compressionist**

**BLS CPR AED Training & Certification American Heart Association,
2-year certification**

Understand how to recognize a cardiac arrest, know when and how to call for assistance, provide effective compressions and rescue breathing, properly use an AED machine, and successfully handle choking emergencies in order to save the lives of adults, children and infants. The training includes the use of life-like, state-of-the-art manikins, practice exercises with AEDs, and encourages open discussions.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize a cardiac arrest, call for help, provide effective compressions and rescue breathing
- Effectively use an AED machine and manage choking emergencies

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H100R1, Time: 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$75, Jan/Feb: \$100

AGD Subject Code: 142

Topic: Medical Emergency Training and CPR

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

RADIOLOGY

H101, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Sherece Thompson, DDS, Chicago, IL
**Associate Professor, Malcolm X College
Dental Hygiene Program**

Marissa Gora, RDH, Chicago, IL
Registered Dental Hygienist

**X-Out Your X-ray Errors: Hands-On Workshop to Improve
Your Digital Images**

The purpose of this course is to improve the diagnostic quality of intraoral and extraoral radiographic images. This course will include a lecture component followed by a hands-on workshop to practice correcting errors and mistakes commonly performed by practitioners in a dental setting. This course is recommended for dental professionals and all auxiliary team members.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Demonstrate proficiency in intraoral radiographic techniques
- Identify and correct non-diagnostic radiographic errors and to evaluate the quality of diagnostic images

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H101R1, Time: 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Educational funding provided by Malcolm X College



HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$175, Jan/Feb: \$200

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

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ORAL SURGERY

H102, 8 – 11 a.m.



**John Alonge, MS,
DDS, Erie, PA**
**Consultant, Oral &
Maxillofacial Surgeon**

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$715, Jan/Feb: \$740

AGD Subject Code: 310

Topic:

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Minimally Invasive Exodontia Techniques: Hands-On Workshop

You will want to take advantage of this hard-to-find opportunity to improve your surgical technique through hands-on training using manikin-mounted custom models. Dr. Alonge will guide you through hands-on exercises that will enable you to become more proficient with surgical instrumentation, routine and surgical exodontia, third molar extractions, and socket preservation grafting. Return to your office with new skills that will allow you to perform your surgical procedures with greater efficiency and predictability.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Use specialty anatomic forceps and correctly position instruments, patients and yourself to accomplish proficient dentoalveolar procedures
- Use surgical burs, handpieces and elevators for rapid tooth removal

Attendee Requirement

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by A. Titan Instruments, HuFriedyGroup, Sabra Dental Products, and ZimVie



ANESTHESIA AND PAIN MANAGEMENT

H103, 8 – 11 a.m.



**Alan Budenz, DDS,
Paso Robles, CA**
Emeritus Professor

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 340

Topic: Anesthesia and Pain Management**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Hygienists

'X' Marks the Spot: Hands-On Technique Simulation Workshop for Local Anesthesia

The lecture segment will cover anatomical landmarks and the steps of individual nerve block techniques. This will be followed by a clinical demonstration of the technique, after which participants practice locating the landmarks and going through the technique with a partner (no actual injections involved). The techniques presented include the conventional Halstead Inferior Alveolar Regional Nerve Block, the Gow-Gates and the Vazirani-Akinosi Mandibular Division Nerve Blocks, and the Maxillary Division Nerve Block. Other techniques will also be discussed and reviewed by request of participants.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Perform the Gow-Gates complete mandibular division of the trigeminal nerve block
- Perform a complete maxillary division nerve block

Attendee Requirements

- Loupes/safety glasses recommended

Educational funding provided by Septodont Inc. and Onpharma



2024 IS A LICENSE RENEWAL YEAR FOR ILLINOIS DENTISTS

HYGIENE

H106, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Dani Botbyl, RDH,
Niagara on the Lake,
Ontario, Canada
**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$220, Jan/Feb: \$245

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Hygienists

Biofilm, Calculus, Stain...Goodbye! Leveraging Ultrasonics as a Triple Threat

Are you maximizing your ultrasonic technology to its fullest potential? Research shows that dental hygienists are not keeping pace and are underutilizing ultrasonics. In this unique hands-on workshop, participants will work with active magnetostrictive units, typodonts, a variety of inserts and simulated calculus and biofilm to practice increasing their periodontal debridement speed and effectiveness.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Compare ultrasonic insert characteristics (diameter, shape, cross section, tip activity) and discuss how selection and sequencing can improve biofilm, calculus and stain removal
- Demonstrate a technique that can improve clinical outcomes. Practice grasp, lateral pressure, active tip orientation, channeling, activation, and adaptation

Attendee Requirements

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by Dentsply Sirona



IMPLANTS

H107, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.



Michael Pruett, DMD,
Martinez, GA
**Director, Continuing
Education at The
Dental College of
Georgia**

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$860, Jan/Feb: \$885

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

6.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

All Day Hands-On Implant Course with Models

This presentation will update the practitioner's knowledge of implant dentistry, including a review of related head and neck anatomy. Attendees will become familiar with the use of traditional radiology and CBCT for predictable implant dentistry. A review of clinical pharmacology will give an insight into the effective management of the perioperative and postoperative implant patient. Learn how to diagnose and create a treatment plan for predictable implant restorations. The emphasis will be on the single-tooth application and will include a step-by-step approach to the procedure as well as a hands-on suturing lab. Participants will place implants on models to understand the protocol for implant placement and restoration.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Develop a treatment plan and execute placement and restoration of single-tooth implants in the posterior arch

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by Nobel Biocare and Salvin Dental Specialties



RESTORATIVE/PROVISIONALS

H108, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Tanya Brown, DMD,
Chesapeake, VA
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$300, Jan/Feb: \$325

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Make Provisional Crowns as ‘Easy as ABC’: Hands-On Workshop

Have you ever struggled with provisional crowns that don’t fit? Do your patients have to return to the office because their “temp came loose?” Have you ever had to send the patient’s crown back to the lab? Everyone knows that an excellent prep and well-made provisional restoration is the key to patient comfort and predictable delivery appointments. Attend this hands-on workshop to master the real-world practical techniques to create beautiful provisionals. Starting on Monday, you will be able to make your patients happy and your job easier.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Master a repeatable system for excellent provisionals — every time
- Prevent provisionals from debonding

Educational funding provided by Zirc Dental Products, Care Credit, Brasseler USA, Dentsply and HuFriedyGroup



AFTERNOON HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

CPR/BLS

H100R1, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Vickie Onesti, BA, Sacramento, CA

Owner/Master Compressionist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$75, Jan/Feb: \$100

AGD Subject Code: 142

Topic: Medical Emergency Training and CPR

3.00 CE HOURS

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Full course description on p. 31

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ORAL SURGERY

H102R1, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

John Alonge, MS, DDS, Erie, PA

Consultant, Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

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- Use surgical burs, handpieces and elevators for rapid tooth removal

Attendee Requirement

- Loupes/safety glasses

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ANESTHESIA AND PAIN MANAGEMENT

H103R1, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Alan Budenz, DDS, Paso Robles, CA
Emeritus Professor

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 340

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Educational funding provided by Septodont Inc. and Onpharma



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HYGIENE

H109, 1 – 4 p.m.



Dani Botbyl, RDH,
Niagara on the Lake,
Ontario, Canada
Registered Dental
Hygienist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$220, Jan/Feb: \$245

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Hygienists

Ultrasonic Clinical Coaching: Level Up Your Use of Curved Left and Right Inserts

This course will focus on the unique characteristics of curved left and right ultrasonic instruments and guide clinicians on a path whereby improved access to biofilm can lead to better treatment outcomes. Via a specialized camera, technique demonstrations will enrich this session as participants use only curved inserts, typodonts and live magnetostrictive ultrasonic units through quick-paced activities.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the rationale for curved inserts and use a variety of active tip surface (in all 4 quadrants) to enhance biofilm and light calculus access
- Demonstrate effective curved instrument adaptation in furcations, concavities and the CEJ and use a curved ultrasonic insert to remove simulated biofilm from an artificial furcation

Attendee Requirements

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by Dentsply Sirona



RADIOLOGY

H101R1, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Sherree Thompson, DDS, Chicago, IL
Associate Professor, Malcolm X College
Dental Hygiene Program

Marissa Gora, RDH, Chicago, IL
Registered Dental Hygienist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$175, Jan/Feb: \$200

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

X-Out Your X-ray Errors: Hands-On Workshop to Improve Your Digital Images

Full course description on p. 31

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- Identify and correct non-diagnostic radiographic errors and to evaluate the quality of diagnostic images

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RESTORATIVE/PROVISIONALS

H110, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Tanya Brown, DMD,
Chesapeake, VA
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$300, Jan/Feb: \$325

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Team

MASTER Provisional Crowns without Breaking a Sweat: Advanced Hands-On Workshop

Attend this advanced hands-on workshop and stop struggling with Anterior and Multi-Unit Provisionals. Everyone knows that excellent preps and well-made provisional restorations are the keys to patient comfort, function and optimal esthetics. Learn how to create multi-unit provisionals that will fit “like a glove.” You will acquire the skills to make gorgeous multi-unit anterior provisionals that your patients will be proud to wear.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Master the 3 secrets to create gorgeous esthetic provisionals every time
- Make customizing your anterior provisionals quick and easy

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MORNING LECTURES

ESTHETICS

L112, 8 – 11 a.m.



Robert Margeas, DDS,
Des Moines, IA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 780

Topic: Esthetics/Cosmetic Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Creating Beautiful Esthetics Using Composite and Porcelain Materials

This lecture will provide step-by-step coverage of numerous cases, presented by a full-time practicing dentist. It will include topics such as direct composite veneers, Class 4 restorations, diastema closures, and closing black triangles. You will learn how to predictably bond without sensitivity. This lecture will guide you through the process of prepping, provisionalizing, and bonding porcelain veneers that can last for 25 years or more. You will gain an understanding of which materials work best for different clinical situations. The information you acquire can be easily incorporated into your office, leading to immediate increases in predictability and profitability.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Create an invisible Class 4 restoration
- Learn minimal prep veneers

RADIOLOGY/CBCT

L113, 8 – 11 a.m.



Richard Monahan, DDS, Chicago, IL
Clinical Associate Professor, Director of Radiology, UIC College of Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

CBCT – Optimal Diagnosis for Optimal Patient Care

Normal anatomy, variations of normal, and indications of pathology will be illustrated. A protocol that facilitates the diagnosis of oral/maxillofacial conditions as well as evaluation of the paranasal sinuses will provide the doctor with the background necessary to make clinically correct diagnostic decisions. From carotid atheromas to ethmoid osteomas, each case will enhance the participant’s knowledge of pathology that necessitates treatment or referral.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Create a standardized approach to the diagnostic interpretation of CBCT scans
- Drive software to maximize diagnostic yield

This lecture will be repeated later in the day. Code: L113R, Time: 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

RESTORATIVE/DIGITAL DENTISTRY

L114, 8 – 11 a.m.



Parag Kachalia, DDS, Danville, CA
Chief Clinical Officer, Seattle Study Club

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Using the Power of Technology ... In Order to Get Patient to Say Yes

Over the last decade, dentistry has evolved, integrating new technologies to enhance diagnostics and care. These tools, advertised primarily for their clinical advantages, can also involve patients in their oral care, promoting both necessary and elective treatments. However, we must consider our diverse patient demographics and tailor our communication accordingly. As blind trust in doctors is diminishing, it’s crucial to customize our messages to suit different generations, including Baby Boomers, Gen X, Y, and Z.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Get an overview of new technologies that are positively impacting clinical practice
- Understand how various technologies can be leveraged in an efficient manner to craft a patient-specific message

Educational funding provided by 3M



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ENDODONTICS

L115, 8 – 11 a.m.



**Matthew Davis, DDS, Winnetka, IL
Private Practice**

**Martin Rogers, DDS, Glenview, IL
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 070

Topic: Endodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Recalibrating Possibilities: The Push to Save More Teeth

In this case-based course, participants will learn advanced endodontic procedures to help patients maintain their natural dentition, a crucial component in achieving a higher quality of life. Amid increasing concerns over dental implant issues, the training will equip primary dentists with modern techniques and knowledge to restore previously "hopeless" cases, meeting patients' growing desire to preserve compromised teeth. Topics include handling cracked teeth, endodontic surgery, resorption, managing large lesions, root canal retreatment, and perforation repairs.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify which teeth are restorable with advanced endodontic procedures
- Develop treatment plans to maintain a pt's natural dentition that includes advanced endodontic procedures

PHARMACOLOGY

L116, 8 – 11 a.m.



**Ann Spolarich, PhD,
Cave Creek, AZ
Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 010

Topic: Basic Science

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Managing Patients with Polypharmacy

Patients of all ages present to the dental setting with polypharmacy and polyherbacy. This program will review risk factors for polypharmacy, health risks associated with medication complexity, and strategies to improve collaborative care communications between patients and dental and medical providers to reduce the likelihood of medication errors. Specific populations for whom polypharmacy poses significant risks will be identified. Dental practice recommendations for managing affected individuals safely will be presented.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify risk factors for polypharmacy and polyherbacy
- Describe health risks associated with medical complexity, including avoidable complications such as drug, herbal and dietary supplement interactions

HYGIENE

FL117, 8 – 11 a.m.



Joy Void-Holmes,
DHS, RDH, AADH,
Bowie, MD

**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors and Hygienists

Instrumentation Reloaded: Back to the Basics Meets the Future

Do you find yourself forgetting basic dental hygiene instrumentation techniques or overwhelmed by new technology? This comprehensive course takes a deep dive into the fundamentals of periodontal care while exploring the impact of cutting-edge technology in the field. Upon completion of the course, attendees will possess the skills and knowledge necessary for clinical excellence in periodontal instrumentation, elevating their practice and enhancing patient care.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply basic and advanced periodontal instrumentation principles and techniques to your practice
- Analyze the impact of technological advancements on treatment outcomes and compare innovative hand instrument and ultrasonic tip designs

OSHA

L118, 8 – 11 a.m.



Karen Daw, MBA,
Columbus, OH

**Founder/Owner,
Karen Daw Consulting**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 130**Topic: Electives****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Comply with Me – Take OSHA Training to New Heights

Is there anything this good safety training can't do? Does it: Fulfill the annual OSHA training requirement? Yup! Protect the team? Totally! Breathe freshness into your compliance program? Like cotton sheets drying in a mountain breeze! And if you need more convincing, you'll leave with resources to keep your safety program humming like a finely tuned sports car. Join "The OSHA Lady" as she delivers safety training with a fresh, fun, and efficient approach. She'll guide you through an entertaining, interactive, and potentially life-saving course exclusively tailored for dentistry.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss key standards and updates from OSHA
- List the top OSHA violations and how to avoid them

PRODUCT/TECHNOLOGY TRAINING

FL119, 8 – 11 a.m.



Patricia Osuna,
BSDH, RDH, FAADH,
Redondo Beach, CA

**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 010**Topic: Basic Science****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

What Is It? And How Do I Use It?

Tricia Osuna will serve as the moderator of this New Products panel, featuring presentations by numerous speakers on products launched since the 2023 meeting. Each presenter will provide an educational 10-minute speech about a product, focusing on its features and benefits without discussing pricing or competitive information. The pace will be fast, and the information shared will be extremely valuable. This course is designed to respect your time while offering a creative and thought-provoking learning experience. Join us for this innovative presentation opportunity.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize and evaluate changes to implement in your office
- Compare new materials and products for various aspects of dentistry

PROSTHODONTICS

FS120, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



Akanksha Srivastava,
BDS, MSc, MDSc,
Chicago, IL
**Maxillofacial
Prosthodontist, UIC
College of Dentistry**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 610

Topic: Removable Prosthodontics

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Emerging Technologies in Craniofacial Implantology: Virtual and Augmented Reality

Virtual and augmented reality technologies are rapidly advancing in immersive medical and dental training, surgical planning and execution, patient education and pain management. This lecture highlights their revolutionary impact on craniofacial implantology, head and neck reconstruction, and maxillofacial prosthodontics.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the fundamentals of virtual, augmented, and mixed reality technologies
- Become familiar with existing and emerging applications of VR-AR technologies in the dental and medical field, with a focus on craniofacial implantology and head and neck reconstruction

Educational funding provided by the American College of Prosthodontics



PROSTHODONTICS

FS121, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



Foteini Touloumi,
DMD, Farmington, CT
Associate Professor

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 670

Topic: Removable Prosthodontics

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Digital Dentures Made Easy

This presentation aims to simplify the process of creating digital dentures for general dentists. We will explore various workflows in a practical manner to help you determine the most suitable approach for your practice. Additionally, we will discuss the pros and cons of different digital denture fabrication techniques. Moreover, valuable tips will be shared to address common clinical challenges encountered while working with digital dentures in your everyday practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Select a digital denture workflow that works for you in your practice
- Effectively manage everyday clinical issues while using digital workflow techniques

Educational funding provided by the American College of Prosthodontics



FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

LS122, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



Nicholas Economos,
BS, Naperville, IL
Financial Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

**Topic: Practice Management and
Human Relations**

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Living Life on Purpose: Creating an Inspiring Financial Strategy

Navigate your financial journey with purpose. Designed for dental practitioners, this course guides you from clarifying values to formulating S.M.A.R.T. goals. Get organized, understand your present financial reality, and plan a strategic path forward.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply the principles of S.M.A.R.T. goal setting to your personal and professional financial planning, guided by a clear understanding of your core values
- Effectively assess and organize your finances, laying groundwork for strategic planning that aligns with aspirations, leading to a purposeful life and financial independence

CYBERSECURITY/HIPAA

L123, 8 – 11 a.m.



**Leslie Canham, CDA,
RDA, CDIPC,
Copperopolis, CA
Dental Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 566**Topic: HIPAA****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Strengthening Cybersecurity: HIPAA Workforce Training to Minimize Risks

Imagine a message on your computer screen stating, “Your files have been encrypted for ransom.” Or “HHS Office for Civil Rights informs you that they are going to audit your practice.” Are you and your team prepared? This program includes how to protect patient data, prevent breaches and avoid cyberattacks. We’ll cover computer and internet etiquette, how to raise awareness to avoid virus infection and ransomware, and what steps to take if you think your computer systems are under attack. Bring your questions and we’ll open discussion on how to handle real-life situations in the dental practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Establish policies on computer and internet use
- Identify 10 top tips for cybersecurity

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L124, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



**Laci Phillips Newland,
Aztec, NM
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Metrics & Goals: The Numbers Start the Story

Dentistry is a business, and we want you to be a great business owner. Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) are the numbers we use to measure our business success. We will examine these numbers and learn how to find and interpret them. Having the ability to pull and examine these numbers are just the start of the story. You can easily identify the good and the bad numbers, but what is next? Understanding the rest of the story is the key to your success. Join us as we gather, examine and interpret the numbers and ultimately affect change and build success in your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify what KPIs you should be tracking and how they affect your business
- Determine which reports you should be running on a daily, weekly, monthly and yearly basis

RESTORATIVE

L125, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



**Gary DeWood, DDS,
MS, Cave Creek, AZ
Executive VP, Spear
Education**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Breathing, Smiling, Chewing: Comprehensive Dentistry in a Restorative Practice

Today’s restorative dentist must be a diagnostician not only of the masticatory system but also of the systems that impact it. As our knowledge of systemic involvement broadens, the connection between airway, breathing, bruxism and reflux is becoming clearer. Whether or not the dentist chooses to be involved in the treatment of airway and breathing issues, parafunctional activities, reflux issues, or TMD, they must recognize the effect of these on restorative dentistry. The role of occlusion (and occluding) will be discussed along with appropriate solutions for predictable and long-lasting restorative results.

After this course, you will be able to:

- See airway problems as dental problems with dental solutions
- Plan and design the occlusion and the occluding for the patient

IMPLANTS

L126, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



David Barack, DDS,
Skokie, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Strategies for Excellent Implant Health and Aesthetics

This course discusses the role of surgery and prosthetics in achieving a healthy and aesthetically pleasing tooth replacement using dental implants in the esthetic zone. From the initial tooth loss to the delivery of the final restoration, there are multiple steps that require careful attention to ensure the development and maintenance of robust and stable tissues surrounding the placed implants. While the surgery is crucial, the prosthetic design can either enhance or detract from the health of the tissues that form around the implants.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the fundamentals of esthetic implant surgery
- Understand how to properly design provisional restorations in the esthetic zone

IMPLANTS

L127, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Irbad Chowdhury,
DMD, Burr Ridge, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

All-on-X: Guided vs. Non-Guided Approach to Full Arch Surgery

This lecture will discuss comparisons regarding CT guided and free-handed full arch implant surgery and workflows. We will discuss the pros and cons of both approaches and when to select each one. CT-guided surgery can help improve a surgeon's accuracy, efficiency and case acceptance. This course will go in-depth on why guided surgery has become so relevant recently and how digital dentistry has played a crucial part. Free-handed full arch surgery aids will also be discussed along with their benefits. Participants will gain a better understanding of full arch surgery and its approach.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand surgically guided surgery and how it may increase accuracy and efficiency
- Know the differences and when to use CT-guided or free-handed surgery

Educational funding provided by Neodent



ORAL PATHOLOGY

L128, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Ashley Clark, DDS,
Fishers, IN
**Oral and Maxillofacial
Pathologist, Private
Practice,**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Ulcerative Conditions of the Oral Cavity-Diagnosis

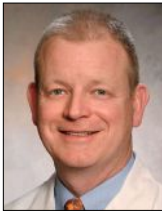
This course is designed to inform the participant about ulcerative conditions and lesions of the oral cavity ranging from common entities to more rare dermatologic conditions with oral manifestations. Treatment and management of patients with these ulcerative conditions will be reviewed for each entity.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize and determine a differential diagnosis for ulcerative conditions of the oral cavity
- Discuss appropriate treatment and follow-up measures for patients with oral ulcerations

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L129, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Mark Lingen, DDS, PhD, FRCPath,
Oak Park, IL
Professor, UChicago Medicine

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

What is the Role of the Dental Professional in Screening for Oral and Oropharyngeal Cancer?

Oral and oropharyngeal cancer are aggressive epithelial malignancies. Despite advances in treatment, long-term survival has remained modest. This is due to many factors including delayed diagnosis. Early detection and prevention are critical aspects of managing these diseases. This lecture will review the etiologic factors associated with both oral and oropharyngeal cancer. It will also emphasize and review the critical role of dentistry in performing a comprehensive visual and tactile exam and review the ADA Clinical Guidelines for oral cancer screening.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the etiologic and clinical differences between oral and oropharyngeal cancers
- Implement the ADA Guidelines for Oral Cancer Screening

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS

LD130, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Karen Davis, RDH,
Richardson, TN
Registered Dental Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Making Lemonade ... And Other Strategies to Navigate Life's Heartaches

Life, and dentistry itself, is a tapestry of rewards and challenges, but some challenges become life-altering. How do we wear our professional hat while simultaneously navigating unexpected life challenges? Within the family of dentistry, most of us have faced, or will face, significant setbacks and difficulties. The COVID-19 pandemic had an immediate and far-reaching impact on dentistry. What are effective strategies to traverse life's challenges? What can we glean from those in the business of not only making lemonade, but benefiting from it? This lemonade recipe may surprise you.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the impact emotional heartaches have on quality of life and wellness
- Examine science supporting a unique recipe for lemonade-making

Educational funding provided by Philips Oral Healthcare, EMS, and Florida Probe



PERIODONTICS

FL131, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Constantine Politis, DDS,
River Forest, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Red, Swollen, Glossy & Boggy: Fixing Those Broken Gums

Remember all those things they taught you in dental school about treating gums? Well, guess what...they still work! This course is specifically designed for dental team members who are interested in updating their knowledge of the diagnosis, etiology, and fundamental treatment approaches for their periodontally compromised patients. An overview of periodontal treatment from non-surgical therapy through regenerative surgical techniques will be presented.

After this course, you will be able to:

- More effectively communicate the need and rationale for earlier treatment of periodontal disease to your patients
- Develop an algorithm for decision-making regarding the treatment, or referral for treatment, of the various forms of periodontal disease

Educational funding provided by The Illinois Society of Periodontists



IMPLANTS

LS132, 8:30 – 10 a.m.



Erik Solberg, DDS,
Prior Lake, MN
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Anterior Implants: Please Don't Smile Too Big

Whether you are a restorative or surgical implantologist, you likely have experienced a patient pointing out to you things they were not expecting from their anterior implant crown. This course will review diagnostic characteristics to help alleviate those “Oh jeez” discussions. We will also discuss available timing, workflows and surgical and prosthetic techniques to improve outcomes.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Diagnose gingival shapes and types that will foster more ideal esthetics and learn how to shape papilla using a temporary crown or custom healing abutment
- Understand the ideal implant surgical positioning to allow the most predictable esthetics

DIABETES

LS133, 8:30 – 10 a.m.



