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# Polish Your Perspective:

## You're Invited to the 2025 Florida Dental Convention (FDC)



On behalf of the Florida Dental Association (FDA) and the dynamic Committee on Conventions and Continuing Education, we are thrilled to invite you and your team to the **2025 Florida Dental Convention (FDC)** — “Polish Your Perspective!” Prepare yourself for an unforgettable, life-changing experience at the recently updated Gaylord Palms Resort and Convention Center!

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- Welcome Cocktail Reception** to mingle with vendors, the high-energy **Dueling Pianos** party, the **Big Easy Bash** featuring New Orleans-themed fare, and **The After Party** to keep the fun going all night.
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**Dr. Becky Warnken**  
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**Dr. Ericka Lowe**  
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\* Open to dental professionals and their guests only. Vendors must purchase a booth or register as the appropriate registration.



### EXHIBIT HALL HOURS

Thursday, June 19 | 11 AM-6 PM

Friday, June 20 | 8:45 AM