Susan Cornell,
PharmD, CDCES,
Orland Park, IL
**Clinical
Pharmacist/Diabetes
Care & Education
Specialist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

It's a Whole New World: The 2024 Diabetes Pathophysiology Update

Evidence-based guidelines for the prevention, early detection and treatment of diabetes are critical to optimal health and outcomes for people with diabetes. It is also imperative to diagnosis the correct type of diabetes a person has. Dental professionals are integral members of the team and need to be knowledgeable about the various types of diabetes people have.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Compare the pathophysiology of at least four types of diabetes
- Review the appropriate screening and diagnostic criteria used for different types of diabetes

ORAL SURGERY

L134, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Tom Borris, DDS,
Golden, CO
**Chief, Oral and
Maxillofacial Surgery,
Veterans'
Administration
Medical Center,
Colorado**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 310

Topic: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Was Darwin Right? Natural Selection, Antibiotics and Oral Infection

Does failure make you feel uncomfortable? For all of mankind's accomplishments, we may be running out of answers. We are on the verge of an infectious crisis. Should we change our ways? Let's discuss orofacial infections, antibiotics, and surgical management as we try to keep pace with microbial natural selection.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Effectively apply surgical dentistry techniques, such as endodontics, periodontics, and oral surgery, to treat oral infections
- Understand current trends of bacterial adaptation and apply available antimicrobial therapies more effectively

PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

L135, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 430

Topic: Pediatric Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Welcome the Pediatric Patient to Your Practice

The majority of children can be treated by the general practitioner. This lecture will discuss the diagnosis of caries and the formulation of a treatment plan for the pediatric patient. It will also examine the current restorative techniques with emphasis on the esthetics alternatives for children. It will review the new regenerative endodontic techniques to treat immature permanent teeth, and interceptive orthodontic alternatives for the patient in mixed dentition.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Diagnose and develop treatment plans for pediatric patients
- Identify current restorative, endodontic, and orthodontic techniques available to treat children



Flavia Lamberghini, DDS, MS, MPH, Chicago, IL
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Department Head and Associate Professor, University of Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry, Department of Pediatric Dentistry

Satish Alapati, PhD, Chicago, IL
Associate Professor, University of Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry, Department of Pediatric Dentistry

RESTORATIVE

L136, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Gordon J. Christensen, PhD, Provo, UT
Founder/CEO, Practical Clinical Courses

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Restorations: Faster, Easier and Less Expensive

You are trying every day to facilitate these characteristics into your practice, since innumerable factors are challenging your practice success. This presentation includes the materials, procedures, technologies, and concepts that will help provide them. Included topics are: reducing practice costs significantly, identifying research-supported quality products at less cost, increasing expanded staff functions; making fixed prosthodontics; operative and pediatric dentistry, preventive dentistry faster, easier, better, and less expensive, and identifying the best products and techniques in each area.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify materials, devices, technologies that are faster, easier, better and less expensive
- Determine which concepts relate to your practice

REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS

L137, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Stephen Wagner, DDS,
Albuquerque, NM
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 670

Topic: Removable Prosthodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Now You Can Do It: High-Quality Digital Dentures in Three Brief Appointments

Attendees will learn new digital techniques that allow clinicians to fabricate contemporary, high-quality complete dentures in just three 30-minute appointments, using cutting-edge materials and fabrication techniques.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn accelerated digital impression and record-making techniques designed to be performed in a highly efficient, three appointment workflow
- Organize and implement a simplified but high-quality denture service in a contemporary dental practice based on cutting edge, digitally based clinical workflows

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L138, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Roger Levin, DDS,
Owings Mills, MD
CEO, Levin Group, Inc

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Proven Systems to Increase Production: How to Thrive in a Challenging Dental Economy

Systems are the pathway to ensuring excellent production, retaining a highly trained team, training new team members faster and maintaining a loyal and ever-growing patient base. But systems need to be updated faster than ever to meet today's challenges and allow you to reach the next level. Assess your practice systems and learn how to build a high performing practice to achieve high levels of production in a low-stress environment. Learn the proven systems that will increase production and generate income for practice owners. These are the most advanced methods for transforming your practice into a production powerhouse.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Assess your practice systems against 12 key targets
- Identify the proven systems that will immediately increase production

HEALTH, NUTRITION AND WELLNESS

L139, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Lisa Mallonee, MPH,
RDH, RD
Dallas, TX
Professor, Graduate Program Director,
Texas A&M School of Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

The Power of Prevention: Healthy Mouth, Healthy Body - Healthy Practice

“An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.” The dental visit isn’t “just about the mouth” - it’s about the whole patient! We need to be knowledgeable about the multifaceted world of systemic health and how it affects our patient’s overall health and well-being. It is essential that we include conversations on the basic concepts of cariology and periodontal disease progression. Not only will it help keep our patients healthier, but our practices will benefit as well!

After this course, you will be able to:

- Integrate emerging science on diet, oral health, and systemic health into your patient’s education more effectively
- Confidently educate patients on dietary habits to effectively reduce the risk of oral disease

GERIATRICS

L140, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Michael Wiseman, DDS, Cote Saint-Luc, Quebec, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 750

Topic: Special Patient Care

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Geriatric Dentistry: Tips and Tricks to Make Your Practice Senior Friendly

This course is designed for the dental team that wants to attract the senior patient, the fastest-growing demographic group within the United States. Those 65 and over have the greatest dental needs, and this course is designed to treat them in a comfortable and dignified manner. This course will explore how to transform your office into a welcoming and safe environment for the aging population. Topics to be discussed include treatments of the demented patient, prevention and treatment of coronal and root caries, xerostomia, elder abuse, and hospice care. Alzheimer's disease and Parkinson's disease will be discussed in regard to their dental relevance.

After this course, you will be able to:

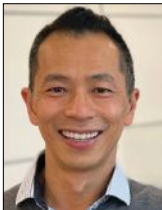
- Make your practice senior friendly and welcoming
- Treat the most common oral problems in the aging population

Educational funding provided by GC America



ANESTHESIA AND PAIN MANAGEMENT

L141, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Brian Chanpong, DDS, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 340

Topic: Anesthesia and Pain Management**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Frozen (That's Canadian for Numb)

This presentation comprehensively covers all the aspects of local anesthesia. Topics will include drug interactions with local anesthesia, scientific reviews of advanced local anesthesia blocks, tips and tricks to increase your success rate, and an overview of the new devices that have entered the marketplace.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand commonly taught nerve blocks and assess their validity in the scientific literature
- Describe drug interactions that may influence the administration of local anesthetics

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SOCIAL MEDIA

FS142, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



Minal Sampat, RDH,
Sarasota, FL
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Social Marketologist: Master Social Media & Video (Live Video Training)

Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, TikTok...how do we grow our practice with social media? In this workshop-style course, discover what, when and how to post in order to boost engagement and visibility. Receive easy-to-implement strategies, scripts and training to create video content, including patient testimonials. Plus, learn about targeted ads and internal marketing contests to connect with current patients and convert new ones. Go back with a realistic action plan to grow your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn how to leverage social media and build effective internal marketing plans
- Discover how to use video content for engagement, visibility and conversions

DIGITAL DENTISTRY

LS143, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Nate Heffelfinger,
DDS, Auburn, IN
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Digital Dentistry and Your Daily Workflow

Digital technology options for dentistry have exploded. Possibilities such as IOS, design software, milling machines and 3D printing now provide dentists with in-house alternatives instead of relying solely on dental labs for fabrication. This presentation will demonstrate how digital technology can be effectively used on a daily basis to deliver treatment to your patients.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify how digital technology could help you improve how you deliver care to your patients
- Understand how milling and 3D printing can be used to fabricate in-house dental appliances and restorations

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

LS144, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Steven Anderson,
Southlake, TX
Dental Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Stop Cancellations: Create a More Productive Schedule Now

When was the last time your day turned out exactly as scheduled? Discover the secrets of building and maintaining a predictable and productive schedule now, including scheduling mistakes that invite patients to cancel; why hygiene patients are cancelling more often today and what you can do to stop it; why “confirmation” calls and messages may be causing more people to cancel; the two secret words that will get more people to keep their appointments; and, should you charge a cancellation fee? The game has changed. It’s time for your team to change with it.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Use proven verbal skills to reduce patient cancellations
- Implement more effective scheduling systems

AFTERNOON LECTURES

RADIOLOGY/CBCT

L113R, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Richard Monahan, DDS, Chicago, IL
**Clinical Associate Professor,
 Director of Radiology, UIC College of
 Dentistry**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
 Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

CBCT – Optimal Diagnosis for Optimal Patient Care

Full course description on p. 37

After this course, you will be able to:

- Create a standardized approach to diagnostic interpretation of CBCT scans
- Drive software to maximize diagnostic yield

RESTORATIVE

L145, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Robert Margeas, DDS,
 Des Moines, IA
 Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Everyday Dentistry for the Everyday Dentist: From Immediate Implants to the Worn Dentition

This course covers diagnosing and treating the worn dentition using various options, considering treatment timing based on patient affordability and identifying the most suitable materials for different clinical scenarios. You will learn how to incorporate composite resin to open the vertical dimension. Step-by-step case demonstrations will be presented to enhance the learning experience. Part 2 of the course will address immediate extraction, placement and provisionalization of implants. You will learn how to use the patient's tooth following extraction to create beautiful esthetics. A technique to provisionalize an unstable implant will be shown.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Diagnose and treat the worn dentition
- Restore an immediately placed implant

PERIODONTICS

L147, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Timothy Hempton,
 DDS, Dedham, MA
 Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

The Periodontal Co-Therapist: Practical Periodontology for the RDH

Dental hygienists educate and advise patients regarding their periodontal diagnosis, etiology and risk factors, proposed therapeutic options and the treatment experience. This program will review the 2017 classification of periodontal disease and present documentation and outcomes of clinical cases treated with non-surgical therapy and surgical therapy. These cases will illustrate how periodontal therapy can not only enhance oral health but restore the periodontium and improve esthetics. Scientific evidence supporting the periodontal therapy used in each clinical case will be examined.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Evaluate various clinical conditions and determine the prognosis with therapy
- Understand the limitations of non-surgical debridement and adjunctive therapies

RADIOLOGY/CBCT

L148, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Mohamed Fayad, PhD, Chicago, IL
UIC College of Dentistry, Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

3D Imaging in Dentistry: A New Era in Diagnosis and Treatment

CBCT technology offers numerous applications in dentistry. This course will help participants achieve consistently “excellent” scans and reduce artifacts independent of the CBCT scanner. CBCT has become the foundation for other technologies. Importing CBCT dicom files into e-VOLDx artificial intelligence (AI) software has provided clinicians with 300 times higher resolution and the ability to visualize cracks, and dental structures such as the dental pulp, nerve bundles and maxillary sinus membranes. These visualization capabilities were previously unattainable with traditional imaging modalities.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply the CBCT workflow in daily practice
- Use CBCT imaging in diagnosis of pain, cracked teeth, vertical root fracture and resorptive defects

ABUSE/SUBSTANCE

L149, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Ann Spolarich, PhD, Cave Creek, AZ
Registered Dental Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 157

Topic: Substance Abuse

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Managing Patients with Substance Use Disorders

Substance use disorders affect individuals of all ages, and lifetime substance use is associated with numerous chronic oral and systemic health problems. The purpose of this course is to review common substance use disorders (SUD) and how to safely manage patients with SUD who are undergoing dental treatment. Medications for addiction treatment (MAT) will be discussed, including the essential role medications play in successful recovery.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Describe the risk factors, associated symptoms and treatment options for alcohol use disorder (AUD), opioid use disorder (OUD), nicotine use disorder (NUD) and stimulant use disorder
- Discuss treatment planning considerations and related modifications when managing dental patients with SUD

HYGIENE

FL150, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Joy Void-Holmes, DHSc, RDH, AADH, Bowie, MD
Registered Dental Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Sensitive Teeth, Sensible Solutions: Managing Dental Hypersensitivity

Dental hypersensitivity (DH) is a common dental condition that affects a large majority of the population. Clinical management of dental hypersensitivity is possible. What do you use to help your patients? What is your go-to product? Are you using a scientific approach to treatment? While the choices for treating DH are endless, the materials that are used are not the same. This course will examine new product innovations for managing dental hypersensitivity using an evidenced-based approach for treatment options.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the prevalence and etiology of dental hypersensitivity and identify causative agents of dental hypersensitivity
- Describe the latest technological advancements in DH treatment

Educational funding provided by Haleon

HALÉON

INFECTION CONTROL

L151, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Karen Daw, MBA,
Columbus, OH
Founder/Owner,
Karen Daw Consulting

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 148**Topic: Infection Control****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Talking Dirty: Fun & Effective Infection Control

Even if you think you've heard it all before, you've never heard it the way "The OSHA Lady" delivers infection control training for dental professionals. With a fresh, fun and efficient approach, Karen keeps things moving, always grounded in real-world examples of what can go wrong (sometimes in a matter of seconds) if we let our guard down. Complacency is the enemy of infection control. This in-depth, informative lecture/workshop puts principle into practice by taking an unexpected, engaging approach to training topics like hand hygiene, instrument sterilization and dental unit waterlines.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss key CDC guidance and updates; review checklists to streamline infection control
- List simple tweaks to save time in instrument reprocessing

Educational funding provided by ProEdge Dental Water Labs

**PRODUCT/TECHNOLOGY TRAINING**

FL152, 12:30 – 3 p.m.



Patricia Osuna,
BSDH, RDH, FAADH,
Redondo Beach, CA
Registered Dental
Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 010**Topic: Basic Science****2.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

New Innovations for Your Dental Practice

**Please note that this is not a repeat course from this morning – we have all new presenters! Tricia Osuna will serve as the moderator of this New Products panel, featuring presentations by numerous speakers on products launched since the 2023 meeting. Each presenter will provide an educational 10-minute speech about a product, focusing on its features and benefits without discussing pricing or competitive information. The pace will be fast, and the information shared will be extremely valuable. This course is designed to respect your time while offering a creative and thought-provoking learning experience.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize and evaluate changes to implement in your office
- Compare new materials and products for various aspects of dentistry

PROSTHODONTICS

FS153, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Miles Cone, DMD,
Portland, ME
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 610

Topic: Fixed Prosthodontics

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

So Easy a Prosthodontist Can Do It: Blending Digital Dentistry into an Analog Practice

The evolution of digital dental procedures and protocols has added significant efficiency and precision into traditional treatment planning and the delivery of optimized oral health care. These benefits, however, have not been universally embraced by all practitioners. This presentation will discuss the advantages that even a low-level incremental drip of innovation can have on the enhancement of positive clinical outcomes for the patient and the dental team.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the factors that contribute to the apprehension for implementation of digital dental technology
- Review combined protocols for analog and digital dental restorative workflows

Educational funding provided by The American College of Prosthodontics and GC America, Komet, Sprint Ray, and 3Shape



PROSTHODONTICS

FS154, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Miguel Ortiz, DMD,
Newton Highlands,
MA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 670

Topic: Removable Prosthodontics

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

CAD CAM Dental Materials: Science Behind Clinical Decisions

We will classify, test and differentiate among all of the CAD CAM materials on the market. Even if you don't have a milling unit in the office, your lab does and they are milling everything. This is why CAD CAM dental materials are the most important materials in dentistry today. All you need to know about them will be covered, and we will discover that there is enough dental literature to support the choice of one over the other. We will discuss the four materials that are scientifically superior to others for clinical use.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand composition and testing methods
- Select the 4 materials that are scientifically superior to others

Educational funding provided by The American College of Prosthodontics



FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

LS155, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Nicholas Economos,
BS, Naperville, IL
Financial Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Pursuing a Better Investment Experience

Discover the impact of behavioral biases and cognitive behaviors on investing. Unveil the psychology of money and emotional influences on decision-making. Explore five essential questions to shape a successful investment strategy. Enhance financial acumen for a transformative investment journey. The attendees will acquire the five pivotal questions crucial for developing a robust investment strategy.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize prevalent behavioral biases and cognitive behaviors that influence investment decisions and facilitate logical and well-informed choices
- Apply the principles of the psychology of money and improve financial decision-making

OSHA

L156, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Leslie Canham, CDA,
RDA, CDIPC,
Copperopolis, CA
Dental Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

3.00 CE HOURS**AGD Subject Code: 130****Topic: Electives**

Recommended for All

Top 10 Tips for OSHA Compliance Delivered in a Fun and Memorable Way

A fast-paced and entertaining program on OSHA compliance that fulfills annual bloodborne pathogen and hazard communication training requirements. See examples of common OSHA violations so you can avoid them and learn how to pass an OSHA inspection with flying colors. Tips for organizing your own OSHA Safety meeting along with hands-on activities to make it memorable will be discussed. Take-home tools include: a checklist for conducting a mock OSHA inspection, a sample exposure incident plan, suggested agenda for organizing OSHA training for your own practice and other helpful resources.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Conduct your own mock OSHA inspection, recognize gaps, and take corrective action
- Conduct team OSHA training and understand what documentation is required

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L157, 1 – 4 p.m.



Laci Phillips Newland,
Aztec, NM
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

The Trifecta! Leader + Team + Playbook = Success

Success is built on a solid foundation: Visionary leadership plus organized systems and a self-directed team. Designed for the doctor and the entire team, this interactive, resource-rich course covers the critical systems every dental practice needs for developing success. We will discuss great leadership, where it starts and how to spread it throughout your team. We will work through a comprehensive list of necessary systems and master how to organize them in one place. Learn how great leaders develop and retain high-functioning, self-directed teams. You bring the leaders and your team and we will help you build your playbook!

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize the traits of a great leader
- Create a comprehensive list of systems and discover how to organize them

RESTORATIVE

L158, 1 – 4 p.m.



Gary DeWood, DDS, MS, Cave Creek, AZ
Executive VP, Spear Education

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Cracking the 4 Riddles: Guiding Patients Toward Comprehensive Restorative Dentistry

Comprehensive dentistry is a discretionary choice requiring the clinician to solve 4 riddles. 1. What do they have and what treatment is needed? 2. How can I fix it and what skills are needed to ensure success? 3. Why do they want to fix it and what will motivate action? Lastly, 4. Why would they pay for it? People make discretionary decisions based on value. Cost is important, but value is the driver to find a way to get what they want. The clinician will learn to create systems and protocols that will assist patients on the decision-making path to say yes to comprehensive restorative dentistry. In fact, they will ask you for your best stuff.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Get data
- Identify solutions using decision trees
- Connect solutions to reasons specific to every patient

IMPLANTS

L159, 1 – 4 p.m.



David Barack, DDS, Skokie, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Hygienists

Protecting Crestal Bone Around Implants: Strategies for Long-Term Health

Crestal remodeling is a common phenomenon after implants have been restored into function. Considered by many to be a precursor to peri-implantitis, crestal bone loss is a manageable event, given the proper precautions. This presentation reviews the tissue events that cause the loss of crestal bone around implants and the available strategies that can be employed to prevent it. The development of robust peri-implant environments is only one of the many options clinicians have to optimize the preservation of crestal bone around implants. These options will be reviewed along with a discussion on the concept of bone graft failure.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the options for developing robust peri-implant tissues
- Understand what bone graft failure is

IMPLANTS

L160, 1 – 4 p.m.



Irbad Chowdhury, DMD, Burr Ridge, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

All-on-X: Digital Flow with CT Alignment and Photogrammetry

This lecture will delve into the new digital workflows for All-on-X via CT alignment and photogrammetry. Learn how streamlined digital workflows can produce direct-to-MUA designs, same-day 3D printed temporaries, fewer appointments, pre-surgical planning, impression methods, repeatable, reliable centric relation, CT-recorded vertical dimension, and guidelines for prosthesis design. The advantages and disadvantages of scanning, computer/virtual design, digital setups and milling technology will be compared to analog prosthetic methods to aid in understanding the differences.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand digital workflow techniques and how to incorporate them into your practice
- Reduce chair time and minimize errors when restoring full arch restorations

Educational funding provided by Neodent



ORAL PATHOLOGY

L162, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Mark Lingen, DDS,
PhD, FRCPath,
Oak Park, IL
Professor, UChicago
Medicine**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Head & Neck Soft Tissue Lesions: Everything You Forget About Since Dental and Hygiene School

This lecture will review the most common categories of soft tissue lesions that are regularly encountered in the head and neck region. Although many of these lesions do not carry significant morbidity, dental professionals must be able to differentiate between benign conditions from those that are potentially more serious. The format will emphasize the critical role of clinicians in screening for soft tissue lesions. It will also review basic categories of soft tissue lesions and emphasize the importance of developing a reasonable differential diagnosis.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Appreciate the critical role that dental health care professionals play in screening for oral pathologies
- Expand your differential diagnosis algorithms

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS

LD163, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Karen Davis, RDH,
Richardson, TN
Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Healthful Living Inside a Stressed-Out and Anxious World

According to the Centers for Disease Control, 6 out of 10 Americans suffer from at least one chronic illness and 4 out of 10 suffer from two or more. Individuals are experiencing bouts of depression and/or debilitating anxiety at an alarming rate, especially in the young adult and adolescent population. Healthful living in a stressed-out world isn't just an ideal; it can substantially improve the quality of life and lifespan. Discover how Lifestyle Medicine plays into healthful living. Walk away with strategies you and your patients can implement immediately.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize the impact that anxiety, depression and chronic stressors have on wellness
- Appraise the benefits of adhering to Healthful Living and Lifestyle Medicine

Educational funding provided by Philips Oral Healthcare, EMS, and Florida Probe



ENDODONTICS

FL164, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Nabeel Atassi, DDS, MS, Park Ridge, IL
Private Practice**

**Patrick Fitzgerald, DDS, Park Ridge, IL
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

**AGD Subject Code: 070
Topic: Endodontics**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Predictability vs. Pitfalls: Making Endodontics More Predictable for the General Dentist

Success in endodontics depends on a multitude of interrelated factors, some of which are within our control while others are not. This comprehensive course aims to enhance predictability and improve outcomes in endodontics within your practice by simplifying the process. The course will cover essential topics such as proper diagnosis, treatment planning, CBCT interpretation, irrigation, instrumentation, and obturation techniques. Additionally, we will delve into effectively managing emergency patients and proper pharmacological management.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Better manage endodontics patients within your practice
- Diagnose and treatment plan patients with endodontic issues as well as stay current on methods of treating endodontic lesions and pathology

Educational funding provided by The Coolidge Club



IMPLANTS

LS165, 1 – 2:30 p.m.



**Erik Solberg, DDS,
Prior Lake, MN
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

**AGD Subject Code: 690
Topic: Implants**

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Why Is That Pesky Sinus in the Way of My Implant?

Do you keep getting excited when your patient is ready to proceed with the implant, but you don't have enough height in the posterior maxilla? Learn the non-invasive crestal approach techniques that are predictable and safe. Discuss sinus pathologies to be aware of and when to gain clearance from the ENT prior to proceeding with care. We will also review when to complete an indirect sinus lift and when placing a shorter implant may be clinically acceptable.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the crestal sinus lift technique using reamer burs
- Know how to properly diagnose implant cases in the posterior maxilla

DIABETES

LS166, 1 – 2:30 p.m.



Susan Cornell,
PharmD, CDCES,
Orland Park, IL
**Clinical
Pharmacist/Diabetes
Care and Education
Specialist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 150**Topic: Health and Nutrition****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

It's a Whole New World: The 2024 Diabetes Medication Update

Evidence-based guidelines for the prevention, early detection and treatment of diabetes are critical to optimal health and outcomes for people with diabetes. It is known that self-care and optimal treatments plans can improve glycemic and cardiorenal management. Dental professionals are integral members of the team and need to be knowledgeable in current treatment guidelines, the latest devices and technology used to manage diabetes.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Summarize recent changes to the American Diabetes Association Management of Hyperglycemia in Type 2 diabetes
- Discuss information dental professionals need to consider in people with type 2 diabetes

ORAL SURGERY

L167, 1 – 4 p.m.



Tom Borris, DDS,
Golden, CO
**Chief, Oral and
Maxillofacial Surgery,
Veterans'
Administration
Medical Center,
Colorado**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 310**Topic: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Mission Possible: Manage Every Possible, Crazy Complication

This course is designed to help anyone who performs routine oral surgery in their office. Face it, crazy things do happen. When they do, can you cope with them under pressure? We will look at those most frequently occurring surgical snafus and try to make sense of how to prevent or fix them. Got a tough case? Bring it along and we'll talk about that too.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify patients at risk for a variety of complications during simple procedures and how to avoid those pitfalls
- Identify surgical complications, know how to treat them or when to refer for treatment

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PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

L168, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 430

Topic: Pediatric Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All



Flavia Lamberghini, DDS, MS, MPH,
Chicago, IL
**Clinical Associate Professor, University
of Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry,
Department of Pediatric Dentistry**

Sahar Alrayyes, DDS, Chicago, IL
**Private Practice, University of Illinois
Chicago College of Dentistry,
Department of Pediatric Dentistry**

Essentials of Pediatric Dentistry

The presentation will discuss the prevention and minimally invasive treatment of caries in children. It will examine behavior management strategies, use of a papoose board, along with an overview of sedation techniques including the use of nitrous oxide, oral conscious sedation and general anesthesia. The presentation will also review the treatment modifications required when caring for children with the most prevalent chronic diseases. It will provide dentists with the knowledge necessary to treat children effectively and compassionately.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize the importance of caries prevention and identify the strategies of treatment available for children
- Understand the treatment modifications required when caring for children with chronic diseases



Marcio da Fonseca, DDS, Chicago, IL
**Chicago Dental Society Foundation
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Pediatric Dentistry**

Brittaney Hill, DDS, MS, MPH,
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**Pediatric Dentist/Residency Program
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College of Dentistry, Department of
Pediatric Dentistry**

Leda Mugayar, DDS, Chicago, IL
**Associate Professor, University of
Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry,
Department of Pediatric Dentistry**

OCCLUSION

L169, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Gordon J.
Christensen, PhD,
Provo, UT
**Founder/CEO,
Practical Clinical
Courses**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 180

Topic: Occlusion

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Occlusion Concepts Create Treatment Success

Fixed and removable prosthodontic materials have changed rapidly! Are these extremely hard and wear-resistant materials and new techniques better? Improper occlusion is one of the main reasons for implant failure, TMD problems, esthetic dissatisfaction and short longevity of restorations. Some of the topics included in the course are: What is ideal occlusion? Also implant failure and occlusion, wear of natural teeth and current materials, grinding bruxers, clenching bruxer, occlusal equilibration and occlusal splints.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify what occlusal concepts and procedures will make treatment successful
- Determine which concepts relate to your practice.

HYGIENE

L170, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Diane Millar, RDH, MA,
Newport Coast, CA
Registered Dental Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Hygienists

Sharpen Your Periodontal Scaling Skills and Ergonomics Virtually: Elevate Your Career to a New Level

In this course, participants will virtually acquire advanced hands-on scaling skills, reinforce their proficiency in periodontal instrumentation and deepen their understanding of postural ergonomics. This presentation will feature instrumentation videos and photographs of advanced scaling techniques in every quadrant. Reinforced, extraoral, intraoral, and opposite arch fulcrums in a seated posture and while standing will be demonstrated and virtually practiced. Attendees will be encouraged to virtually practice the scaling techniques shown during the seminar to increase memory retention and scaling effectiveness.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Demonstrate advanced periodontal scaling techniques with ideal fulcrum rests
- Demonstrate improved postural ergonomics for stability and career longevity

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L171, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Roger Levin, DDS,
Owings Mills, MD
CEO, The Levin Group

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Solving the Dental Staffing Crisis: How to Build (and Keep) a Superior Team

Dentistry is currently experiencing a staffing crisis. The loss of a single key team member can reduce practice revenue by \$50,000-\$100,000. There is a shortage of qualified (and even non-qualified) dental staff, which has created a revolution in dental staffing. Practices must take a new approach to staffing to reach full potential. This information-packed and motivating seminar will provide the pathway to staffing success. This lecture will provide an insightful, up-to-the-minute look at the strategies and systems needed to solve the dental staffing crisis, grow practice revenue and reduce stress.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn the 7 systems for overcoming the staffing crisis
- Understand the leadership principles required to attract and retain the best team members

NUTRITION

L172, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Lisa Mallonee, MPH,
RDH, RD
Dallas TX
Professor, Graduate Program Director,
Texas A&M School of Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150**Topic: Health and Nutrition****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Size Matters: Obesity & Periodontal Health

The population is growing... and so are our waist lines! The dental visit isn't "just about the mouth" - it's about the whole patient. The updated food pyramid looks like a plate. How can we relate this information to our patients? Sugar intake, portion control-encouraging healthy habits-what does dentistry have to do with the obesity crisis? Ongoing research and emerging information regarding diet and nutrition as it relates to oral health will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the relationship between obesity and oral health and apply this knowledge during patient care
- Effectively relate the impact of dietary habits on oral health to patients during preventive appointments, thereby promoting improved health outcomes

GERIATRICS

L173, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Michael Wiseman, DDS, Cote Saint-Luc, Quebec, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 750

Topic: Special Patient Care

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Geriatric Medicine: What's Old is Now New

We are living longer! The dental team must recognize which medical conditions may influence your dental treatments and, conversely, how your dental treatments may affect your patients' medical status. This lecture will highlight the changing physiology of the elderly and how it will impact your dental care. Topics will include the changing pulmonary, cardiac, hepatic, and neurologic systems. Additionally, the plethora of prescriptions, over-the-counter drugs (OTC) and herbal supplements consumed by seniors and their effect on the oral cavity will be highlighted.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the medical complexities of aging
- Create a comprehensive medical-dental treatment plan

Educational funding provided by GC America



ANESTHESIA AND PAIN MANAGEMENT

L174, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Brian Chanpong, DDS, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 340

Topic: Anesthesia and Pain Management**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Sedation Disasters: When Seconds Count, Help is Just Minutes Away

With the increasing popularity of oral and IV sedation, dentists who offer these services need to be aware of the potential disasters that can occur. Prepare your office by studying and learning from previous cases that have encountered such incidents. Equip yourself with the necessary knowledge and proper equipment to ensure the safe administration of sedation to your patients.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand complications of sedation, what can go wrong and what can be done to minimize these occurrences
- Learn how to improve patient safety within your office

SOCIAL MEDIA

FS175, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Minal Sampat, RDH, Sarasota, FL
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Reeling into the Now: Conquer Instagram with Hands-On Instagram Training

In this interactive, workshop-style course, the speaker will fast-track your Instagram prowess. Learn to create a compelling Instagram presence for your practice, from crafting engaging posts, stories, and reels to working with influencers. Gain insider secrets for boosting reach, brand awareness and driving patient growth. Plus, receive hands-on training for reels. After this course, leave with the confidence and skills you need to take your Instagram game to the next level.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Leverage Instagram to grow your dental practice
- Create reels and video content for Instagram

DIGITAL DENTISTRY

LS176, 3 – 4:30 p.m.



Nate Heffelfinger,
DDS, Auburn, IN
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

DIY with Digital: Using Technology to Simplify Complex Cases

This presentation will explore the use of CAD software (Exocad) and 3D printing technology to plan and execute advanced cases beyond single-unit dentistry. The technology and workflows presented allow you to take control of many aspects of patient care that have historically been delegated to the dental lab. If you have already begun your digital journey and are ready to advance, this course will help and inspire you toward next steps for your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand how to use photos and CAD software (Exocad) to plan and deliver complex restorative cases
- Create your own smile mockups with CAD software (Exocad) and 3D printing

DENTAL INSURANCE

LS177, 3 – 4:30 p.m.



Steven Anderson,
Southlake, TX
Dental Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Do You Take My Insurance? Overcoming Your Patients' Toughest Objections

How you respond when patients ask about their insurance benefits can make or break your case acceptance success. How do you and your team respond when the patient asks: 1. "How much will my insurance cover?" 2. "My insurance covers 100%." 3. "I want to see what my insurance will cover first." 4. "My insurance said that procedure was not necessary." 5. "I never had to pay at my last office." 6. "Are you in-network?" And much more. Discover proven responses to change your patients' insurance objections into opportunities for a "Yes" more often.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Effectively respond to patient objections
- Confidently face the toughest patient situations

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MORNING HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

CPR/BLS

H200R2, 8 – 11 a.m.

Vickie Onesti, BA, Sacramento, CA

Owner/Master Compressionist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$75, Jan/Feb: \$100

AGD Subject Code: 142

Topic: Medical Emergency Training and CPR

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

BLS CPR AED Training & Certification American Heart Association, 2-year certification

Full course description on p. 31

After this course, you will be able to

- Recognize a cardiac arrest, call for help, provide effective compressions and rescue breathing
- Effectively use an AED machine and manage choking emergencies

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H200R3, Time: 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

RADIOLOGY

H201R2, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Sherece Thompson, DDS, Chicago, IL

Associate Professor Malcolm X College Dental Hygiene Program

Marissa Gora, RDH, Chicago, IL

Registered Dental Hygienist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$175, Jan/Feb: \$200

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

X-Out Your X-ray Errors: Hands-On Workshop to Improve Your Digital Images

Full course description on p. 31

After this course, you will be able to:

- Demonstrate proficiency in intraoral radiographic techniques
- Identify and correct non-diagnostic radiographic errors and to evaluate the quality of diagnostic images

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H201R3, Time: 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

HYGIENE

H204, 8 – 11 a.m.



Diane Millar, RDH, MA,
Newport Coast, CA
Registered Dental Hygienist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$260, Jan/Feb: \$285

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Hygienists

Advanced Periodontal Instrumentation and Ergonomics: Elevate Your Career to a New Level

This course will provide a hands-on scaling experience to improve scaling effectiveness and ideal postural ergonomics while practicing dentistry. Attendees will understand how to prevent work-related pain that can cause musculoskeletal injuries and disability. Instrumentation photos and video clips will be shown during the scaling experience as attendees work on a periodontal typodont attached to a simulation unit. This course is interactive and offers personalized instruction to enhance the scaling techniques and postural ergonomics practiced during the workshop.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Demonstrate advanced reinforced scaling techniques to enhance precision and injury prevention
- Practice scaling with an ideal grasp using ideal intraoral, extraoral fulcrums

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H204R, Time: 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

DIGITAL DENISTRY

H205, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Parag Kachalia, DDS,
Danville, CA
Chief Clinical Officer,
Seattle Study Club

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Unlock the ROI: Bringing Digital Dentistry to Life

There is no doubt scanning has improved workflow and patient experience, but scanning is simply the entry point to digital dentistry. Amazing workflows using design software allow you to create smile design mockups, nightguards, surgical guides and removable prostheses in a relatively short amount of time with high predictability. The primary objective of this workshop is to demonstrate how locally designing select cases can drastically increase treatment predictability and case conversion. Participants will learn the basics of design using Exocad software in this hands-on workshop.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Generate a 3D smile design leading to a printable mockup
- Leverage design software for immediate provisionals and emergencies

Attendee Note: Laptops will be provided, one per two people

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H205R, Time: 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Educational funding provided by Exocad, SprintRay and 3M

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RESTORATIVE

H206, 8 – 11 a.m.



Marc Geissberger,
DDS, Greenbrae, CA
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Direct Composite Veneers Made Efficient and Predictable

Discover the benefits of digital design for your composite bonding procedures. This program will explore the techniques and materials used to deliver anterior direct resin restorations using a customized 3D printed matrix. This revolutionary product combines computer-aided smile design paired with a 3D printed matrix for treating a variety of restorative situations, including veneers and diastema closures. This digitally designed, patient-specific matrix system is intended to bring predictability, profitability and efficiency to anterior composite restorations.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn predictable techniques for closing anterior diastema and fabricating direct resin veneers
- Learn to create lifelike clinical results using sound bonding, placement and techniques

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by 3M



PERIODONTICS

H207, 8 – 11:30 a.m.

**Timothy Hempton, DDS, Dedham, MA**
Private Practice**HANDS-ON WORKSHOP**

Nov/Dec: \$550, Jan/Feb: \$575

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Functional Crown Lengthening Workshop

Functional crown lengthening procedures may involve osseous resective therapy in addition to surgical management of soft tissue. These hard and soft tissue alterations may be provided in order to obtain a ferrule height and establish a biologic width. This course will use a plastic typodont to provide a practical exercise in exposing a maxillary premolar with a subgingival fracture. Techniques for incisions, osseous therapy and suturing will be reviewed. Indications and contraindications to surgical exposure will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Design a flap for a crown lengthening surgical procedure
- Use ostectomy and osteoplasty to achieve adequate tooth exposure

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

IMPLANTS

H208, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.

**Erik Solberg, DDS, Prior Lake, MN**
Private Practice**HANDS-ON WORKSHOP**

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Guided Implant Surgery: Is It Always a Slam Dunk? A Hands-On Workshop

As with any discipline in dentistry, you need a repeatable, accurate process for guided surgery. This lecture will touch on what is needed for proper diagnoses and planning, the positives of guided surgery and will call out 10 specific possible obstacles to be aware of when completing guided surgery. The hands-on portion will use guided surgery kits, guides and models to familiarize attendees with a keyed guided system and will review both pilot-guided and fully guided protocols.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Know what to look out for to ensure a smooth surgery day
- Obtain ideal hard and soft issue healing for your patients

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by Straumann

**AFTERNOON HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS****CPR/BLS**

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Owner/Master Compressionist**HANDS-ON WORKSHOP**

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RADIOLOGY

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 Newport Coast, CA
Registered Dental Hygienist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$260, Jan/Feb: \$285

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Hygienists

Advanced Periodontal Instrumentation and Ergonomics: Elevate Your Career to a New Level

Full course description on p. 65

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- Practice scaling with an ideal grasp using ideal intraoral and extraoral fulcrums

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/Safety Glasses

RESTORATIVE

H209, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



**Marc Geissberger,
 DDS, Greenbrae, CA
 Private Practice**

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Mastering Posterior Composite Restorations

This lecture/hands-on workshop will provide step-by-step techniques and materials that allow clinicians to place beautiful, life-like posterior restorations in an efficient fashion. Several tips and tricks will be presented and practiced that will increase the practitioner's quality and predictability on a daily basis. Clinicians will learn techniques to master Class I, II and V posterior restorations.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply self-etching principles and how they can be used for posterior composites
- Create life-like posterior restorations in Class I, II and V situations

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by 3M



PERIODONTICS

H210, 1 – 4:30 p.m.



Timothy Hempton,
DDS, Dedham, MA
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$550, Jan/Feb: \$575

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Incisions, Flap Management and Suturing Techniques for Periodontal Therapy

Using pig jaws, this course will review incisions used for surgical access around the natural dentition for regenerative and resective periodontal procedures. The participant will learn techniques for flap elevation, flap repositioning and suturing for closure. Anatomical considerations associated with flap elevation, periosteal fenestration and incision closure will be reviewed. The participant will learn how to coronally advance a flap, reposition a flap, and apically position a flap. Osseous recontouring for resective procedures and the principles of regeneration will be reviewed. Surgical instrumentation and various suture materials will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Design and elevate a flap for surgical access
- Suture a flap for closure

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS

H211, 1 – 4 p.m.



Stephen Wagner, DDS,
Albuquerque, NM
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 670**Topic: Removable Prosthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Advanced Techniques in Digital Denture Fabrication: A Hands-On Workshop

This course will introduce clinicians and technicians to the latest techniques and technologies used to create digitally fabricated dentures. Attendees will learn how to make impressions, perform the scans required to send data to the lab, record interocclusal relationships, and evaluate digitally fabricated try-ins. The course will introduce a practical step-by-step clinical workflow that can be immediately integrated into your office routine.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn how to make impressions and digital scans, record interocclusal records, and evaluate digitally fabricated try-ins
- Learn a practical step-by-step clinical workflow that can be immediately integrated into office routines

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by AvaDent

**DIGITAL DENTISTRY**

H205R, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Parag Kachalia DDS, Danville, CA
Chief Clinical Officer, Seattle Study Club

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Unlock the ROI: Bringing Digital Dentistry to Life

Full course description on p. 66

After this course, you will be able to:

- Generate a 3D smile design leading to a printable mockup
- Leverage design software for immediate provisionals and emergencies

Attendee Note: Laptops will be provided, one per two people

Educational funding provided by Exocad, SprintRay and 3M

MORNING LECTURES

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS
L212, 8 – 11 a.m.

Amber Auger, RDH,
East Weymouth, MA
**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Heart Beats and BOP: An Oral Systemic Preventive Approach to Cardiovascular Disease

Every 40 seconds, someone in the United States suffers a heart attack. As part of our standard of care, blood pressure measurements should be taken at every routine appointment. There is correlation between heart attacks and oral pathogens. The dental professional plays a vital role in the screening, prevention, and management of heart disease. In this course:

- 1) Discover the latest statistics on heart disease, and identify the best practices for screening patients for heart disease
- 2) Review nitric oxide and the vital role it plays in oral and systemic health
- 3) Evaluate practical approaches to a heart-healthy diet
- 4) Investigate home care therapies to reduce periodontal disease and promote heart health

AUXILIARY

L213, 8 – 11 a.m.



Shannon Brinker,
Virginia Beach, VA
**Certified Dental
Assistant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Team

From Our Side of the Chair®

Dental assistants today must have a thorough understanding of clinical practice, including treatment goals and unique considerations. This knowledge contributes to achieving predictable outcomes and avoiding potential complications. Ultimately, the goal is to achieve highly satisfying results for both the office and the patient. This lecture offers valuable perspectives from both sides of the chair.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify new technologies in dentistry that can be used by the dental team
- Use knowledge of new dental materials for clinical application

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PHARMACOLOGY

L214, 8 – 11 a.m.



Thomas Viola,
R.Ph., CCP, CDE,
Columbus, NJ
Dental Pharmacologist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 010**Topic: Basic Science****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

'Are We Still Working the Bugs Out?' Understanding the Need for Antibiotic Prophylaxis

Anti-infective agents may be necessary to reduce the risk of oral infection, however, protocols exist that may require us to use these agents more often than we would like. Understanding how these agents work allows us to best assess risk and choose the most appropriate agent. This program focuses on the properties of anti-infective agents used in dentistry, including risks, adverse effects, and contraindications, with special emphasis placed on current guidelines for prophylaxis of infective endocarditis and joint replacement infection.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Describe the pharmacology of the most common anti-infective agents used in dentistry
- Discuss recommendations for antibiotic prophylaxis prior to dental procedures

REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS

L215, 8 – 11 a.m.



Ronni Schnell, DMD,
Brookline, MA
Director, Predoctoral
Removable
Prosthodontics
Courses, Boston
University

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 670**Topic: Removable Prosthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Implant Overdentures: From Denture Frustration to Implant Elation

Implant overdentures have revolutionized the field of dental rehabilitation by providing improved stability, retention, and patient satisfaction compared to conventional dentures. Through a combination of evidence-based instruction and case studies, participants will explore treatment planning considerations, implant planning, abutment selection and restorative protocols specific for achieving functional success and offering patients a reliable and esthetic solution for edentulism. Elevate your knowledge and enhance patient outcomes with this course.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply the three most important considerations when treatment planning any case
- Understand the prosthesis-driven restoration and implant placement considerations

IMPLANTS

L216, 8 – 11 a.m.



Jay Smith, DDS,
Sandy Springs, GA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Enhancing Implant Aesthetics: Key Considerations for Optimal Results

Dental implants and aesthetic dentistry have become integral elements of the modern dental practice. Many patients visit our practices solely for aesthetic enhancements. We must develop the ability to assess existing cosmetic deficiencies and design appropriate procedures for smile enhancement. Solutions designed to optimize gingival form will be discussed, including implant depth, spacing, emergence profiles and the influence of crown contours. Protocols to improve soft tissue aesthetics when restoring implants and teeth in the same restoration will also be examined. Through multiple case presentations, a collaborative approach between members of the dental team will be emphasized.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand implant soft tissue development and smile design

ALL DAY LECTURE

**RESTORATIVE/ENHANCED
MAGNIFICATION**

FL217, 8 a.m.– 3:30 p.m.



Randy Shoup, DDS, Noblesville, IN
Private Practice

Juan Carlos Hugues, DDS, CEA2 II,
David, Panama

Jorge Zapata, DDS, Ogden, UT
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****6.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Advanced Direct and Indirect Adhesive Dentistry: If You Can See It, You Can Do it

This full-day program offers three sections devoted to the benefits of high magnification in general dental practice. Dr. Hugues leads Part 1, focusing on the critical role of ergonomics in promoting the health of dental professionals. Topics include posture assessment, seating positions, work ergonomics and exercises for maintaining well-being. Part 2, led by Dr. Zapata, explores treatment documentation with photos and videos using a dental microscope, emphasizing patient education and practice protection. Dr. Shoup concludes with Part 3, highlighting the indispensable nature of high magnification in restorative dentistry, specifically for direct composite as well as indirect crown and CAD/CAM restorations. This program provides dentists a unique opportunity to enhance their skills and improve patient care.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Improve the accuracy and quality of indirect and direct restorations with enhanced magnification
- Improve documentation and ergonomic working position with enhanced magnification

IMPLANTS

L218, 8 – 11 a.m.



Brian Goodacre,
DDS, MSD,
Redlands, CA
Professor, Loma Linda
University, School of
Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Immediate Implant Placement and Provisionalization

Restoration of a non-restorable anterior tooth is one of the most challenging treatments. Immediate implant placement is one of the best treatment options we can provide for these situations, however, there are specific principles that must be followed. This lecture will discuss the key factors associated with proper implant placement to set up the doctor for success. Following implant placement, a custom-made provisional can be fabricated chairside to support biologic and esthetic tooth replacement. Techniques to fabricate these immediate provisionals will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Treatment plan for the ideal immediate implant placement
- Understand the options available to provide provisionalization of an immediately placed implant

MULTI-DISCIPLINARY TOPICS

FP219, 8 – 11 a.m.

PANEL

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 149**Topic: Multi-Disciplinary Topics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

**Gordon J. Christensen, PhD, Provo, UT
Founder/CEO, Practical Clinical Courses****David Barack, DDS, Skokie, IL
Private Practice****Your Questions Answered by the Experts**

Is this a panel discussion? No! It is your program! Gordon and a select group of dental experts answer your personal questions in the following manner: You deliver written questions to the course hosts. Gordon sorts and assigns the questions to an expert. Gordon and the experts answer about 100 questions, including those from every area of dentistry. This form of education has received extremely positive reviews in many meetings. It answers your questions, not what we think are your questions.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the major clinical questions expressed by practitioners
- State answers to the many questions discussed in the program

**Ashley Clark, DDS, Fishers, IN
Private Practice****Matthew Davis, DDS, Winnetka, IL
Private Practice****Flavia Lamberghini, DDS, MS, MPH,
Chicago, IL****Clinical Associate Professor****Michael Wiseman, DDS, Cote Saint-Luc,
Quebec, Canada
Private Practice****PRACTICE MANAGEMENT**

LS220, 8 – 9:30 a.m.

**Kevin Henry, MA, Longmont, CA
Consultant****David Rice, DDS, St. Petersburg, FL
Founder and CEO, IgniteDDS****Gloves Off: Real Talk About the Dentist-Assistant Relationship in 2024**

Let's examine the conversation from both the dentist and assistant perspectives, fostering an open and honest discussion to bridge any gaps in the relationship and understanding of each other's experiences. Dr. David Rice will share insights from the dentist's side, while Kevin Henry will bring the team and assistant point of view to the conversation. This session promises to be lively, interactive and filled with valuable learning opportunities.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Gain valuable insights into the qualities dentists are looking for in their assistants
- Identify what are some of the biggest pain points being discussed by dentists with their colleagues

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and
Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

SOCIAL MEDIA

LS221, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



Rita Zamora, BS,
Boulder, CO
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Instagram Marketing to Grow Your Practice

Instagram is a favorite among multiple generations. Is your practice making the most of this powerful platform and the Instagram economy? Discover tips, tools and insight to help enhance your practice brand, grow followers and attract patients. We'll talk hashtags, strategic following, and Instagram Reels, to name a few.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss key strategies to elevate your Instagram marketing
- Discover tips, tools and insight to enhance your brand, grow followers and attract ideal patients

Attendee Requirements:

- Basic understanding of Instagram

CODING MEDICAL

LS222, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



Laurie Owens, CPB,
COC, CPC, Haslet, TX
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Painting the Portrait of Medical in Dentistry: Medical Billing & Coding

This course aims to bring together all team members to create a framework of how medical billing for dentistry would look in your office. You will learn about the differences between medical insurance billing and dental benefit plans, basic instructions for filling out the CMS1500 medical form, defining medical necessity, selecting the appropriate CPT procedure codes, conveying your patient's medical history through ICD-10 diagnosis codes, and reviewing medical billing scenarios.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Complete a medical claim form with CPT and ICD 10 diagnosis codes
- Identify scenarios in which medical billing would benefit your dental practice

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L223, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Judy Kay Mausolf,
Liberty Hill, TX
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Rise to Success: Systems & Strategies Build High-Performing Teams

Success is measured by a healthy bottom line, a united leadership front, and a cohesive team. Success is also a feeling of working in an environment you enjoy and knowing you've done your best at the end of the day. This course presents the R.I.S.E. Philosophy, a concept for best practices that helps the entire team think differently, communicate more effectively, work together better, and make healthy decisions, ultimately resulting in a growing business. Learn to R.I.S.E. and set yourself up for success!

After this course, you will be able to:

- Build a united leadership team and create accountability in your team
- Identify the beliefs and behaviors that nurture a patient-focused culture built on trust and respect

TMD

L224, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Seena Patel, DMD,
Phoenix, AZ
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

My Jaw Hurts - What Do I do? Temporomandibular Disorders Made Easy

Temporomandibular disorders affect approximately 10% of the population. Forming an appropriate diagnosis and treatment plan can be perplexing. This course will review the various types of TMDs: arthrogenous disorders, myogenous disorders, internal derangements and other orofacial pain disorders. Etiology, pathogenesis, pain mechanisms and dysfunction, examination methods, diagnostic tests, and management strategies will be discussed. Dentists will learn how to easily differentiate between muscle vs. joint conditions and implement medical, dental, pharmacologic and behavioral treatments.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify patients with TMDs and define the specific TMD diagnoses
- Select the appropriate treatments for TMDs

PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

L225, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



David Rothman, DDS,
San Francisco, CA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 430**Topic: Pediatric Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Do Unicorns Exist in Pediatric Dentistry? Facts, Fantasy and Frivolity

We do what we were taught in dental school despite time and research passing us by. We jump on a bandwagon because a procedure sounds good but may be lacking in evidence. Commonly held myths and misunderstandings in kids' dentistry that have been perpetuated by dentists and the media include local anesthesia, minimally invasive dentistry, restorations, pulp therapy and crowns, preventive dentistry, growth and development, frenum treatment, radiography and behavior management. We will assess the difference between common sense, science, unfounded fantasies, and apply clinically proven approaches.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Review and evaluate literature for scientific merit
- Learn and incorporate clinical procedures that have been scientifically evaluated and reviewed

Educational funding provided by GC America

**ORAL PATHOLOGY/PEDIATRICS**

L226, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Juan Yepes, DDS,
MD, MPH, Fishers, IN
Professor, Indiana University School of Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 430**Topic: Pediatric Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Soft Tissue Lesions in the Oral Cavity of Children: A Systematic Review

This course will provide the attendees with the most up-to-date information regarding the fascinating and emerging field of oral pathology in pediatric dentistry. Case presentations will be used as the learning and discussion format, covering the entire spectrum of the most common oral soft tissue lesions in infants, children and adolescents.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the importance of "building" a differential diagnosis based on the clinical presentation of oral lesions
- Identify the most common soft tissue lesions in infants, children and adolescents

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS

FL227, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Wayne Kerr, DDS,
Stockbridge, GA
Dental Speaker,
Consultant

Wear It on a Tuesday...

This presentation focuses on core values that contribute to success and happiness and reminds us of what is truly important in life. Join Dr. Kerr as he shares life experiences sure to educate, entertain and inspire.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply numerous life skills to enhance your quality of life
- Better protect and care for your loved ones

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L228, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Christopher Salierno,
DDS, Centerport, NY
Private Practice,
Author, Dental
Executive

Leading Change in an Uncertain Dental Economy: Operations Management in Dentistry

Looking to take your dental practice to the next level? Learn the critical practice systems that will help you achieve success. From improving accounts receivable to marketing to new patients, Chris will guide you through a leadership philosophy that consistently delivers results. With a focus on customization and team buy-in, you'll learn how to implement these systems into your own practice for maximum impact. Don't miss out on this opportunity to enhance your skills and improve your practice operations.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Use Key Performance Indicators to measure success
- Create new systems for your practice that drive consistent results and inspire your team

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

HYGIENE

L229, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Penny Hatzimanolakis,
MSc., EdD(c), North
Vancouver, British
Columbia, Canada
Registered Dental
Hygienist

Do We Really Need a New Periodontal Classification System?

Understand the fundamental principles of the 2018 American Academy of Periodontology (AAP) classification of periodontal and peri-implant diseases and conditions with clinical cases and a chair-side workflow resource. This classification system emphasizes a comprehensive and multidimensional approach to periodontal and peri-implant diagnosis and treatment. It considers not only the clinical parameters but also patient-related factors, including systemic health, genetic susceptibility, and behavioral factors.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Describe the four main new categories of the 2018 AAP classification
- Identify periodontal disease cases using a new chair-side workflow resource

Educational funding provided by 3M



LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS

L230, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Stephen Wagner, DDS,
Albuquerque, NM
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 670**Topic: Removable Prosthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Digital Dentures: Advanced Clinical Techniques

If you are a clinician who wants to offer complete dentures to your patients, then this presentation is for you. You will learn how to use digital dentures to improve the quality of care you provide and the satisfaction of your patients. This presentation will discuss the use of digital dentures in the treatment of severely disabled edentulous patients. Topics covered will include advanced diagnosis and treatment planning, introducing implants to treatment planning options, and adding diagnostic dentures to clinical armamentaria.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Explain the process of using digital technology to diagnose and treat severely disabled edentulous patients
- Discuss the different options for using implants to improve the stability and function of complete dentures

ORTHODONTICS

FL231, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Veerasathpurush Allareddy, BDS, MBA,
MHA, Chicago, IL

Department Head, Orthodontics,
University of Illinois Chicago, College of
Dentistry

Maria Therese Galang-Boquiren, DMD,
Chicago, IL

Professor, Department of Orthodontics,
University of Illinois Chicago, College of
Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 370**Topic: Orthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Orthodontic Treatment in Those with Cleft and Craniofacial Anomalies: Tips and Strategies

This lecture offers a high-level overview of common cleft and craniofacial anomalies, along with orthodontic interventions. The topics covered will include infant orthopedic treatment, maxillary expansion, orthodontic preparation for pre-maxillary repositioning, timing and indications for alveolar bone grafting, distraction osteogenesis, treatment of multiple impacted teeth, as well as limited orthodontic treatment and comprehensive treatment approaches.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Diagnose different cleft and craniofacial anomalies; Develop a good understanding of different orthodontic interventions in the continuum of cleft and craniofacial care
- Understand the importance of appropriate timing of orthodontic interventions and assessment of end of treatment outcomes

Educational funding provided by The Illinois Society of Orthodontists

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PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

LS232, 8:30 – 10 a.m.



Pat Little, DDS,
Wesley Chapel, FL
Dentist-Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

A Secret Pay Raise: How Embezzlers Think and Act

While the majority of dental teams are loyal and honest, it only takes one desperate individual to financially ruin a dental practice. Traditional internal control strategies are helpful and essential, but they have limitations and may not be as effective as doctors think. Many doctors fail to discover fraud and embezzlement until significant damage has occurred. This course is restricted to dentists, their spouses/partners, and dental students.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Take the steps to mitigate damages by recognizing warning signs associated with embezzlement
- Understand, through actual case studies, common red flag behaviors exhibited by most embezzlers

Register your spouse/partner with code SC.

IMPLANTS

LS233, 8:30 – 10 a.m.



Tricia Crosby, DDS,
St. Charles, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Narrow Diameter Implants with Emphasis on Treatment of the Congenitally Missing Lateral

This course will discuss using implant-supported dentistry to predictably treat the congenitally missing lateral incisor and single-tooth/small spaces using narrow diameter implants. Aspects of interdisciplinary collaboration — orthodontic, surgical and restorative — that enable predictable results and improve clinical outcomes will be reviewed. The importance of information-gathering, communication and case execution in obtaining positive results is emphasized.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Gain additional insight of the treatment planning of narrow diameter implants
- Understand the importance of collaboration and information gathering

IMPLANTS

L234, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Tara Aghaloo, DDS,
MD, PhD,
Sherman Oaks, CA
Professor

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Risk Factors & Complications in Implant Dentistry

Dental implants are a predictable treatment option for missing teeth. Although implant survival is high, favorable outcomes depend on case selection, minimizing medical risk factors, surgical and prosthetic execution, and prevention and management of complications. For the practicing clinician, we must focus on prevention of complications, diagnosing complications early and managing them as quickly as possible, and using new technologies to minimize complications. This presentation will update the clinician on the most ideal and successful implant outcomes, and how to avoid and manage complications.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand risk factors that may increase implant complications
- Identify and prevent unfavorable outcomes in the implant patient

PERIODONTICS

L235, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Kevin Suzuki, DMD,
Federal Way, WA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Periodontitis: Updated Classification, Treatments and Maintenance Strategies

The diagnosis and classification of periodontal diseases by dentists have remained unchanged since 1999. In 2018, the American Academy of Periodontology published an updated Classification for Periodontal and Peri-implant Diseases and Conditions. This lecture will explore the more common and clinically significant periodontal disease diagnoses and relevant clinical parameters. Treatment options, including traditional and newer innovative methods, will be presented, using clinical cases to illustrate these principles. The lecture will also cover maintenance strategies for preventing and managing periodontal disease in patients.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand and use the new AAP classification system
- Understand periodontal treatment and maintenance options

ANESTHESIA AND PAIN MANAGEMENT

L236, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Alan Budenz, DDS,
Paso Robles, CA
Emeritus Professor

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 340**Topic: Anesthesia and Pain Management******3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors, Hygienists

Numb, Number, Numbest: An Update on Local Anesthesia

This lecture is designed for anyone who wishes to expand their understanding of the newest pharmacologic agents and delivery techniques of local anesthesia. A wide range of techniques and alternative anesthesia modalities will be presented, including compounded topical formulations, anesthetic-reversal agents, anesthesia buffering systems, and more. Participants will return to their practices with greater confidence in their ability to deliver comfortable and efficient local anesthetic injections, and an increased appreciation for the causes of local anesthesia failures and how to overcome these failures.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Achieve more effective, safe and predictable anesthesia for any dental procedure
- Discuss safe use of any anesthetic agent available

ENDODONTICS

L237, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Bill Nudera, DDS,
MS, Bloomingdale, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 070**Topic: Endodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Rethinking Endodontics: A Systematic Approach to Case Selection

This course provides a comprehensive understanding of endodontic prognosis and case selection by applying a methodology developed by Dr. Nudera. Using actual cases from his private practice, the speaker will show you how decision-making can be simplified with his unique algorithmic systems. By the end of this course, participants will know how to develop the skills required to make informed decisions regarding the preservation of pulpally compromised teeth.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand a simple methodology for evaluating pulpally compromised teeth
- Understand how to use systems to make evidence-based clinical decisions

RESTORATIVE

L238, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Jeff Brucia, DDS,
San Francisco, CA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Overcoming Clinical Challenges: A Clinical Look at Direct Posterior Restorative Procedures

Balancing a busy day in private practice with the many different materials and techniques to which we are all exposed can be confusing, frustrating and overwhelming. Material selection and clinical technique are critical to achieving long-term clinical success. Minimal invasive procedures have been proven to provide predictable and long-lasting results when the very best techniques are applied. This fast-paced lecture will use science to support the step-by-step clinical presentations of direct restoratives.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the different adhesive systems and curing lights available today
- Follow a step-by-step guidance for the direct Class II posterior restoration

RESTORATIVE

L239, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Marcos Vargas, DDS,
Iowa City, IA
**Professor, Department
of Family Dentistry,
University of Iowa,
College of Dentistry**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Wow Your Patients with Your Anterior Composites the Easy, Predictable and Profitable Way

Are you tired and frustrated with not achieving excellent results with your resin composite restorations? Do you want to “wow” your patients? This highly practical and clinically focused presentation is designed to equip you with the necessary tools to perform anterior resin composites in a fast and predictable manner that will truly amaze your patients. A step-by-step approach will be presented, covering shade selection, cavity preparation for esthetics, material placement and contouring, as well as polishing techniques.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Select the perfect composite resin shade within 15 seconds
- Contour and polish composite resins to mimic tooth structure

Educational funding provided by 3M



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TRANSITIONS

FL240, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Top Things Every Dentist Should Know about Buying, Selling and Operating a Dental Practice

Learn from dentistry's top experts, with a combined 100+ years of experience in the fields of transitions, valuations, legal, accounting, tax, management, banking and private equity. Learn a step-by-step guide on how to buy, run and sell a private practice. Topics to be discussed include a simple valuation equation that can exponentially increase the value of a practice. Must-know legal updates will be shared to protect you against catastrophe. Tax strategies, benchmarks for overhead and profitability, distinguishing between good and bad debt, as well as leveraging techniques for wealth creation will also be explored.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Protect your family, yourself and your practice from disaster
- Have an accurate understanding of the value of ownership



**Peter Ackerman, CPA, CVA, CEPA, Chicago, IL
Certified Public Accountant**

**Todd Erdman, JD, Deerfield, IL
Attorney**

**Walter Janczewski, E.A., CHBC, Northbrook, IL
Director/Dental Practice Management Consultant**

**Paul Motter, Spring Lake, MI
National Sales Manger, Provide Inc.**

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L241, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



**Penny Reed, BBA,
Collierville, TN
Dental Management
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

How to Get Paid for What You Do

Running a profitable practice takes a team, and everyone on the team influences your revenue cycle. The process of getting paid begins long before treatment is completed. It begins with the first phone call and extends through the process of treatment planning, scheduling and collecting the appropriate fees you are rightfully owed. To ensure success, it is essential to understand the critical steps and engage in effective conversations during key moments within this process.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand how revenue cycle management impacts your brand and your marketing, and why it is so important
- Identify where the primary roadblocks in getting paid occur and how to overcome them

AUXILIARY

LS242, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



David Rice, DDS, St. Petersburg, FL
Founder, IgniteDDS,
Editor

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Dental Assistants and Digital Scanning: A Pathway to Increase Patient Case Acceptance

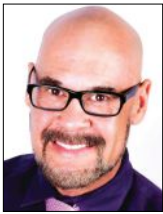
If dental assisting stresses you out and you want to increase your diagnostic ability and accuracy — and decrease the time it takes for you to do it all — then put down those impressions and pick up the scanner. Which scanner? How do you integrate it? Whether it's for new patients, restorative procedures, clear aligners, digital dentures or more, we'll guide you through the process. Take home a playbook that will be a valuable resource to enhance your overall practice efficiency and success.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand multiple types of scanners and which is best for you
- Integrate scanning into your everyday process and drive patient and practice wins

RESTORATIVE

LS243, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



Rolando Nunez, DDS, Schaumburg, IL
Dental Consultant,
Author

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Preventing Dental Post-Operative Sensitivity: Essential Techniques and Considerations

This presentation aims to provide clinicians with comprehensive insights into preventing post-operative sensitivity. By understanding the underlying causes and implementing effective preventive measures, clinicians can significantly enhance patient comfort and treatment outcomes. Through an exploration of evidence-based strategies, participants will gain knowledge and skills to minimize the occurrence of postoperative sensitivity.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the causes and mechanisms of dental post-operative sensitivity
- Implement preventive measures and techniques to reduce the occurrence of post-operative sensitivity

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RISK MANAGEMENT

FS244, 10 – 11:30 a.m.

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 565**Topic: Documentation and Risk Management****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

**Communication, Care and Clear Protocols:
Ensuring Safety for Patients of Every Age**

When patients establish their care with you, they entrust you with their dental health and expect a level of competency and professionalism. It is your professional obligation to provide services within the standard of care while ensuring patient safety. This course is designed to share best practices informed by real-world phone calls and TDIC cases. Understand the importance of communication, documentation and implementing protocols to reduce the potential for complaints, claims or lawsuits.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Establish protocols to review patient medical histories
- Enhance communication skills to increase patient safety and optimal treatment outcomes

Educational funding provided by TDIC



Anne Oldenburg, JD, Chicago, IL
Attorney

Tamera Banasek, JD, Chicago, IL
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Private Practice

CYBERSECURITY

LS245, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Anne Genge, CIPP/C,
CHCSP, CHSRAP,
Whitby, Ontario,
Canada
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

**Cybersecurity Defensive Tactics: Basic Cyber Defense Skills
for Dental Teams**

Cybersecurity has become one of the biggest challenges of the 21st century. Dentists and dental practices are not immune to the growing threat of cyberattacks and data breaches. This course is specifically designed to help dental professionals understand the unique risks of using technology in a dental practice and empower them with the fundamental skills, tactics and tools needed to safeguard their digital assets and confidential patient data.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify common cyber risks and scams
- Know how to defend against cyber threats

This lecture will be repeated later in the day. Code: LS245R, Time: 3 – 4:30 p.m.

TMD

LS246, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Robert Kaspers, DDS, MS,
Northbrook, IL
Private Practice

M Murphy, DMD, Evanston, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

What We Have Learned about TMD from Orthognathic Surgery

Using certain diagnostic tools (CBCT and MRI scans), we review the basics of how certain condylar positions are established in the glenoid fossa when a patient is biting in maximum intercuspation. Since orthognathic surgery is performed to correct skeletal asymmetry, it is important for the clinician to achieve a seated condylar position with relaxed orofacial muscles prior to the surgery in order for the oral surgeon to achieve a stable and balanced occlusion. This course will review the findings gained through analyzing orthognathic surgery that can be applied in the everyday dental practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Better evaluate your TMD patients

AFTERNOON LECTURES

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS

L247, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Amber Auger, RDH,
East Weymouth, MA
**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Glucose, Gut and Gums: The Missing Link to Optimal Oral and Systemic Health

It is estimated that more than 80% of Americans are experiencing insulin resistance. One can have insulin resistance for up to 20 years before becoming pre-diabetic. Insulin resistance impacts every organ in the body and is crucial to acute and chronic disease prevention. This course is designed to equip the dental professional to take a more comprehensive look at the root cause of oral and systemic inflammation.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify how periodontal pathogens affect gut health
- Define the bi-directional relationship between insulin resistance, diabetes and periodontal disease
- Review strategies to evaluate systemic inflammation manifesting orally
- Discover oral products to promote symbiosis

AUXILIARY

L248, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Shannon Brinker,
Virginia Beach, VA
**Certified Dental
Assistant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Performing Procedures at the Chair: Perfecting My Chairside Skills

As a dental assistant, your job is to aid the dentist and deliver high-quality care with optimal results. A dental assistant must be proficient in office equipment, processes and positioning for the patient and the dental assistant. This course will review these concepts as well as demonstrate how mastering four-handed dentistry will help make your procedures more efficient and improve practice productivity.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the equipment used in treatment of the oral cavity
- Understand positioning of each operator to be proficient with procedures

PHARMACOLOGY

L249, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Thomas Viola, R.Ph.,
CCP, CDE,
Columbus, NJ
Dental Pharmacologist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 010**Topic: Basic Science****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

'One Pill Good, Two Pills Better': How and Why Our Patients Medicate Themselves

Armed with limited and sometimes biased information amid a growing distrust of traditional medicine, many of our patients choose to self-prescribe and self-medicate with a variety of prescription drugs, OTC drugs, supplements and substances. Can you identify a self-medicating patient? This program will explore the dental implications of self-medication and strategies for identifying and managing self-medicating dental patients.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the most common prescription drugs, OTC drugs, supplements and substances used by dental patients to self-medicate
- Explore techniques to identify and successfully manage self-medicating dental patients

REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS

L250M, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Ronni Schnell, DMD,
Brookline, MA
**Director, Predoctoral
Removable
Prosthodontics
Courses, Boston
University, Private
Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 670**Topic: Removable Prosthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Mastering Digitally Fabricated Dentures in a Byte-Size World

Digital dentures have transformed the field of removable prosthetics, revolutionizing the way dentures are designed, fabricated and delivered to patients. This course is designed to empower dental professionals with the knowledge and practical skills required to excel in the digital denture workflow. With this lecture along with Saturday's hands-on workshop H309, participants will explore the latest advancements in digital denture technology. Starting with an overview of digital denture fundamentals to enhance accuracy and improve overall fit and function. Elevate your removable prosthetics practice, streamline your workflow and deliver exceptional results.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn a variety of fabrication methods
- Troubleshoot common challenges of the biofunctional trial denture

Attendee Requirements:

- This course is a prerequisite for the Saturday morning workshop H309, "Do Your Dentures Suck...? They Should!"

PROSTHODONTICS

L251, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Jay Smith, DDS,
Sandy Springs, GA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 610**Topic: Fixed Prosthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Demystifying the Sequencing of Full Mouth Rehabilitation

Many clinicians find it difficult to plan and sequence the complex dental restoration. This course will outline a systematic method to simplify restoration of these cases. Implant dentistry will be featured as the most beneficial method of tooth replacement. Esthetic considerations along with peri-implant soft tissue development will be featured. The presentation will demonstrate ways to minimize biomechanical complications often associated with implant dentistry as well as a discussion of current materials selection. Multiple case presentations will highlight the presentation.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify and assess the patient who will be best served by a full mouth reconstruction
- Determine what records are necessary for treatment planning and sequencing

IMPLANTS

L252, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Brian Goodacre,
DDS, MSD,
Redlands, CA
Professor, Loma Linda
University, School of
Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

All-on-4: From Treatment Planning to Final Restoration

Patients enter our practices every day at various stages of edentulism. However, knowing when to make the jump to an All-on-4 can be challenging. In this lecture, we will review treatment options and discuss the key principles needed for success. Additionally, we will review conversion techniques and the clinical steps required to fabricate the definitive prosthesis. By the end of this lecture, you should have improved confidence in treating All-on-4 patients.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the steps needed to treatment plan the All-on-4 patient
- Discuss how to do immediate denture conversions and final restorations

RESTORATIVE

FL253, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Howard Glazer, DDS,
Paramus, NJ
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

I Have It ... You Need It: From Diagnosis to Polish

Dentistry today should no longer be a reparative process. The speaker will “cut to the chase” about the value and use for each material and the techniques that he uses as he rapidly explores a multitude of materials, equipment, products and services. All are focused on minimally invasive restorative dentistry to ensure success in maintaining optimal oral health. Your entire team will benefit from learning together as he moves from diagnosis to treatment to final polish that is faster, easier and better for you, the dentist, and most importantly, for the patient.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify different restorative materials in various product categories
- Determine which materials, equipment and techniques are faster, easier and better

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

LS254, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Kevin Henry, MA,
Longmont, CA
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

How to Find, Hire and Keep Amazing Team Members

The success of your dental practice depends on the team you assemble. From the hiring process to the everyday activities within your practice, your interactions with your team members (and their interactions with patients) can be the difference between an efficient business and one that customers and employees steer clear of. Based on his experience with team members over the last 20 years, the speaker will discuss how to mitigate the team member shortages that are occurring in Chicago and throughout the United States.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn the 3 biggest questions to ask when hiring
- Learn what it takes to keep a team together long-term

SOCIAL MEDIA

LS255, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Rita Zamora, BS,
Boulder, CO
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Get Found, Get Liked, Get Patients: Making the Most of Social Media

Discover what top dental practices are doing to grow their practice with social media. Focus on tips and techniques to help your practice get found, get liked and attract ideal patients from the top social media platforms. Walk away with secrets to grow your practice with some of the hottest marketing techniques.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss how advertising and internet marketing have changed and what this means for your practice
- Define which social media strategies and tactics work best to help your practice get found, get liked, and get patients

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CODING MEDICAL

LS256, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



**Laurie Owens, CPB,
COC, CPC, Haslet, TX
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

**Topic: Practice Management and
Human Relations**

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

The Hidden Gems of Medical Billing for Dentistry

This gem of a course will educate dental teams on understanding what constitutes medical necessity for billable services in dentistry, how to find and sequence appropriate ICD-10 diagnosis codes decisively, and when it is appropriate to bill medical insurance. We will also create verbiage to enhance your medical and dental billing.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the different types of medical insurances (PPO, HMO, EPO, Medicare and Tricare) and how they would apply to your patient
- Understand the top conditions in dentistry that can be billed to medical insurance

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L257, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Judy Kay Mausolf,
Liberty Hill, TX
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550

**Topic: Practice Management and
Human Relations**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Communication Solutions: Attitudes, Breakdowns & Conflict Resolution

Learning to elevate your communication abilities will enable you to inspire open communication, prevent breakdowns, resolve conflict, and build trust and respect. This course illuminates the skills needed to communicate positively and effectively with different and even difficult personalities. Learn the steps to address and resolve conflict and establish protocols that eliminate gossip. Transform attitudes from toxic to tremendous, and ultimately create a positive environment, where every team member and patient looks forward to coming into the office.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Use verbal skills to effectively communicate with difficult and different personalities
- Understand how to transform attitudes from toxic to tremendous

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L258, 1 – 4 p.m.



Seena Patel, DMD,
Phoenix, AZ
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Non-Odontogenic Sources of Tooth Pain: Demystifying ‘Phantom Tooth Pain’

One in six dental patients experiences orofacial pain. Most often, this pain presents as a toothache. However, not all toothaches are caused by an odontogenic source. Unfortunately, non-odontogenic pain sources can be perplexing for both the patient and the dentist. Hence, patients often see several specialists and undergo irreversible treatments before obtaining an accurate diagnosis. This course will provide a review of non-odontogenic sources of tooth pain, how to differentiate between odontogenic and non-odontogenic toothaches, the appropriate exam methods, diagnostic tests, and the management of non-odontogenic toothaches.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Describe the non-odontogenic sources of tooth pain
- Identify treatments for each type of non-odontogenic tooth pain

PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

L259, 1 – 4 p.m.



David Rothman, DDS,
San Francisco, CA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 430**Topic: Pediatric Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Tips and Tricks for Treating Kids

Can't seem to remember whether it's ZOE, CaOH2, MTA or guano for pulpotomies? Composite, amalgam, GI or RMGI? Pulpectomy or pulpotomy? Block or infiltration? We need speed and a healthy tooth that lasts just a few years? And how do you calm little Sally down when she's hanging from the overhead light; mommy is trying to negotiate, but Sally understands everything? Jackson has caries when all he eats and drinks are healthy organic Cheerios, homemade fizzy water and organic fruits and vegetables? This course offers some practical and EBD pediatric tidbits to get you through the day.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Develop a treatment plan based on science and clinical practice
- Use very basic behavior management skills to engage children and get them through their treatment

Educational funding provided by GC America

**ORAL PATHOLOGY PEDIATRICS**

L260, 1 – 4 p.m.



Juan Yepes, DDS,
MD, MPH, Fishers, IN
Professor, Indiana University School of Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 430**Topic: Pediatric Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Most Common Radiographic Lesions in Children: A Systematic Review

This seminar will provide attendees with an overview of the most common radiographic lesions that present in infants, children and adolescents. Case presentations will be used as the learning and discussion format, covering the entire spectrum of oral radiology in pediatric dentistry. Topics covered in this seminar include radiation safety, digital radiology, CBCT in pediatric dentistry, radiographic interpretation and common radiographic lesions in children.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the importance of “building” a differential interpretation in radiology
- Identify the most common radiographic lesions in infants, children and adolescents

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

FL261, 1 – 4 p.m.



Wayne Kerr, DDS,
Stockbridge, GA
Dental Speaker,
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

The Pandemic's Behind Us ... Now What?

Since 2020, lives and practices have changed forever, but past experiences demand adaptation and creative responses. Prepare now for the next major setback and consider innovative ways to address staffing shortages. Review team-building concepts to keep your team intact and discuss multiple ways to reduce practice stress. Identify steps to plan for financial success next year and beyond and recognize three key practice indicators that you should track, but don't. Join Dr. Kerr as he shares many practical tips and life skills in this informative and entertaining program sure to have a positive impact on your life.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify sound business concepts to enhance practice success
- Protect your family and practice from life's future uncertainties

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L262, 1 – 4 p.m.



Christopher Salierno,
DDS, Centerport, NY
Private Practice,
Author, Dental
Executive

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Fighting the Profit Margin Squeeze: How Cash Flows Through a Dental Practice

Costs go up and reimbursements go down ... this is the profit margin squeeze. Learn how to maximize profits without compromising patient care. Chris will guide you through the ways dental practices hemorrhage money and provide strategies to eliminate waste and streamline operations. By focusing your team on delivering the best care possible while maintaining your bottom line, you can attract and retain top talent, invest in cutting-edge technology, and even be more charitable to those in need. Don't let profit margins hold you back from providing excellent care to your patients and building a thriving practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand overhead of your practice and overhead of your procedures
- Improve profitability without compromising outcomes of care

HYGIENE

L263, 1 – 4 p.m.



Penny Hatzimanolakis,
MSc., EdD(c), North
Vancouver, British
Columbia, Canada
Registered Dental
Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

ADPIE + P4 Medicine = Guided Biofilm Therapy

Primary oral healthcare practitioners strive to improve health outcomes but struggle with effective implementation. This evidence-informed session focuses on the P4 medical model and how to incorporate it within the Guided Biofilm Therapy modality in delivering predictive, preventive, personalized, and participatory themes. These themes support the challenges in managing the complex dental conditions that oral health care practitioners encounter.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the P4 medicine model and its translation to dental patient care
- Create an effective individualized patient-centered care plan

Educational funding provided by EMS and 3M



CARIES PUBLIC HEALTH

FP264, 1 – 4 p.m.

PANEL

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

What Every Provider Should Know about Dental Public Health: Opportunities for Now and the Future

Calling all oral health professionals! Dental caries continue to be a prevalent disease in the United States. Untreated caries impact well-being and quality of life, as well as population health and financial burdens. Oral health professionals are uniquely positioned to prevent and manage this disease, which affects very young children to elders in all practice settings. Is your practice approaching caries as the disease that it is? The answer may surprise you. Topics will range from silver diamine fluoride and workforce trends to telehealth and AI.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand how an evidence-based, disease management approach enhances practice capacity
- Recognize your role and ability to update your practice's approach to disease prevention and treatment



Julie Frantsve-Hawley, PhD,
Kenilworth, IL
Executive Director, TAG Oral Health Center

Michael Helgeson, DDS, Andover, MN
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Jeremy Horst Keeper, DDS, San Francisco, CA
Dental Executive, CareQuest Innovation Partners



Heather Luebben, RDH, MS,
New Hope, MN
Advanced Dental Therapist and Registered Dental Hygienist

Carolyn Brown, DDS,
Ponte Vedra Beach, FL
Dental Executive, MouthWatch and Dentistry.one



Teresa (Terri) Dolan, DDS,
Longboat Key, FL
Dental Executive, Overjet

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

LS265, 1 – 2:30 p.m.



**Pat Little, DDS,
Wesley Chapel, FL
Dentist-Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Dental Business Dynamics

The primary purpose of a dental practice is to provide quality patient care to help patients achieve optimal dental health. Additionally, dentistry is a business responsible for maintaining accurate patient accounts while providing a financially rewarding experience for the entire dental team. This course discusses various business principles that help practices increase collections, manage accounts receivable, create accurate reports, and maintain financial security.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Calculate and measure practice benchmarks
- Create accuracy and accountability through software and financial reports

PERIODONTICS

LS266, 1 – 2:30 p.m.



**Tricia Crosby, DDS,
St Charles, IL
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Hygienists

Situations and Solutions: Treatment Options to Address Clinical Challenges

This course will discuss daily clinical challenges (Situations) and options (Solutions) to predictably treat single-teeth – narrow diameter; the posterior maxilla and terminal dentition/edentulous patients; the aspects of collaboration that enable predictable results and improve clinical outcomes. It also will emphasize the importance of information gathering, communication and case execution to obtain good results.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Gain insight into the collaboration required to treat daily case challenges

ORAL SURGERY

L267, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Tara Aghaloo, DDS,
MD, PhD, Sherman
Oaks, CA
Professor**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 310

Topic: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

MRONJ: Updates for the Practicing Clinician

MRONJ is a devastating complication of antiresorptive medications used for benign and malignant disorders of bone metabolism. MRONJ is exposed, necrotic bone in the maxillofacial region for more than eight weeks in a patient with antiresorptive treatment. ONJ was first identified in 2003 and 2004, and its prevalence is reported between 0.8-12%. Difficulties with diagnosis, prevention and treatment exist, often making dentists uncomfortable recognizing and treating patients on these medications. This lecture will discuss MRONJ risk, diagnosis, prevention and management. Specific case discussions will also be included.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the prevalence and etiology of MRONJ
- Use strategies to prevent MRONJ development

PERIODONTICS

L268, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Kevin Suzuki, DMD,
Federal Way, WA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Periodontal Plastic Surgery: Techniques and Applications

This lecture will cover various periodontal surgical techniques and their applications in addressing common hard and soft tissue defects around natural teeth. These techniques include keratinized gingival grafts, connective tissue grafts, frenectomies and crown lengthening. The presentation will be presented in a format that combines lecture and case presentations.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand various mucogingival defects and how they affect natural teeth and dental implants
- Understand and recognize applications of appropriate mucogingival surgical procedures to address these defects

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L269, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



John Alonge, MS,
DDS, Erie, PA
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Differential Diagnosis of Oral Lesions Using Audience Response Polling

The development of a working differential diagnosis is one of the most challenging tasks in the diagnostic sequence. Clinical case presentations that focus on a variety of pathological conditions and the use of an audience response polling system will help engage you in the decision-making process. By the end of this program, you will gain a fresh perspective on oral pathology and acquire the information necessary to identify and diagnose oral lesions encountered in daily practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize the diagnostic process required to formulate a differential diagnosis
- Recognize the etiology and management of various oral pathological conditions

ENDODONTICS

L270, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Bill Nudera, DDS,
MS, Bloomingdale, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 070**Topic: Endodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Systematic Endodontics: A Step-by-Step Approach to Root Canal Treatment

Root canal treatment is the execution of a learned mechanical process. This technique can be perfected by first understanding its core concepts and principles- and then systematically applying those concepts and principles to every patient, every tooth, every canal, every time. In this course, the speaker will walk you through actual treatment cases from his private practice, describing step-by-step the methods he uses to achieve predictable and reproducible endodontic results. This course will focus on initial non-surgical root canal treatment.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand endodontic treatment sequencing from start to finish
- Understand the basic concepts and principles that make up the foundation of all root canal treatment

RESTORATIVE

L271, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Jeff Brucia, DDS,
San Francisco, CA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Team

Mastering Indirect Adhesive and Restorative Dentistry

A full spectrum of options for bonding indirect restorations greatly expands dentin bonding's role in the contemporary restorative practice. A brief review of dentin bonding techniques and materials will kick off a comprehensive presentation on the careful planning and systematic coordination of the preparation, temporization, laboratory fabrication and placement of these restorations. Partial coverage restorations, adherent to the tooth, emphasize strength, vitality and aesthetics, and will continue to increase your patients' expectations in your delivery of quality care.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Select appropriate techniques and materials for treating the restoration surface, enabling maximum adhesive interface with conservative tooth preparation

RESTORATIVE

L272, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Marcos Vargas, DDS,
Iowa City, IA
Professor, Department
of Family Dentistry,
University of Iowa,
College of Dentistry

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Posterior Composites: Achieving Predictable Results Every Time

Are your posterior composites taking too long? Are you struggling to get tight interproximal contacts? Contours are bad? Not achieving a good gingival seal? Are deep restorations difficult to deal with? If you answered yes to any of the questions, this presentation is for you. Gain the knowledge you need to identify the appropriate matrices, wedges, and rings to use. Acquire the skills to effectively manage deep and extensive preparations. Learn how to streamline your procedures, enhance efficiency, and achieve predictable and profitable outcomes.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Obtain predictable and anatomically correct interproximal contacts
- Achieve exceptional finishing and polishing of posterior composites

Educational funding provided by 3M



TRANSITIONS

FPS273, 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

PANEL

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****2.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Panel Discussion - The Future of the Business of Dentistry

Join a panel discussion on dentistry's business trends and future, featuring experts in law, accounting, finance, and valuations regarding trends and the future of dentistry. Topics include DSOs' market impact, non-compete enforceability, practice financing, overhead/profitability targets, tax avoidance, and valuation trends. An interactive session for those in or considering private practice. This is a don't-miss interactive session for anyone in or thinking about entering private practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify current market trends in the business of dentistry
- Understand how current trends will shape the future of dentistry



**Peter Ackerman, CPA, CVA, CEPA, Chicago, IL
Certified Public Accountant**

**Todd Erdman, JD, Deerfield, IL
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**Walter Janczewski, E.A., CHBC, Northbrook, IL
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**Paul Motter, Spring Lake, MI
National Sales Manger, Provide Inc.**

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L274, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



**Penny Reed, BBA,
Harding University,
Collierville, TN
Dental Management
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

The Five Drivers of Growing Your Dental Business

What if you could increase your practice's revenue by 25% without a significant increase in overhead? It's possible! In this session, you will learn the magic formula to take your practice to the next level. Whether you are new in practice, a seasoned dental practice owner, or a supportive team member, you will learn proven strategies to grow your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the critical trends in the business of dentistry and how they directly impact your practice
- Get the entire team on board by engaging them in small wins that lead to a significant impact on practice growth

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

LS275, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Tara Aboumahboub,
DMD, Cincinnati, OH
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Tooth to Tango: Navigating the Delightful Dance with Your Team

Let's seek out the symbiotic relationship between dentists and dental auxiliaries as we dive into patient care. With a fresh perspective, the speaker, a "New Dentist," will dive into the crucial conversations that build bridges and break down barriers in the dental practice. Throughout the session, both dentists and dental assistants will have the opportunity to engage in honest discussions, fostering a deeper understanding of each other's roles and challenges. Let's dance!

After this course, you will be able to:

- Effectively apply communication and conflict resolution skills
- Maximize teamwork to increase career satisfaction and patient care

RESTORATIVE

LS276, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Rolando Nunez, DDS,
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Dental Consultant,
Author

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50 Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Mastering the Art of Bonding to Dental Ceramics: Techniques for Optimal Adhesion and Longevity

This presentation aims to equip dental professionals with the necessary knowledge to achieve successful and durable bonding to dental ceramics. As ceramic restorations continue to gain popularity, understanding the principles of ceramic bonding is crucial for ensuring reliable adhesion and restoration success. Through an exploration of surface treatment methods and bonding protocols, participants will learn the steps and strategies to achieve predictable bonding to dental ceramics.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Evaluate the impact of different ceramic surface treatments on bond strength and durability
- Explore bonding protocols and cementation procedures

RISK MANAGEMENT

FS277, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Jacqueline Clarke,
JD, Fort Wayne, IN
Senior Risk Solutions
Dental Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 565

Topic: Documentation and Risk Management

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Dental Malpractice, What It Is & How to Prevent It: An Approach Based in Risk Management

The anatomy of a dental malpractice lawsuit, including key ways these actions are successfully defended, will be discussed. Attendees will get an overview of the changing landscape of the current dental malpractice environment, including an analysis of the increasing frequency and severity of claim trends. We will navigate through real-life cases to identify areas of problematic treatment versus potential defenses and discuss risk management approaches to minimize the possibility of a lawsuit ever being filed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize current topic trends in dental malpractice
- Identify the variety of drivers of malpractice claims and lawsuits

Educational funding provided by MedPro



TMD

LS279, 3 – 4:30 p.m.



**Robert Kaspers, DDS,
MS, Northbrook, IL
Private Practice**

Manage or Solve Temporomandibular Dysfunction

This course will aid the clinician in properly diagnosing the cause of the patient's TMD. Clinicians will gain a comprehensive understanding of the various TMD symptoms experienced by patients, including clicking, muscle soreness, sensitive teeth and headaches. The clinician will learn how to interpret information from both CBCT and MRI scans to aid them in a diagnosis. Providing treatment that achieves a balanced occlusion that properly loads the TM joints after concluding treatment will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Diagnose and understand necessary TMJ treatment
- Acquire a balanced occlusion that will properly load the TMJ

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

CYBERSECURITY

LS245R, 3 – 4:30 p.m.

Anne Genge, CIPP/C, CHCSP, CHSRAP,
Whitby, Ontario, Canada

Consultant

Cybersecurity Defensive Tactics: Basic Cyber Defense Skills for Dental Teams

Full course description on p. 83

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify common cyber risks and scams
- Know how to defend against cyber threats

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

**Topic: Practice Management and
Human Relations**

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

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THE GREAT ORAL HEALTH PITCH



Moderator:
Keith Drayer
Consultant,
Henry Schein
Inc.

PANEL **0.00 CE HOURS**
FP381, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

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MORNING HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

CPR/BLS

H300R4, 8 – 11 a.m.

Vickie Onesti, BA, Sacramento, CA

Owner/Master Compressionist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$75, Jan/Feb: \$100

AGD Subject Code: 142

Topic: Medical Emergency Training and CPR

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

BLS CPR AED Training & Certification American Heart Association, 2-year certification

Full course description on p. 31

After this course, you will be able to

- Recognize a cardiac arrest, call for help, provide effective compressions and rescue breathing
- Effectively use an AED machine and manage choking emergencies

This workshop will be repeated later in the day. Code: H300R5, Time: 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

RADIOLOGY

H301R4, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Sherce Thompson, DDS, Chicago, IL

Associate Professor Malcolm X College Dental Hygiene Program

Marissa Gora, RDH, Chicago, IL

Registered Dental Hygienist

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$175, Jan/Feb: \$200

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

X-Out Your X-ray Errors: Hands-On Workshop to Improve Your Digital Images

Full course description on p. 31

After this course, you will be able to:

- Demonstrate proficiency in intraoral radiographic techniques
- Identify and correct non-diagnostic radiographic errors and to evaluate the quality of diagnostic images

PERIODONTICS

H306, 8 – 11 a.m.



Kevin Suzuki, DMD,
Federal Way, WA
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$490, Jan/Feb: \$515

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Extraction and Guided Bone Regeneration: A Hands-On Workshop

This course is a combination of an instruction, demonstration, and hands-on (pig-jaw) workshop. Participants will learn the basic principles of bone augmentation surgery (in conjunction with extractions) for private practice. Indications, considerations, and surgical principles will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Use the fundamentals of patient evaluation, clinical and diagnostic considerations, anatomy and surgical principles for ridge augmentation of extraction socket defects
- Apply the hands-on skills in the course to gain experience in performing ridge preservation flap surgery associated with an extraction site

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

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PHOTOGRAPHY

H307, 8 – 11 a.m.



Shannon Brinker,
Virginia Beach, VA
**Certified Dental
Assistant**

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$220, Jan/Feb: \$245

AGD Subject Code: 138**Topic: Dental photography****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Photographing a Patient's Malocclusion

The interrelationship between malocclusion and periodontal health is well-researched, and today, adult patients are more open to this treatment option. Additionally, research is now focused on the benefits of orthodontic therapy in restoring periodontal status while enhancing the patient's ability to maintain health. You will learn ideal camera settings and the best techniques to capture necessary images effectively. This course will provide the necessary skills to shoot essential photographs for quick co-diagnosis and treatment required for documentation.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand how digital photography can enhance the communication and understanding of malocclusion
- Adjust camera settings, place retractors and use a clinical mirror to take photographs

PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

H308, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



David Rothman, DDS,
San Francisco, CA
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 430**Topic: Pediatric Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Pulp and What Else: Restoring the Primary Molar

Confronted with a bombed-out primary tooth and don't know which way to turn? You treat mega-adult cases with implants and prostheses, but you're scared of a baby tooth attached to a kid? The attendee will perform pulp therapy on two primary molars and restore the treated teeth with an esthetic composite and full coverage (SSC) restorations. Treatment is performed on typodont teeth with pulp chambers for realism. A Gerber band and loop space maintainer spanning one and two teeth will be done as well.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand and perform pulp therapy in primary teeth
- Treat pulpotomized teeth with cosmetic and full coverage restorations

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by Septodont, HuFriedyGroup, GC America, and Kilgore



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SATURDAY

REMOVABLE PROSTHODONTICS

H309, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Ronni Schnell, DMD,
Brookline, MA
**Director, Predoctoral
Removable
Prosthodontics
Courses, Boston
University, Private
Practice**

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 670

Topic: Removable Prosthodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Do Your Dentures Suck? They Should! A Hands-On Workshop

The future is already here with digitally fabricated dentures. Many of us may have tried them. Some of us may require a little (virtual) handholding. This workshop will cover essential topics such as digital denture design software and esthetic customization. Working with your own laptop, attendees will gain proficiency in using digital tools to streamline the denture design process, take the guesswork out of insertion and minimize post-insertion adjustments. This hands-on articulator and cloud-based practice even has a value-added bio-functional denture to take with you as a visual aid for your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn the reference denture and bio-functional trial denture techniques
- Understand the digital preview and how to move teeth virtually

Attendee Requirements:

- Friday afternoon lecture L250M, “Mastering Digitally Fabricated Dentures in a Byte-Sized World,” is mandatory for this workshop
- Laptop or iPad and mouse (smartphones cannot access the software)
- Loupes, readers, or eye protection (if needed)

Educational funding provided by Ultradent Products and AvaDent Digital Dental Solutions



ENDODONTICS

H310, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Bill Nudera, DDS,
MS, Bloomingdale, IL
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 070

Topic: Endodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Systematic Endodontics Hands-On Workshop: Practice Makes Perfect

“Practice and repetition” is the secret to improving your endodontic skills, and knowing what to practice is critical. This comprehensive hands-on course offers a deep dive into root canal instrumentation and obturation. Designed for dentists seeking to enhance their skills, this course combines theoretical knowledge with practical training. Participants will learn proper instrumentation sequencing and hand-file troubleshooting protocols. Additionally, they will gain experience in the art of single-cone bioceramic obturation. This course equips attendees with the necessary skills to deliver optimal endodontic outcomes.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the clinical skills associated canal instrumentation
- Understand a simple and efficient method for obturation

Attendee Requirements:

- Loupes/safety glasses

Educational funding provided by Brasseler and Carl Zeiss Meditec USA, Inc.



RESTORATIVE/MICROSCOPES

H311, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Randy Shoup, DDS, Noblesville, IN
Private Practice

Juan Carlos Hugues, DDS, CEA2 II,
David, Panama

Jorge Zapata, DDS, Ogden, UT
Private Practice

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

Nov/Dec: \$440, Jan/Feb: \$465

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Progressive Techniques in Dental Restoration: Mastering Microscope-Assisted Procedures - A Hands-On Workshop

This workshop covers ergonomic seating and correct dental microscope positioning. Participants will learn how to capture high-resolution photos/videos through microscopes. They will perform stress-reduced direct composite restorations from sealants to complex build-ups. They then will restore endodontically treated teeth using polyethylene fibers and glass rod infused composite, followed by an onlay preparation. The dental surgical microscope will be used throughout the workshop. Students will discover techniques to restore endodontically treated teeth without posts or full coverage crowns.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Position a dental microscope to work ergonomically
- Capture high resolution photos and videos and restore restorations using a dental microscope

Attendee Requirements:

- All day Friday Course FL217 is recommended but not required, "Advanced Direct and Indirect Adhesive Dentistry: If You Can See It, You Can Do It!"
- Loupes are optional

Educational funding provided by Global Surgical Corp., Carl Zeiss Meditec USA, Inc., and Crystal Mark Air Abrasion



AFTERNOON HANDS-ON WORKSHOP

CPR/BLS

H300R5, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

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Owner/Master Compressionist

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Nov/Dec: \$75, Jan/Feb: \$100

AGD Subject Code: 142**Topic: Medical Emergency Training and CPR****3.00 CE HOURS**

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MORNING LECTURES

ESTHETICS

L312, 8 – 11 a.m.



Lee Ann Brady, DMD,
Phoenix, AZ
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 780

Topic: Esthetics/Cosmetic Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Top Clinical Tips for Esthetics Success

Esthetic dentistry is changing at a rapid pace. Being successful and efficient is about staying on top of the newest trends and clinical tips. This program will present the top clinical tips and techniques the speaker is teaching in the area of esthetics. Some are old tried and true approaches that remain successful, while others introduce brand new materials and approaches.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand anterior composite layering
- Manage anterior implant esthetics successfully

Educational funding provided by Ivoclar Vivadent and GC America



ERGONOMICS

L313, 8 – 11 a.m.



Timothy Caruso, MBA,
Addison, IL
Physical Therapist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Posture, Pain & Productivity in Modern Dentistry

Posture is a key ingredient in the dental profession. Good and bad posture can have positive or negative impacts on the bottom line. Over time, stress can reduce productivity and hinder the body's natural healing abilities. This course will provide practitioners with an introductory working knowledge of ergonomic risks both within and outside their work environment, while helping them develop more efficient work performance strategies. If you are someone who carries the weight of your office on your back, we need to talk.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the impact of posture, strength and flexibility on the dental practice, the patients and the dental practitioners
- Identify alternative approaches for efficient, effective delivery of care and a healthier lifestyle

SLEEP DENTISTRY

L314, 8 – 11 a.m.



Steve Carstensen,
DDS, Redmond, WA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 160

Topic: Sleep Apnea & Appliance Therapy

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Are You Curious about Dental Sleep Medicine? What You Need to Know to Begin

Dentists are the most important part of health care capable of helping people breathe better during sleep. Snoring and other sleep-related breathing disorders are common in our population but underdiagnosed and untreated, leaving millions at risk of serious complications. Dental teams curious about sleep, snoring and sleep apnea will learn what they can do right now to help. There's more to it than simple steps, of course, so a learning path will become more clear for the dentists interested in digging deeper.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Lead their teams to introduce a new service to their dental practice
- Describe sleep-related breathing disorders, how to find patients at risk, and the dentist's role in this part of medicine

**ANESTHESIA AND PAIN
MANAGEMENT**

L315, 8 – 11 a.m.

**Mark Donaldson,
PHARMD, FASHP,
FACHE, Whitefish, MT
Dental Executive****LECTURE**

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 340**Topic: Anesthesia and Pain Management******3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Find Your MATE: A DEA Compliance Course on the Medication Access & Training Expansion (MATE) Act

On March 28, 2023, the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) issued guidance outlining requirements for a one-time, eight-hour training “on the treatment and management of patients with opioid or other substance use disorders.” The Medication Access and Training Expansion (MATE) Act that was passed as part of the Consolidated Appropriations Act (CAA) of 2023 (P.L. 117-328) requires all DEA-registered providers to complete this training. This means you! In compliance with the DEA requirements for this new comprehensive curriculum, we will cover the safe pharmacological management of post-operative dental pain.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the MATE Act and understand the new DEA requirements
- Describe the different analgesics available and appropriate prescribing

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L316, 8 – 11 a.m.

**Kristina Perschbacher, DDS, MSc,
Toronto, Ontario, Canada****Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream****Susanne Perschbacher, DDS, MSc,
Mississauga, Ontario, Canada****Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream****LECTURE**

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

What's in Your Toolbox? Making the Most of Your Diagnostic Tools in Oral Radiology and Pathology

From the best ways to use your eyes and hands to examine the structures of the oral cavity to the most meaningful application of advanced imaging and clinical testing modalities, this course will highlight the most efficient use of the diagnostic aids at our disposal. Cases will illustrate the essential features of many different types of oral pathology. Participants will learn: 1) an approach to the examination of soft tissue lesions, 2) the appropriate selection of imaging modalities and an approach to radiologic interpretation of pathology, and 3) the function of adjunctive tests in oral cancer screening.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Select appropriate adjunctive diagnostic tests
- Comprehensively examine soft tissue lesions and interpret radiologic examinations

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DIGITAL DENTISTRY

L317, 8 – 11 a.m.



John Flucke, DDS,
Overland Park, KS
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

There's No 'D' Like '3D': Cone Beam, Digital Impressions, Milling and 3D Printing

Dental office workflows have moved from “digital” to “3D” in an amazingly short time span. Cone beam units are common, digital impressions are rapidly approaching the “tipping point,” and in-office 3D creation of appliances and prosthetics are becoming mainstream clinical technologies. The question of proven performance is now being replaced with the question of which systems to purchase. This aspect of dentistry has advanced rapidly in the last few years and now promises to be a “must have” in the not-too-distant future. Learn how these different pieces can work together in amazing truly digital workflows.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize the advantages of digitally acquired impressions
- Identify the different ways to merge 3D into your digital workflows

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS

L318, 8 – 11 a.m.



Kelli Vrla, BBA, BA,
CSP, Plano, TX
Founder, Engage
YOUiversity

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90 Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Stress Busting with Humor: Boost Resilience & Productivity Right Away

Spinning plates? Dropping a few? Have you reached your last straw? Harvard Business Review says we try to multitask mentally and physically. This can diminish our effectiveness and boost burnout. This fast-moving session can help you find your balance and move over, under, around and through daily challenges. Join us for a festive delivery of hit-the-ground-running skills to enlighten you and your staff. Walk away with a Personalized Stress Busting Plan to recognize “Crazy-Maker” triggers so you can stay resilient and delight your patients.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand and minimize “Crazy Makers” (Serial Offenders: Challenging People/Places/Situations: Latecomers /Staff, Not-All-There, Know-it-Alls and the Downright Rude!)
- Stay laser-focused amidst the chaos

ETHICS

LS319, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



Susan Gunn, CFE,
Arlington, TX
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 555

Topic: Ethics in Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Ethics: There is No In-Between

For the past few years, online dental group members have consistently shared how a toxic culture exists in their work environments. A toxic culture is a petri dish for unethical actions, which ultimately can starve a practice of patients and revenue. For years, Susan has spoken on the importance of personal ethics and how that builds a healthy environment personally and for work. The speaker’s sense of humor and real-life stories drive home the point that our own ethics are both valuable and necessary for the future success of our practices.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize how ethics encompass all that we do
- Endorse an ethical culture in your practice

IMPLANTS

LS320, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



**Sable Muntean,
DMD, MHSA,
Edwardsville, IL
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

New to Dental Implants? Let's Talk

This program discusses both the surgical and restorative aspects of dental implants, whether you as the GP place them or not. You will learn about treatment planning from a single tooth implant to a full arch. This will include such options as locators, Conus, hybrids, Spark Erosions and more. Increasing case acceptance and communicating with your team members and patients will also be addressed. This is a great session for dentists who want to create a foundation for their understanding of implants in their practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Gain a solid foundation for both surgical and restorative aspects of implants as a general practitioner, as well as learn treatment options from single tooth to full arch cases
- Integrate dental implants into your office

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L323, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



**Debra Engelhardt-
Nash, Charlotte, NC
Dental Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and
Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Communication Skills Tune-Up for Dental Teams from the Phone Call to the Chair

We spend 85% of our time communicating with patients. But how much time do we work on saying the right things in the right way so our patients understand and accept our treatment and our practice protocols? The way we communicate with patients from the first phone call to the moment they enter the practice and throughout their clinical visit and treatment discussions is critical. It can determine whether patients move forward with their care, refer their friends and pay their bills. You will learn how to improve productivity and team effectiveness by increasing communication skills verbally and nonverbally.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Increase patient engagement and acceptance of dental treatment
- Present all treatment with confidence – elective and non-elective care

PERIODONTICS

L324, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Peter Cabrera, DDS, Chicago, IL
Private Practice

Bahareh Sabzehei, DDS, MS,
Chicago, IL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 490
Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Critical Lessons from 40 Years of Perio-Implant Therapy

While short-term clinical success is relatively easy to attain, long-term successful outcomes present a more significant challenge. Understanding the long-term effects of our interventions is the key to helping our patients gain and maintain their oral health. By examining extensive, long-term clinical cases, we will learn key topics critical for lasting success. We will focus on lessons learned from both case successes and case failures. Among the topics covered will be understanding perio-implant anatomy and biotype, growth and development, soft and hard tissue regeneration and managing failure.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Develop a strategy for long-term success with periodontal and implant patients
- Understand how the latest reconstructive procedures are used

DIGITAL DENTISTRY

L325, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Mark Kleive, DDS,
Black Mountain, NC
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250
Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Using 3D Printing and Other Digital Integration

The opportunities for 3D printing and scanning and integration of digital technologies into dental office systems are accelerating. This course will discuss the practical ways to incorporate this technology into the general dental office and the tremendous potential that it has for Return on Investment (ROI). Topics will include 3D-printed study models, surgical guides, in-office aligners and occlusal guards. Particular emphasis will be placed on the workflow that team members can support.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Explore opportunities for 3D printing in general dentistry
- Use the skills of your team to perform digital tasks

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L326, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Kirk Behrendt,
Milwaukee, WI
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Best Practices to Get Off of PPOs & Find More Freedom

Eliminating or reducing your PPOs could possibly be the most important decision you'll make in your career. There are no shortcuts and the only way to do this successfully is to do it the right way. Join us for this valuable lecture in which the speaker walks you through the roadmap of how to do it carefully and predictably.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Adopt the mindset needed when making this strategic decision and discover the data you must collect to learn about your business's strengths and weaknesses
- Learn the foundational and operational steps necessary for the process to work
- See what research is required to understand your unique insurance exposure
- Start steps to reduce insurance dependence

RADIOLOGY/CBCT

L327, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Dania Tamimi, BDS,
DMSc, FRCPS
(Glasg), Orlando, FL
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

How to Read a CBCT

Conebeam CT (CBCT) has revolutionized dental diagnosis. Unfortunately, not many dentists are adequately trained to use this technology to its fullest extent. In this course, you will learn a radiologist's methodology of CBCT evaluation and interpretation. You will discover how to uncover occult imaging findings in patients' craniofacial complex. A systematic method of going through the scan to ensure that nothing is missed, as well as the problem-solving method that one should employ if a positive finding is detected, will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Orient the scan correctly for interpretation and create the appropriate sections for proper diagnosis
- Employ a methodical approach to CBCT evaluation to minimize the chances of missing significant findings

INFECTION CONTROL

L328, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Jackie Dorst, RDH,
Fernandina Beach, FL
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 148**Topic: Infection Control****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

'Fight Dirty and Keep It Clean': Infection Control and Sterilization

Fighting germs in dental practices is a challenge. Learn how to prevent disease transmission effectively, efficiently and safely in this "edu-taining" seminar. The speaker coaches the dental team on how to "Fight Dirty," using the correct products and techniques for sterilization, disinfection and PPE. Learn best practices: germ-fighting techniques with PPE, hand hygiene, dental unit waterline tests, sterilization spore tests, ultrasonic cavitation tests and recordkeeping logs for validation and documentation. The dental team wins the IC championship when everyone learns to "Fight Dirty and Keep It Clean."

After this course, you will be able to:

- List tests and records required for sterilization validation
- Demonstrate correct sterile instrument packaging and sterilizer load

SATURDAY

AUXILIARY/IMPLANTS

FL329, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Sherrie Busby,
EDDA, CSDO, CDIPC,
Keystone Heights, FL
DA Training
Developer, Heartland
Dental

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 690

Topic: Implants

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Everything Dental Assistants Need to Know about Dental Implants (Well, Most Everything)

Are you feeling overwhelmed when you hear the words “implant in Room 2” and wondering how you can support this life-changing treatment? If so, you won’t want to miss this upcoming program where the speaker will guide you through the implant process step by step. You’ll learn tips and tricks for incorporating implants into everyday dentistry. You’ll get hands-on experience with the latest techniques and technologies with implant components at our hands-on play stations. Don’t miss this opportunity to take your career as a dental assistant to the next level.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Gain the confidence and the knowledge you need to support your doctor in providing exceptional care to patients undergoing dental implant treatment
- Identify implant equipment and parts

Educational funding provided by Illinois Dental Assistants Association, Heartland Dental, BioHorizons, NDX, and Align Technologies



DIGITAL DENTISTRY

L330, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Jonathan Ng, DDS,
Vancouver, British
Columbia, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 610

Topic: Fixed Prosthodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Digital Impressions, Techniques and Systems: What Every Dental Office Needs to Know

Whether you are considering a scanning system for the first time or you’re an experienced user, this session will provide a comprehensive understanding of digital impressions techniques and provide valuable instructions on efficient scanning methods. Attendees will explore the diverse range of scanner systems available in the market through this comprehensive presentation. This knowledge will empower you to make informed decisions when integrating digital impressions into your practice. Whether you are selecting a new suitable scanner system or seeking to enhance existing skills, this session will ultimately elevate overall patient care in your office.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Compare and contrast conventional with digital impression techniques and systems

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L331, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Ashleigh Briody,
DDS, Westerville, OH
Oral and Maxillofacial
Pathologist, Private
Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Diagnosis and Management of Oral Mucosal Diseases

This comprehensive course begins with a brief review of head and neck examination techniques and then delves into the identification of precancerous and cancerous lesions. Additionally, we will explore various generalized conditions, including common autoimmune diseases, and discuss effective management strategies for these conditions. By the end of the course, participants will gain valuable insights and practical knowledge to confidently diagnose and manage oral mucosal diseases.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize precancerous lesions and features of malignancy
- Tell the difference between autoimmune and precancerous lesions

IMPLANTS

FL332, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Todd Schoenbaum,
DDS, MS,
North Augusta, SC
Professor, The Dental
College of Georgia

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Implant Prosthetics in the Aesthetic Zone: Science, Protocol and Technique

The restoration of implants in the aesthetic zone varies significantly from implant treatment in other areas. Successful outcomes require not just osseointegration of the implant fixture itself, but also creation of appropriate gingival architecture that balances aesthetic and functional demands. Special attention will be given to provisional techniques, cementation protocols, impression techniques, emergence profiles and gingival shaping. The techniques demonstrated will balance efficient and practical techniques with clinical results and scientific evidence.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Make provisional restorations that enhance the aesthetic outcome and maximize predictability
- Predictably manage and create soft tissue aesthetics around anterior implants

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PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

FL333, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Ryan Vet, MBA,
Durham, NC
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Creating Experiences Worth Sharing

Stand out in today's rapidly changing dental industry! Boost patient satisfaction with easy-to-apply customer service and marketing strategies. Master effective communication and time management techniques to optimize patient satisfaction. Explore innovative and cost-effective ways to grow your patient base without breaking the bank. Create an experience worth sharing so you stand out from the competition and build a loyal patient base. With the tools and strategies you'll learn in this course, take your practice to the next level and achieve success in today's challenging dental landscape.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Create, implement and measure effectiveness of patient experience initiatives
- Design, deploy and measure impact of cost-effective marketing campaigns

SPECIAL NEEDS/AUTISM

FL334, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Maureen Perry, DDS,
Scottsdale, AZ
Professor/Director,
Center for Advanced
Oral Health, A.T. Still
University, Arizona
School of Dentistry &
Oral Health

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 750

Topic: Special Patient Care

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

The Autism Explosion: Myth or Reality

The rising public awareness of people with autism and the increasing number of children being diagnosed have brought this developmental disability to the forefront of medicine. Conflicting reports in the media and literature can lead one to wonder what's fact and what's fiction. Are there really more people with autism, or are we just better at diagnosing it? What are proven approaches to working with patients with autism in the dental office? How can oral health professionals work with families and care teams to achieve positive treatment outcomes? An evidence-based discussion of these questions is presented.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply management techniques and best practices for treating patients with autism
- Recognize the epidemiological trends in autism

FORENSICS

L335, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Amber Riley, MS,
RDH, San Diego, CA
Registered Dental
Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 145

Topic: Forensic Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Bones, Bugs, Fire & Flies: An Introduction to Forensic Odontology

Participants in this course will gain introductory knowledge of forensic odontology and how the law dictates forensic human identification. A step-by-step exploration of a comprehensive dental autopsy will be presented, including physical examination, photography, radiography, and the forensic evidence management needs of varying postmortem states, including skeletonized, fragmented, decomposed, and burned remains. Modern missing person investigation methods and multiple fatality incident management systems will also be reviewed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Improve appreciation for the forensic value of accurate dental records
- Learn how to cooperate with the legal system

TRANSITIONS

L336, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Charles Loretto,
Frisco, TX
**Partner, Cain Watters
and Associates**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Create Successful Dental Partnerships: Lessons Learned from 35 Years of Practice Transitions

Dental practice partnerships and transition opportunities are not just about dollars and cents, they are pivotal moments in your career. This lecture focuses on creating a successful partnership that is fair and equitable to both parties. It highlights the importance of understanding the significant tax advantages that a transition can offer, benefiting both the buyer and the seller and potentially leading to a win-win situation. This presentation provides a comprehensive outline of the key factors to consider when contemplating a partnership. In today's environment, finding an appropriate value for the practice, and a prospect who wants to buy it, is simply not enough.

MARIJUANA

L337, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Caroline Arceo, DMD, Paso Robles, CA
Private Practice

Barry Taylor, DMD, Portland, OR
Executive Director, Oregon Dental Association

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 010**Topic: Basic Science****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

THC + Teeth: What to Know about Cannabis and Oral Health

This course is an unbiased and evidence-based presentation on marijuana and its role in dentistry. It covers various aspects, including an introduction to the history of marijuana, a basic science review regarding the cannabis plant and the Endocannabinoid System, the oral and general health effects of marijuana use and potential areas of dental research related to cannabinoids.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand what the Endocannabinoid System is, what cannabinoids are, and how marijuana is connected
- Understand how marijuana affects oral health – specifically related to oral pathology, dental caries and periodontal disease

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

LS338, 8:30 – 10 a.m.



Brad Newman,
Manhattan Beach, CA
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

32 Game-Changing Dental Marketing Tips: Inspiration for New Patient Growth in 2024

This fun and interactive presentation will help dental practices truly understand the power of online video, Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Conversion Rate Optimization for marketing their services. Attendees will also learn about the most effective ways to market themselves using a variety of Artificial Intelligence (AI) platforms, including ChatGPT. We will explore platforms such as Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube and more. Leveraging the power of content marketing, local SEO and offline initiatives also will be covered.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Turn existing patients into ambassadors
- Increase your Conversion Rate Optimization (CRO) dramatically

ORAL SURGERY

LS339, 8:30 – 10 a.m.



Waji Khan, BSc, DDS,
MBA, Kingston,
Ontario, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 310

Topic: Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Oral Surgery for the General Practitioner: Tips & Tricks to Make It Flow in Clinic

This program will discuss and demonstrate oral surgical procedures that general practitioners (GPs) can safely perform in their offices with ease and confidence. The speaker will discuss his own journey and share tips, tricks, and the mentorship gained from his 20+ year career as a wet-fingered GP. Cases with photos, videos, CBCT, radiographs, history and physical exam data will illustrate the procedures. This course is a opportunity to learn from the presenter's mistakes and journey.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Extract teeth, both erupted and impacted with confidence and ease
- Perform various surgical procedures such as frenectomies, biopsy and ortho exposures

OCCLUSION

L340, 8:30 – 11:30 a.m.



Michael Melkers,
DDS, Hanover, NH
Clinician, Educator,
Pankey Institute

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 180

Topic: Occlusion

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Occlusion 101 to 911: Keeping Your Restorations and Reputation Intact

Occlusion can be one of the driest and most confusing of subjects in dentistry. However, it is one of the most, if not the most, critical aspect of diagnosis and treatment planning when it comes to ensuring long-term success of restorative dentistry for our patients. During this interactive lecture, the speaker will blend practical theory with clinical application, covering single teeth to full mouth restorative care. He will guide us on an exploration and discussion of occlusion, of where we have been as a profession, where we are currently in our understanding and what mysteries still need to be solved.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize critical parafunctional red flags and why they matter
- Appreciate the balance between function, parafunction and aesthetics

RISK MANAGEMENT

L341, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Mitchell Gardiner,
DMD, Shrewsbury, NJ
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 565**Topic: Documentation and Risk Management****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Can Your Dental Team Defend You Against a Lawsuit? Yes - Teach Them How

Every member of the dental team has a role and responsibilities in patient care. When these responsibilities are carried out properly, the team can not only prevent lawsuits but also protect their dentist if and when a lawsuit should happen.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn the role each member must play in preventing a lawsuit and defending the dentist

CODING DENTAL

LS342, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



Teresa Duncan, MS,
Centreville, VA
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Dental Coding and Insurance Skills for 2024 and Beyond

Insurance is an important part of your office's revenue cycle, but it does not need to overwhelm your daily routine. Effective insurance coordinators have established systems and are constantly flexible with their learning. Take control of your information and your claims to minimize delays and rejections. This course is perfect for all team members who want to work together to get your claims paid. Experienced coders will benefit from the updated documentation and trends discussion.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the impact of increasingly complex plan designs on your practice
- Work with your clinical team to ensure stellar documentation and imaging

ABUSE/SUBSTANCE

LS343, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



Edith Gibson,
Edmond, OK
Registered Dental
Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 157**Topic: Substance Abuse****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Up in Smoke: The Great Vape Debate

Vape is not safe! It is highly addictive and the destruction to the human body caused by vaping has escalated to epidemic status. This rapidly growing addiction has hit all 50 states without regard to race, gender or ethnicity. The CDC is taking a stand and recommending all who vape, quit. As first responders and health care professionals, we are poised to help those using this addictive substance to stop.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the current trends in vaping and appreciate the available resources to help patients break the cycle of nicotine addiction
- Distinguish between carriers, flavors and caustic additives and their destructive oral/systemic effects

SATURDAY

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L380, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Ashley Clark,
DDS, Fishers, IN
**Oral Maxillofacial
Pathologist,
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Oral Cancer: What Every Dental Office Must Know

This course will provide the oral health care team with information regarding oral cancer. Potentially malignant conditions, particularly leukoplakia, will be discussed. Prevention of the disease is primarily the job of oral health care professionals; therefore, a focus will be on preventing oral squamous cell carcinoma.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize how potentially malignant conditions present in the oral cavity
- Determine an appropriate treatment plan when potentially malignant conditions are discovered

RESTORATIVE

LS344, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.



**Pamela Maragliano-
Muniz, DMD,**
Salem, MA
**Prosthodontist/Chief
Editor, Dental
Economics**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Don't Be a One-Trick Pony: Restorative Selections for Successful Outcomes

Don't rely on luck for the longevity of your restorations; it could negatively impact your reputation and productivity. This course will discuss the characteristics of various restorative materials and present how, when and why they should be used for the most favorable long-term outcomes. Proper handling and maintenance of various materials will be described. This course will set you up for success and confidence when planning, selecting, placing and maintaining restorations.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Describe the indications and handling of various indirect materials
- Discuss how the oral environment can promote longevity or failure of various restorations

RETIREMENT

LS345, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.



Ted Buckley, Lake in
the Hills, IL
Financial Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 770

Topic: Self-Improvement

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

What Do You Want to Do for the Next 30 Years: How to Mentally Prepare for Retirement

This is not about the money, it's about how to have fun in retirement. 1) Learn what drives you 2) Develop a purposeful personal bucket list that will be revised throughout your retirement 3) Develop a deeper connection to your partner through understanding 4) Appreciate why these activities will make your retirement more satisfying 5) Create strategies to embrace the five phases of retirement in order to be as connected and active as you want to be 6) Develop a plan to avoid one of the major crises facing seniors: "Loneliness as you age."

After this course, you will be able to:

- Become more confident in your plan to enjoy retirement
- Register your spouse/partner with code SC

AFTERNOON LECTURES

ESTHETICS

L346, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Lee Ann Brady, DMD,
Phoenix, AZ
Private Practice

Anterior Composite Artistry

Direct composite can be a conservative, durable and beautiful anterior material. We will discuss the variety of materials and techniques available today to take your composites to the next level so your team and patients are raving about the esthetic results. The lecture will compare total-etch to self-etch techniques and distinguish the risks and benefits of each. The concept of layering for ultimate beauty and color control will be covered and techniques for simplifying direct composite veneers and Class 4 restorations will be presented.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand layering and optimizing composite for esthetic results
- Understand how to maximize adhesion techniques

Educational funding provided by Ivoclar and GC America



LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 780

Topic: Esthetics/Cosmetic Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

ERGONOMICS

L347, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Timothy Caruso,
MBA, Addison, IL
Physical Therapist

Treating Back & Neck Pain in Modern Dentistry: A Survival Guide for the Rest of Your Career

Is your career hazardous to your physical and mental well-being? Perhaps killing you slowly? Dentistry has made great strides in providing pain-free experiences for patients, but what about the dentist and dental staff? Pain seems to be an accepted and worsening issue in the profession. Do you experience persistent neck or back pain? Numbness or tingling in your dominant hand? Disrupted sleep and frequent headaches? Over-the-counter pain relievers no longer cut it? Don't wait for chronic pain to become a part of your daily life, or for surgical intervention or disability claims. Join us and give this a listen.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the incidence/prevalence of cervical/lumbar pain in dentistry
- Identify conservative treatment options for cervical/lumbar pain

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150

Topic: Health and Nutrition

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

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SATURDAY

SLEEP DENTISTRY

L348, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Steve Carstensen,
DDS, Redmond, WA
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 160

Topic: Sleep Apnea & Appliance Therapy

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Treating Sleep-Related Breathing Problems: Adding a New Service to Your Dental Practice

What's next? After you've learned how to identify patients at risk, you need to know what to say. You may be ready to offer treatment, or you may decide to refer them to colleagues. Leading your team through adding a service means making some decisions about how deep do you want to go, and what you and they may need to learn. Dental devices to treat sleep-breathing disorders come in many varieties. This course will describe some of the more common ones so you will have a place to begin.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Determine whether you want to provide treatment or stop with screening your patients
- Begin treatment on select patients to help decide next learning steps

MEDICAL EMERGENCY

L349, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Mark Donaldson,
PHARM D, FASHP,
FACHE, Whitefish, MT
Dental Executive

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 142

Topic: Medical Emergency Training

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

'I Want My Mommy!' 'Somebody Call 9-1-1!': What's in Your Medical Emergency Kit and Why?

If your definition of a medical emergency is any condition of a patient that raises your blood pressure or pulse rate – then you need to take this course. Studies estimate that on average we will face a medical emergency in the office at least twice a year. For those instances when an appropriate response could be lifesaving, everyone must be prepared with a properly equipped emergency drug kit. This course will emphasize patient safety and educate you on the seven essential drugs you must be familiar with to manage any medical emergency and start the chain of survival in your office.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize the most common medical emergencies in the dental office
- Know how to use the essential drugs recommend for the minimal dental emergency kit

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L350, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



Kristina Perschbacher, DDS, MSc,
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream

Susanne Perschbacher, DDS, MSc
Mississauga, Ontario, Canada

Assistant Professor, Teaching Stream

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Diagnostic Detectives: Catching Common Culprits & Spotting a Mimic in Oral Pathology and Radiology

Improve your oral pathology detective skills. Through case presentations and real-life examples, this lecture will review the clinical and radiologic features of common sources of diagnostic uncertainty in contrast to the key characteristics of rarer diseases that may mimic them. In addition, situations will be highlighted when clues from the patient's history are key to making the diagnosis. Cases when further investigation is needed will be highlighted. Participants will feel more prepared to catch common culprits and spot a mimic when faced with abnormalities.

After this course, you will be able to:

- "Profile" a patient for risk factors
- "Interrogate" a lesion for key features that distinguish various pathologies of the jaws

RESTORATIVE/TECHNOLOGY

L351, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



John Flucke, DDS,
Overland Park, KS
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Technologies to Change Your Practice – Now

For many years, the speaker has evaluated new concepts to find the latest and greatest products and devices... so you don't have to. He will help you push your office to be on the leading edge and will show why and how high-tech can make practicing easier, less stressful, more profitable and improve patient outcomes. Learn about many technologies and strategies that can improve your efficiency and patient care. This exciting course includes highly important topics, such as artificial intelligence, digital impressions, lasers, caries detection and many others. This fun and fast-paced course will give you tons of info no matter where you are on the "techno-curve" in an entertaining format.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand dental AI and other technologies

SATURDAY

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L352, 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.



**Kelli Vrla, BBA, BA,
CSP, Plano, TX
Founder, Engage
YOUNiversity**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Getting Your People to Own Their Jobs: Lead & Coach Your Team to its Highest Potential

This course is for dental professionals who seek to empower their staff and foster a self-sufficient culture within their practice. It is packed full of practical strategies to help your teams tackle more tasks independently, encourage problem-solving and instill a sense of ownership to proactively address challenges. Inspire your people to identify opportunities to boost service delivery, cut expenses and anticipate issues, allowing you to dedicate more time to business growth. By embracing these principles, you can strengthen your business and achieve sustainable results.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Develop strategies to foster a sense of ownership and independence among dental team members
- Discover ways to encourage proactive thinking and initiative within the team

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

LS353, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



**Susan Gunn, CFE,
Arlington, TX
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Top Three Financial Practice Nightmares: What Should Keep You Awake at Night

These are nightmares that will spook any doctor owner...and have. Not horrifying: there are simple, logical systems to implement and oversee in your practice. Take the time now and reap the benefits later. We will review these eerie scenarios: 1) Bloodcurdling accounts payable cloud-based software shortfalls (aka tips), 2) Hair-raising practice software organizational shortfalls (aka tips), 3) What could alarm you to the embezzler in your practice? Susan's knowledge is poured out to help you prevent these chilling nightmares from haunting you.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Know how to create back-to-back accountability
- Know which reports are helpful tools

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PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

LS354, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Brad Newman,
Manhattan Beach, CA
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Best Dental Marketing Ideas for 2024: How to Increase Your New Patient Numbers

In today's world, simply posting on social channels is no longer enough. Dental practices need to find innovative ways to reach new patients and increase awareness. Leading offices are realizing the value in empowering team members to create and share authentic stories across social networks. These can be from dental assistants, hygienists, front desk personnel and others. By empowering team members, offices can increase social activity and engagement, improve share of voice and drive more web traffic. We'll explore epic ideas for 2024!

After this course, you will be able to:

- Film engaging content daily
- Identify which AI platforms to leverage for your dental marketing

AUXILIARY/IMPLANTS

LS355, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Sable Muntean,
DMD, MHSA,
Edwardsville, IL
Private practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Assisting 101: Dental Implants Edition

This course is designed for dental assistants and any other team members directly involved in implant care for patients. We will discuss everything from what an implant is, what to look for to contribute to the process of placing an implant, various options for patients, what different implant parts are for and more.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the basics of what an implant is, the procedure to place it, and your role through the process as a dental assistant.
- Learn the parts and pieces involved in the surgeries and restoration
- Learn what various implant treatment options exist and how to communicate with patients to help them understand their options

SATURDAY

RESTORATIVE/LAB COMMUNICATION

LS356, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Waji Khan, BSc, DDS, MBA, Kingston, Ontario, Canada Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Lab to Dentist Communication: How to Tame the CATS

It is a common misconception that failure is not a two-way street. Denial is not just a river in Egypt. Assume, well, we all know that one. This presentation is geared toward the entire dental treatment team. The end goal is happy outcomes for the patient — end point. The blame game is too late for the patient and, in a sense, is a failure of the entire team. Communication can help eliminate bad outcomes. This presentation is all about how this can be done well, efficiently and, most importantly, with outcomes in mind.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Describe 5 ways to improve your communication with the lab
- Identify 5 things the lab can do to make your life easier

WINDY CITY LECTURES

TMD

FS321WC, 8 – 9:30 a.m.



Antigone Vesci, DPT, Glenview, IL Owner, AV Performance Therapy

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Demystifying Temporomandibular Joint Dysfunction: How Physical Therapy ‘Clicks’ into the Puzzle

Clinical and scientific evidence supports that proper management of patients with TMJD should be multimodal and interdisciplinary. This presentation will provide a comprehensive overview of the physical therapy clinical examination, treatment and management of TMJD, such as what we do, how we do it, and how we can work together.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss potential pain mechanisms and their influence in treatment of TMJD
- Appreciate the role and various treatments of the physical therapist in the interdisciplinary management of TMJD

RESTORATIVE

FS322WC, 10 – 11:30 a.m.



Kami Hoss, DDS, San Diego, CA
CEO, The Super Dentists

Your Complete Guide to Oral Care Products: 10 Mouthrageous Myths Debunked

Feeling confused about how to choose the right, safe and effective oral care products for your patients based on their age and risk factors? In this course we will review oral health/overall health connections; the oral microbiome and the role of the billions of microbes that call your mouth home; the critical role of primary dentition in growth and development; periodontal disease and system health connections; pros and cons of fluoride vs. hydroxyapatite; and the role of antibiotics, prebiotics and probiotics in oral care.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify risk factors for cavities
- List of safe and effective ingredients (and ones to avoid) in products

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 250**Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

FS357WC, 12:30 – 2 p.m.



Shawn Peers, MBA, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada
Consultant

Think Like a Dental CEO: Empowering Private Practice the CEO Way

With practice ownership declining and associates remaining with DSOs for as little as 18 months, how does one find their “sweet spot” in dentistry? The answer lies in thinking like a dental CEO. Learn how developing a CEO mindset will help you develop leadership skills you never knew you had. Improve your time management skills so you have the time to be the CEO and delegate tasks effectively and in a way that enables you to hold your team accountable. Not only will it put you in control of your practice, it will put you in control of your life.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Take control of your practice by becoming a dental CEO
- Be more adaptable and strategic

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

ORTHODONTICS

FS358WC, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Estee Wang, DMD, Maplewood, MN
Private Practice

Orthodontic Effects on Craniofacial Growth and OSA

This course will describe the current understanding and scientific evidence of the effect of orthodontic treatment techniques on the growth and development of craniofacial structures and its effect on obstructive sleep apnea (OSA) and other sleep-disordered breathing entities. This course will also review how to screen for and recognize sleep-disordered breathing to make appropriate and effective referrals to other medical and dental specialties.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the effects and limits of orthodontic treatment in the treatment of sleep-disordered breathing
- Effectively screen patients for signs of OSA and make effective referrals

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 370**Topic: Orthodontics****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

AFTERNOON LECTURES

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L359, 1 – 4 p.m.



Debra Engelhardt-Nash, Charlotte, NC
Dental Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Treatment Presentation Skills - It Takes a Team: Increasing Acceptance and Improving Collections

It's one thing to have the knowledge, skills and technology to provide exceptional clinical care for your patients. However, gaining their acceptance for your care requires another set of skills. This program will focus on increasing treatment acceptance with new and existing patients, covering important topics such as discovering how to discuss the role insurance plays in their care and how to present treatment plans with ease and confidence. Learn the role of each team member in presenting treatment plans and treatment fees.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Introduce office standards and treatment fees in the proper environment
- Learn how to create the right atmosphere and environment for treatment and fee discussions

PERIODONTICS

FL360, 1 – 4 p.m.



Peter Cabrera, DDS, Chicago, IL
Private Practice

Bahareh Sabzehei, DDS, MS, Chicago, IL

Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 490

Topic: Periodontics

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Dynamic Duo: The Doctor-Hygienist Team

The close daily interaction between the dentist and hygienist is unique in health care. This lecture is a valuable opportunity for the doctor and hygienist to learn together. The material will be presented at a graduate level with relevant material for all team members. Our emphasis will be on optimizing the role of the hygienist as an educator, diagnostician and clinician. We will discuss current clinical topics, including three-dimensional imaging, peri-implant problems, orthodontic retention in periodontal health, blood pressure medications and the periodontium. This is a clinical presentation with practical information for immediate execution.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Work together with a common set of principles
- Optimize the role of the hygienist in the practice

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L361, 1 – 4 p.m.



Mark Kleive, DDS,
Black Mountain, NC
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Essential Business Systems for Every Dental Practice

As the dental marketplace continues to evolve, the efficiency of our business systems has become more important to the success of our practices. The dentist and/or team members responsible for these business systems may or may not have formal training that enables them to make strategic decisions to ensure the success and growth of their practice. This course will give all participants a clear understanding of the business systems that make a difference and how to implement them in your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the Key Performance Indicators (KPI's) that increase practice profitability
- Understand the 3 components of efficiency that every practice can influence

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

L362, 1 – 4 p.m.



Kirk Behrendt,
Milwaukee, WI
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

The Best Practices to Motivate Your Team

Running a successful dental practice poses greater challenges than ever before. However, once you and your team unlock the secrets to growth, it becomes an enjoyable journey for everyone involved. Bring your team to this highly valuable lecture, where the speaker will reveal the seven essential secrets you need to know in order to build the practice you have always wanted. This course will explore the 5 Pillars of Profit and how they apply to every practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discover the single most important thing you will do as a dentist and learn how to put the right people in the right seats
- Consistently motivate your team the easy way, while simultaneously discovering how you and your team can work fewer hours and achieve higher productivity

TMD

L363, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Dania Tamimi, BDS,
DMSc, FRCPS
(Glasg), Orlando, FL
Private Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730

Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis, Oral Pathology

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Understanding the TMJ: A Radiographic Exploration

The temporomandibular joint is one of the most complex joints in the body, affecting multiple structures in the craniofacial complex, the function of the jaws, and can affect the success of dental treatment. This course will provide a comprehensive review of the TMJ's anatomy, visualized on CBCT volumes. We will also review the growth and development of the TMJ and how its dysfunction can change the morphology of the oral and maxillofacial complex, including the airway and the occlusion, and how to diagnose some of these dysfunctions using CBCT.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the internal derangement/degenerative joint disease continuum and its effect on appearance of the face and occlusion
- Detect the clinical signs of TMD in the face, jaws and occlusion

OSHA

L364, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Jackie Dorst, RDH,
Fernandina Beach, FL
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 130

Topic: Electives

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

OSHA Safety for the Dental Team

It's time to revisit OSHA safety basics for dental practices and review the "8 Steps for Safety." After three pandemic years of confusing guidance and changing safety standards, some OSHA basic safety training and recordkeeping may have fallen through the cracks in your practice. The speaker's comprehensive OSHA training reviews the basics and also clarifies the recent OSHA changes to the Bloodborne Pathogens Standard, Hazard Communication Standard, General Safety and Emergency Preparedness and Respiratory Protection Standard. With her "8 Steps for Safety," Jackie will provide the dental team with a solid understanding of all the OSHA standards.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify OSHA and NIOSH eyewear safety standards
- List the top 5 OSHA dental office violations

AUXILIARY

FL365, 1 – 4 p.m.



**Tija Hunter,
East Alton, IL
Consultant**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 250

Topic: Operative (Restorative) Dentistry

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Dental Assistant Marketplace: Products Every DA Needs to Know

So many products are on the market today! Which is the best for your practice? Let's explore some new and good old go-to products and discuss why they're the best for your practice. We have samples and give-aways so you can take them home to try.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Differentiate different products and their uses
- Explore new products on the market today

Educational funding provided by the Illinois Dental Assistants Association



DIGITAL DENTISTRY

L366, 1 – 4 p.m.



Jonathan Ng, DDS,
Vancouver, British
Columbia, Canada
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 610**Topic: Fixed Prosthodontics****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Digital Dentistry for Today's Practice: 3D Printing, Virtual Planning, Digital Dentistry

Current technology improves clinical success and enhances a patient's experience. Starting with the dental impression as the crucial first step, digital information opens the door to 3D digital planning, which not only makes what we do more efficient but makes us better. This session will show just how simple, but critical, digital dentistry is as an essential component to the modern practice. Various aspects of the technology that is available to you today, such as 3D printing and virtual modeling, has quickly become vital to helping you be your best. In all, digital technology cannot be ignored. It is in every aspect of what we do and makes us better at how we do it.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Understand the current trends in digital dentistry, such as 3D printing

ORAL PATHOLOGY

L367, 1 – 4 p.m.



Ashleigh Briody,
DDS, Westerville, OH
**Oral and Maxillofacial
Pathologist, Private
Practice**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 730**Topic: Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis,
Oral Pathology****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Understanding and Managing Common Lesions of the Oral Mucosa

In this course, we will delve into the world of common lesions that affect the oral mucosa, including ulcers, lumps and bumps, precancerous lesions (briefly, as this is covered in the morning session), autoimmune disease, and other types of cancer in the mouth (that may mimic benign bumps). We will also discuss how oral lesions are managed, how to distinguish similar entities and review a few interesting cases. By the end of the course, you will gain valuable insights and practical skills in recognizing and managing common oral mucosal lesions.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Distinguish bumps that require biopsy vs. no treatment
- Confidently refer patients to the appropriate physician

IMPLANTS

FL368, 1 – 4 p.m.



Todd Schoenbaum,
DDS, MS, North
Augusta, SC
**Professor, The Dental
College of Georgia**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Prosthetic Implant Complications: Causes, Prevention and Management

This presentation will address the most common prosthetic implant complications in partially edentulous treatments, including loose, stripped, and broken screws, progression of open contacts and short anterior crowns, "screwmentable" complications, cement-induced peri-implantitis and more. Each complication topic will cover frequency of occurrence, common causes, and strategies for prevention and management.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Use protocols and techniques to reduce the incidence of prosthetic implant complications
- Manage prosthetic and restorative complications in a practical manner

PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

FL369, 1 – 4 p.m.



Ryan Vet, MBA,
Durham, NC
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Cracking the Millennial Code

The largest generational cohort of all time to descend upon the USA is the Millennial generation. Reality check: Millennials are your rising patient population, the talent pool for your team, and, who knows, the next POTUS. In this conversation, we will explore the truths and fictions about Millennials and how you can set up your dental practice for ultimate success despite the mysteries surrounding Millennials. This course is a blast for people from all generations, Millennials included.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Gain practical insights into creating a practice that successfully connects with Millennials in promoting ideal oral hygiene
- Manage and market to your feature team and patients

SPECIAL NEEDS

FL370, 1 – 4 p.m.



Maureen Perry, DDS,
Scottsdale, AZ
Professor/Director,
Center for Advanced Oral Health, A.T. Still University, Arizona School of Dentistry & Oral Health

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

AGD Subject Code: 750

Topic: Special Patient Care

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Special Care Dentistry: The Secret Practice Builder

This seminar is designed for compassionate healthcare providers who are passionate about this population and want to increase their foundational knowledge. The complicated medical, psychosocial, and financial situations of many patients with special needs necessitate that today's practitioners be able to ask the right questions and communicate with case managers, primary health care providers, and family members. A step-by-step guide to growing your practice by adding patients with special needs will be discussed, along with some "real-world" tips for making it happen in your practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- List the steps necessary to integrate patients with special needs into your practice
- Use some basic strategies for treating patients with disabilities

ABUSE

L371, 1 – 4 p.m.



Amber Riley, MS,
RDH, San Diego, CA
Registered Dental Hygienist

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 130

Topic: Electives

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Hidden in View: The Evidence of Harm, Violence & Trafficking

The goal of this program is to educate attendees on the mechanisms and appearances of injuries in children and adults. The focus will be on the common modalities of injuries, including non-intentional, intentional, patterned and mimickers of injury. Lessons will be shared from the viewpoints of dentistry, pathology and law enforcement with the mutual objective of achieving the earliest possible intervention and interruption of harm to our patients, friends and families.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize and differentiate among accidental, incidental and intentional injuries.
- Learn about less visually obvious indications of violence and abuse
- Use the guidance and resources on mandatory reporting, when necessary, as a healthcare professional

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

L372, 1 – 4 p.m.



Charles Loretto,
Frisco, TX
**Partner, Cain Watters
and Associates**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for Doctors

Financial Decisions Dentists Must Get Right: Flipping Uncertainty into Security

The volatility and confusion surrounding the last few years has impacted every business, including dental practices. This content-rich course offers an opportunity to flip today's uncertainty into a roadmap for future financial security. Taking the lessons learned from new tax legislation, staffing constraints, inflation and market volatility, doctors can be prepared for whatever the upcoming year holds. Additionally, this course will feature a crash course on how private equity works and when to consider it.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn proven formulas to bring in associates, improve cash flow and get ahead on pension and retirement planning
- Identify the short- and long-term benefits of various savings environments

HEALTH, NUTRITION & WELLNESS

L373, 1 – 4 p.m.



Caroline Arceo, DMD, Paso Robles, CA
Private Practice

Barry Taylor, DMD, Portland, OR
Executive Director, Oregon Dental Association

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 150**Topic: Health and Nutrition****3.00 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Mental Health, Wellness and Suicide Prevention

A 2015 American Dental Association well-being survey revealed that over one in five dentists reported moderate depression. In 2022, the ADA also reported that 87% of dentists under the age of 35 reported anxiety and 55% reported depression. Stress and burnout are issues in dentistry. Complicating matters, as reported in the 2015 ADA Wellness Survey, dentists also frequently believe that they don't need help. This course will address the mental wellness of members of the dental community and provide solutions for maintaining overall mental health and well-being.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Identify the risks to mental well-being in the healthcare profession
- Identify and communicate with colleagues who are at high risk for suicide and develop new skills to gain resilience

SATURDAY

OCCUSION

L374, 1 – 4 p.m.



Michael Melkers,
DDS, Hanover, NH
Clinician, Educator

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 180

Topic: Occlusion

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Occlusion & Case Planning in Everyday Practice

As a profession, we have a history of pursuing, refining and improving our technical skills in occlusion and restorative dentistry. In our quest for excellence, we have felt that if we only knew more, had more technical skills — owned more articulators! — patients would say yes to treatment. Unfortunately, that has not been the case for many. In this program, the speaker will introduce and incorporate “The Why” into “The What” and “The How” of our everyday practices and the missing connection in occlusion and case planning.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Appreciate purpose vs. process treatment planning as it applies to outcome-based occlusion and case planning
- Understand the benefits of a patient-centered, doctor-facilitated approach to case planning and acceptance

ANESTHESIA AND PAIN MANAGEMENT

L375, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.



Mitchell Gardiner,
DMD, Shrewsbury, NJ
Private Practice

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$90, Jan/Feb: \$130

AGD Subject Code: 340

Topic: Anesthesia and Pain Management**

3.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors, Hygienists

The Periodontal Ligament Injection - The How and Why: Say Goodbye to the Mandibular Block

Learn how to give a periodontal ligament injection for most mandibular restorative care and take the inferior alveolar nerve block out of the equation on a daily basis. This technique has the potential to transform dental practices that rely on the mandibular block for anesthesia. It will revolutionize how you approach restorative dentistry. You will gain all the necessary basics to immediately implement a different type of anesthesia in your practice. You will also learn why the periodontal ligament injection is safer for your patients with no risk of injuring facial nerves that are at risk with an inferior alveolar nerve block.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn how to give an effective periodontal ligament injection
- Change how you practice dentistry

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

LS376, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Teresa Duncan, MS,
Centreville, VA
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550

Topic: Practice Management and Human Relations

1.50 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Revenue Cycle Management for Leaders

Today's practice leader doesn't just manage collections. Cash flow, payment organization and forecasting are all key components of revenue cycle management (RCM). This class will explain why we need to think past sending statements, filing claims and making collections calls so that we can stay cash flush and prepared for any challenges. We'll also discuss how to explain the importance of RCM to your team members so they can support you in your efforts.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Integrate best practices for your insurance and collections processes
- Set goals to increase cash and insurance revenue

PERIODONTICS

LS377, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Pamela Maragliano-Muniz, DMD,
Salem, MA
**Prosthodontist Chief
Editor, Dental
Economics**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 490**Topic: Periodontics****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

A Modern Biologic Approach to Preventative Dentistry

Traditional scaling and polishing is sufficient to remove local deposits. It does not address biofilm, motivate patients and is not profitable. Moreover, traditional methods can damage and reduce the lifespan of dental restorations. Oral biofilm has been implicated in numerous systemic conditions. Dental professionals have a unique opportunity to interrupt the oral-systemic inflammatory process. This lecture will describe modern dental hygiene practices, implementation and the clinical and financial benefits to the practice.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Learn the concepts of Guided Biofilm Therapy (GBT)
- Learn how GBT benefits patients, the RDH and the practice

PERIODONTICS

LS378, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Edith Gibson,
Edmond, OK
**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 690**Topic: Implants****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

Hybrid Full-Arch Maintenance: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly

Contrary to what we may think, patients do not want implants; they want teeth. The hybrid restoration solution has emerged as an aesthetic leader in full arch replacement. As the number of cases increases, it is essential to communicate the ideal dental care following implant placement and restoration. A comprehensive understanding of signs, symptoms and etiology of peri-implant complications along with the most current, evidence-based maintenance protocols will be discussed.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Apply assessment protocols for peri-implant diseases
- Understand and apply instrumentation and maintenance procedures for optimal patient care

**FINANCIAL
MANAGEMENT/WOMEN**

LS379, 2:30 – 4 p.m.



Ted Buckley,
Lake in the Hills, IL
Financial Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$50, Jan/Feb: \$70

AGD Subject Code: 550**Topic: Practice Management
and Human Relations****1.50 CE HOURS**

Recommended for All

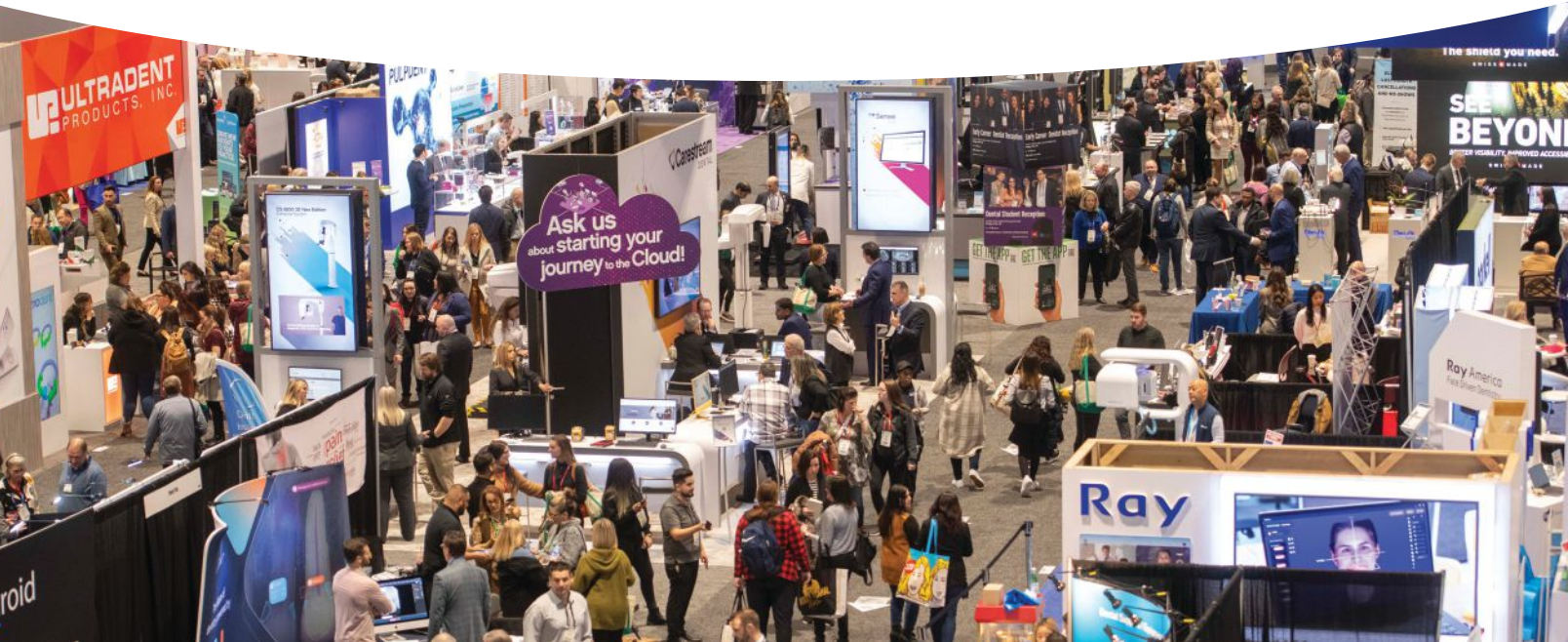
Optimizing Financial Goals: Financial Challenges & Opportunities for Women

This course is designed for married, divorced, widowed or single women. Women face unique challenges: 1) Women are expected to have an average life span of 81 years vs. men who are only expected to live until 76. 2) Women today are making 84% of what a man makes. 3) 21% of men are not offered retirement benefits, 30% of women are not offered these same benefits. 4) Women oftentimes take on the role of caregiver for their elderly parents. 5) The average age of a woman to become a widow is 59. The speaker will give many real-world strategies to help you hit your financial goals.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Develop tangible ideas to achieve your financial goals

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CORPORATE LEARNING THEATER

DIGITAL DENTISTRY

CLT12, Thursday: 12 - 1 p.m.



Samuel Wainwright,
New York, NY
**Head of Research &
Development, Dandy**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

0.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

The Dental Lab, Digitally Transformed: Dandy's New Approach to Quality and Communication

Is the quality of your lab work being compromised by old techniques? Step inside Dandy's flagship lab to see how we are helping dentists get the most out of digital dentistry. This immersive session will detail how Dandy's lab — the only 100% digital dental lab — uses the latest technology and data-driven methodologies to elevate quality, speed communication for dentists across the country.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Recognize how updated lab technology and communication methods lead to elevated quality and partnership between dentist and lab
- Understand the inner workings of the dental lab so that you can make an educated decision when choosing a lab partner

Educational funding provided by Dandy



TEETH WHITENING

CLT11, Thursday: 12 - 1 p.m.



Marti Santizo, MBA,
Taylorsville, UT
**Registered Dental
Hygienist**

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

0.00 CE HOURS

Using New Whitening Technologies

In an "instant-gratification" marketplace, new whitening technologies that deliver fast, pain-free and effective results are key. Delivering an easy-to-achieve, whiter, more youthful smile with virtually no sensitivity will make you a hero to your patients. This program discusses the mechanism of action of hydrogen peroxide with an enhanced delivery method and the synergistic effects of a shorter wavelength LED device.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Discuss the mechanism of action of tooth-whitening technology, including enhanced peroxide delivery and shorter wavelength LED device
- Practice communication skills to discuss whitening for greater patient acceptance

Educational funding provided by Colgate Oral Pharmaceuticals



PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

CLT20, Friday: 10 - 11 a.m.



Dan McNeff, BS,
Orem, UT
CEO, Legally Mine

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

0.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for Doctors

Proper Use of Legal Entities for Lawsuit Protection & Tax Reduction

Legally Mine educates and equips dental professionals to guard against potential legal liabilities. Often, these liabilities are predicated solely on the accuser's word against that of the dental professional. Even unsubstantiated or frivolous claims can have profound consequences on the healthcare professional's emotional well-being, personal life, reputation and professional standing. This course is designed to help you protect yourself.

After this course, you will be able to:

- Maintain the focus of your dental practice on improved patient care rather than malpractice defense
- Know the proper use of trust, partnership and LLCs among other entities

Educational funding provided by Legally Mine



PRACTICE MANAGEMENT

CLT23, Friday: 10 - 11 a.m.



Len Tau, DDS,
Parkland, FL
Consultant

LECTURE

Nov/Dec: \$0, Jan/Feb: \$0

0.00 CE HOURS

Recommended for All

Raving Patients: Get Visible, Get Credit, Get More New Patients

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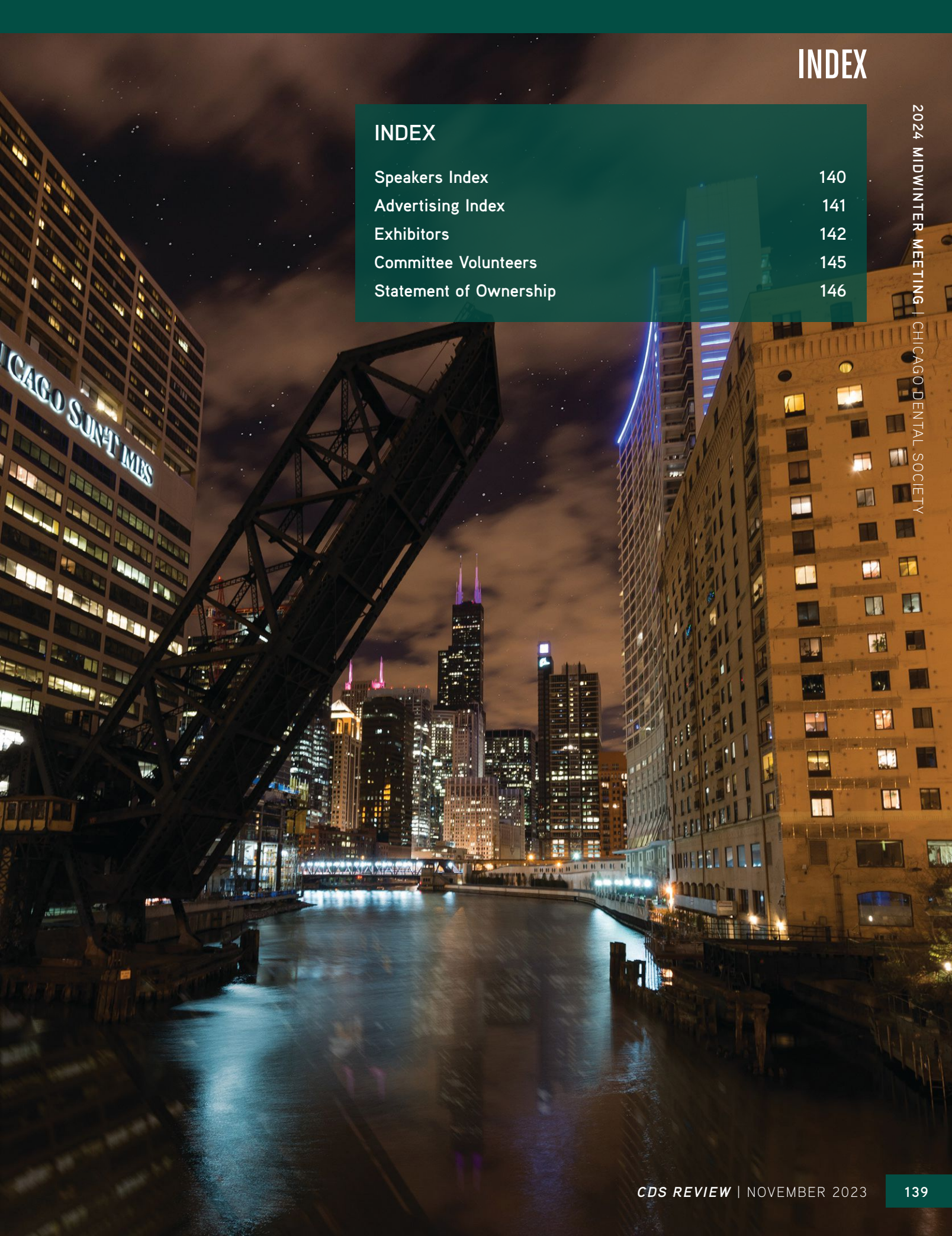
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AMERICAN COLLEGE OF DENTISTS/INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF DENTISTS, DISTRICT 8/ILLINOIS SECTION OF/PIERRE FAUCHARD ACADEMY

Luncheon

Saturday, Feb. 24, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Hyatt McCormick Regency Ballroom C

Dr. Mary Starsiak
773-545-0057
drmstarsiak@yahoo.com

AMERICAN EQUILIBRATION SOCIETY

AES Annual Scientific Meeting

Wednesday – Thursday, Feb. 21 – 22

Chicago Marriott Downtown Magnificent Mile
540 N. Michigan Ave.

AMERICAN PROSTHODONTIC SOCIETY

Meeting

Thursday – Saturday, Feb. 22 – 24

Swissôtel Chicago
323 E. Wacker Dr.

CAL-LAB

Meeting (members only)

Thursday – Friday, Feb. 22 – 23

Westin Michigan Avenue
909 N. Michigan Ave.

CONFERENCE OF DENTAL MEETING PLANNERS

Meeting

Thursday, Feb. 22, 1 – 4:30 p.m.

McCormick Place West
Room W177

FRIENDS OF BILL WILSON

Meeting

Friday, Feb. 23, 5 – 6 p.m.

McCormick Place West Building (W177)

William B. Hamel III, DDS
312-318-8810
hmlshepard@gmail.com

ILLINOIS STATE DENTAL SOCIETY

ISDS Dent-IL-PAC Directors

Friday, Feb. 23, 8:30 – 10 a.m.

Hyatt Regency McCormick Place
Regency Ballroom A

ISDS Government Affairs

Friday, Feb. 23, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Hyatt Regency McCormick Place
Regency Ballroom C

ISDS New Dentists Meeting

Saturday, Feb. 24, 1 – 4 p.m.

Hyatt Regency McCormick Place
Regency Ballroom D

Mattea Tavernor
217-525-1406
mtavernor@isds.org

LMT LAB DAY CHICAGO 2024

Meeting

Thursday – Saturday, Feb. 22 – 24

Exhibits: Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Seminars: Thursday-Friday, 8 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.; Saturday,
8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Hyatt Regency Chicago
151 E. Wacker Drive

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY

Marquette Dental Alumni Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 5 – 7 p.m.

Renaissance Chicago Downtown Hotel – Explore Room
1 W. Upper Wacker Drive

Carol Trecek
Carol.trecek@marquette.edu
414-288-3093

MIDWESTERN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF DENTAL MEDICINE

Alumni & Friends Reception

Thursday, Feb. 22, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Location: TBD

Michael Gorsline
mgorsl@midwestern.edu
630-515-6321

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY DENTAL SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Alumni Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 5:30 – 9 p.m.

Maggianos Little Italy (Wine Cellar)
516 N. Clark St.
Chicago, IL 60654

Adrian Codel, DDS
312-217-9630
nuds@alumni.northwestern.edu

ASSOCIATED EVENTS

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

Alumni Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 5 – 7 p.m.

Marriott Marquis
2121 Prairie Ave., Chicago

Laura Scanlon
Scanlon.128@osu.edu
614-247-4816

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF DENTAL MEDICINE

Alumni Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 6 – 8 p.m.

Intercontinental Hotel Chicago
505 N. Michigan Ave.

Stephen Schaus
sschas@siue.edu
618-474-7271

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CHICAGO COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

Illinois Pre-Dental Conference

Friday, Feb. 23, 12 – 3 p.m.

Location: Hall F

UIC Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 5 – 7 p.m.

Location: TBD

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY

Alumni and Friends Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

The Blackstone, Autograph Collection, Historic Art Hall and English Room,
636 S. Michigan Avenue, lobby Entrance

Jack Rossi
319-335-9268
Jack-rossi@uiowa.edu

WISCONSIN ATTENDEE WELCOME

Breakfast

Friday, Feb. 23, 7:30 – 9 a.m.

McCormick Place West Building, Level 3
Pre-function space across from W375C

XI PSI PHI INTERNATIONAL DENTAL FRATERNITY

Hospitality Reception

Friday, Feb. 23, 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.

Hyatt Regency Hotel
151 E. Wacker Drive

Dr. Keith Dickey
kdickey@siue.edu
618-307-5433



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MEETING PLACE

NOVEMBER

7: Northwest Side Branch

Oral Cancer: Presented by Mark Lingen, DDS, PhD. At Coletti's, 5707 N. Central Ave., Chicago. Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.; Dinner: 7 p.m.; Program: 7 p.m. Contact Eliza Drobny, eliza.drobny@gmail.com or call 847.274.4133.

8: CDS Regional Meeting

Cornucopia of Clinical Conundrums in Endodontics: Presented by Robert Goldberg, DDS; Election of 2024 CDS Officers will also be held. At Drury Lane, 100 Drury Ln., Oakbrook Terrace. 8:30 a.m. – noon. On-site registration begins at 8 a.m. 3 CE hours. Information and registration at www.cds.org.

12: Chicago Dental Society

Installation of 2024 CDS Officers and Directors and Jubilarian Recognition. At Westin Chicago Northwest Hotel, 400 Park Blvd., Itasca. begins at 2 p.m. Reception to follow. Registration is required at www.cds.org.

14: Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Periodontics: The Puzzle of Perio: Presented by Yetta McCullom, DDS, MS. At Norman's Bistro, 1001 E. 43rd St., Chicago. Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.; Meeting, 7 p.m.; Program: 7:30 p.m. Contact Irsenia Norfleet, drnorfleet@yahoo.com, or call 773.263.1113.

14: North Side Branch

Out of the Box Mockup Techniques for Cosmetic Case Acceptance and Execution: Presented by Andi-Jean Miro, DDS. At the Dalcy, 302 N. Green St., Chicago. Board Meeting: 5 p.m.; Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. Contact Samantha Kufta, Samantha.KuftaDMD@gmail.com.

14: North Suburban Branch

Occlusion Confusion: Presented by M. Nader Sharifi, DDS, MS. At Exmoor Country Club, 700 Vine Ave., Highland Park. Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner and Announcements: 7 p.m.; Program: 8 p.m. Contact Ingrid Schroetter, ingridschroetter95@gmail.com.

14: South Suburban Branch

Implants: When to Place, Immediately Load and When to Temporize and How to Troubleshoot Along the Way: Presented by William Cusack, DDS. At Crystal Tree Country Club, 10700 W. 153rd St., Orland Park. Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. Contact Beth Ann Damas, bethann.dds@gmail.com, or call 630.697.1337.

14: Southwest Branch

Prevention of Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office. Presented by Matthew Hamedani, DDS, MD. At Francesca's on 95th Street, 6248 W. 95th St., Oak Lawn. Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. contact Samantha Synenberg, ssynenberg@gmail.com.

14: West Side Branch

Pediatric Pearls for the General Dentist: Presented by Victoria Ursitti, DMD. At 19th Century Charitable Association, 178 Forest Ave., Oak Park. Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. Contact Sharon Perlman, sjperlman@sbcglobal.net or call 312.307.8798.

14: West Suburban Branch

Let The Tooth Be Told: Tools and Pearls for Practice Success: Presented by Bill Simon, DDS. At Maggiano's Little Italy, 1847 Freedom Dr., Naperville. Branch Board Meeting: 5 p.m.; Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. Contact Dottie Mackie, damr1953@gmail.com, or 630.750.1409.

DECEMBER

5: Kenwood/Hyde Park Branch

Oral Surgery: Coronectomy/Risk of Nerve Injury: Presented by Bartlomiej Nierzwicki, DMD, MD, PhD, FACS. At Norman's Bistro, 1001 E. 43rd St., Chicago. Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.; Meeting, 7 p.m.; Program: 7:30 p.m. Contact Irsenia Norfleet, drnorfleet@yahoo.com, or call 773.263.1113.

5: Northwest Side Branch

Holiday Party: Spouses and staff invited. At Coletti's, 5707 N. Central Ave., Chicago. Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m. Contact Eliza Drobny, eliza.drobny@gmail.com or call 847.274.4133.

5: Northwest Suburban Branch

Interdisciplinary Orthodontic Treatment: Presented by Benjamin Belavsky, DDS, MS. Meridian Banquet & Conference Center, 1701 W. Algonquin Rd., Rolling Meadows. Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner: 7 p.m.; Program: 8 p.m. Contact Jason Guerrero, jason_guerrero@hotmail.com, or call 847.991.2680.

10: North Side Branch

Holiday Brunch. At Etta Bucktown, 1840 W. North Ave., Chicago. 1 – 4 p.m. Contact Samantha Kufta, Samantha.KuftaDMD@gmail.com.

12: North Suburban Branch

Periodontal Surgery to Enhance Restorative

Outcomes: Presented by Marmar Modarressi,

DDS, MS. At Exmoor Country Club,

700 Vine Ave., Highland Park.

Cocktails: 6 p.m.; Dinner and Announcements:

7 p.m.; Program: 8 p.m.

Contact Ingrid Schroetter,

ingridschroetter95@gmail.com.

12: West Side Branch

Head and Neck Exam Workshop: Presented by

Mohammed Qaisi, DMD, MD, FACS.

At 19th Century Charitable Association,

178 Forest Ave., Oak Park.

Cocktails: 6:30 p.m.; Dinner and Program: 7 p.m.

Contact Sharon Perlman,

sjperlman@sbcglobal.net or call 312.307.8798.

STUDY CLUBS

Central Lake County Dental Study Club

Meets the third Tuesday of every month at noon, January – November, Park Street Restaurant, 14 E. Park St., Mundelein. Contact Zayneb Bahrani, office@brilliantendo.com, 847.367.6654.

Chicago Aesthetic Masters, A Hornbrook Group Study Club

Meets monthly, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the office of Sheldon Seidman, 410 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1014, Chicago. Email smilechicago2@aol.com or call 312.644.4321 for specific dates.

Dental Arts Club of Chicago

Dinner meetings are held on the last Tuesday of each month, from October to May at Alpine Banquets, 11141 W. Roosevelt Rd., Westchester. Cocktails: 6 – 6:30 p.m.; Dinner: 7:15 – 9 p.m.; Educational speakers: 8 – 9 p.m. Email Don Kipper, mtk-dgk@sbcglobal.net.

Greater Evanston Dentists Association

Meets first Monday of every month, noon – 1 p.m., Gio Restaurant, 1631 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Contact MT Murphy, DMD, 847.869.9303.

Hellenic American Dental Society

The Hellenic American Dental Society holds several dinner CE seminars throughout the year. Visit www.hads.com for more info. Email info@hads.com.

Waukegan Dental Study Group

Semi-monthly meeting for lunch, from noon – 2 p.m., Waukegan Ramada Inn, 200 Green Bay Rd. Contact Robert Stanuch, 847.336.8080 or Ellis Neiburger, 847.244.0292.

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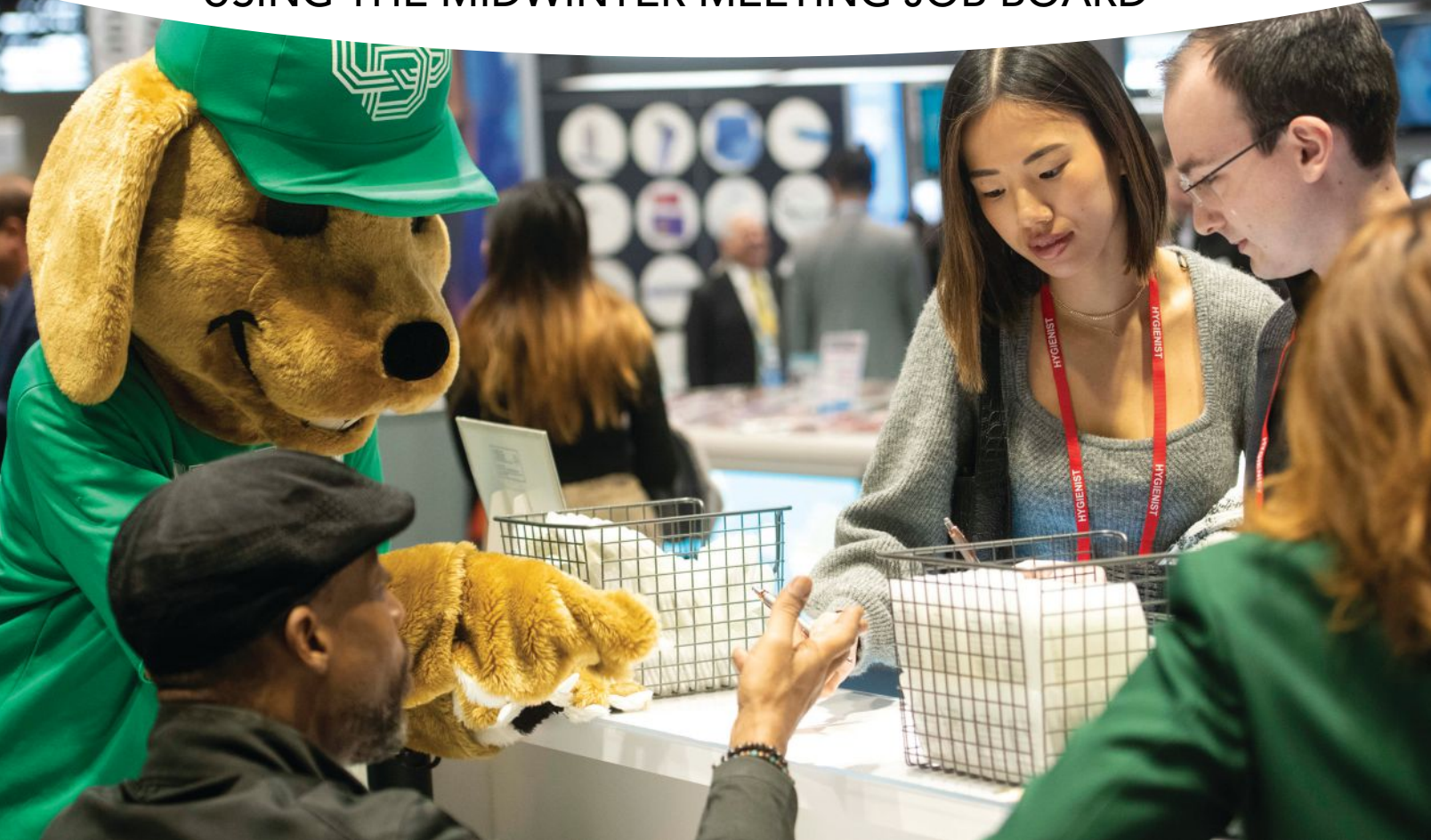
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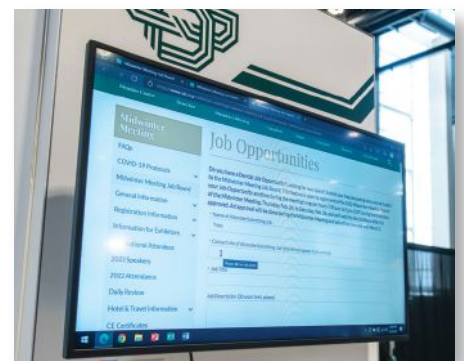
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- Dental Assistants
- Dental Hygienists
- Office Staff

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DEADLINES

January/February Dec. 1, 2023
March/April Jan. 26, 2024
May/June April 12, 2024
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December Oct. 12, 2024

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FULL-TIME ASSOCIATE GENERAL DENTIST, NORTH SHORE: We are seeking an ambitious, motivated associate to join our Skokie fee-for-service office. Immediate full-time opportunity available to a personable, skilled clinician. Guaranteed daily minimum. One year experience preferred. Please send resume to cchands@gmail.com.

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DENTIST: North Side-based group practice has position available for enthusiastic, personable individual who enjoys performing oral surgery. Excellent compensation. Multi-doctor office and large friendly staff. Please contact us at toothgroup.chicago@gmail.com.

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EXPERIENCED GENERAL DENTIST WANTED: Vibrant, busy office, high-production. looking for associate general dentist. Minimum three years experience, molar root canal treatment a must. Minimum collection average is \$900/day. Please email CV to qb@udclinics.com.

DENTISTS WANTED, 5 CHICAGO AREA OFFICES: Gain tons of real-world experience in a digital, chartless office. We love to mentor new dentists. Hit the ground running and improve your clinical/personal skills while earning \$200,000 to \$300,000 without waiting to build your own clientele. Treat all ages. Sign-on bonus and guaranteed daily rate. Malpractice insurance paid. Free CE. Partnership opportunities. No HMOs. One-page contract. Will consider part-time also. hiring@allstardentalclinic.com.

PEDODONTIST & GENERAL DENTIST - ADDISON: We are seeking a full-time/part-time motivated general dentist and pedodontist to join our busy, state-of-the-art, and fully digital office in Addison. Daily guarantee of \$800 to \$1,000. Apply at chicagodental12@gmail.com.

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FULL-TIME DENTIST WANTED FOR BUSY, modern northwest suburban office: Full-time dentist wanted for busy, modern office in the northwest suburbs. This fee-for-service/PPO office has an established patient base and team, and is looking for a second doctor to join the team. The office has modern technology and a CBCT. The position comes with a full array of benefits, and the opportunity for ownership in the future. toothdoc1209@gmail.com.

JEFFERSON PARK, PART-TIME DENTIST: Fee-for-service, PPO. No daily minimum guarantee. 35%. 40% for the patients you bring in. Buy-in possible. Polish, Russian, Ukrainian speaker a plus. nojomez@gmail.com.

GENERAL DENTIST, OAK LAWN: Associate needed part-time for busy high-tech office. Seeking an enthusiastic team player. Experienced staff, great environment. Applicant currently enrolled in PPO networks is beneficial. New graduates encouraged to apply. Submit resume to marshalldental9719@gmail.com.

ASSOCIATE IN LAKEVIEW: Associate wanted in Lakeview. Modern, state-of-the-art boutique East Lakeview privately owned general dental office seeking an associate four days per week including Saturdays. We have the latest technology including CBCT and iTero. PPO/fee-for-service. Averaging 100 new patients per month. High income potential. Excellent communication skills required with minimum two years of experience. Must be able to treatment plan thoroughly, explain treatment effectively, and work efficiently being double-booked. Email resume/CV to gretchicagodentalpractice@gmail.com.

DENTAL ASSOCIATES OF WISCONSIN, general dentists and specialists: Dental Associates of Wisconsin, general dentist and specialist opportunities. 15 locations. Competitive compensation. Benefits. Bonuses. Collaboration. Mentorship. CE. Contact kherman@dentalassociates.com.

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GENERAL DENTIST POSITION AVAILABLE: Part-time position available for a skilled and personable dentist in a multispecialty private practice (Naperville-Aurora) with a friendly staff to support you. Excellent compensation. dentalavailability@yahoo.com.

EXPERIENCED ORTHODONTIST WANTED: Busy orthodontic schedule, experienced staff, two days/week or four days/week available. Minimum of two years of experience. Compensation \$200/hour to \$250/hour. Please email CV to qb@udclinics.com.

PART-TIME EXPERIENCED, 10+ YEARS, general dentist: Wanted for Fridays and Saturdays 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at our established, modern, and busy dental practice in the southwest suburb of Shorewood. Could lead to ownership. Please email resume to ginaebruck@yahoo.com.

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PEDIATRIC DENTIST OR GENERAL DENTIST for pediatric office: Bensenville office is looking for pediatric dentist or general dentist comfortable working with pediatric patients. Must be comfortable with pulpomies, stainless steel crowns, space maintainers and nitrous. Daily guarantee of \$800 to \$1,000 or 35% to 40% of production. Please email resume to management@grandsmiles.org.

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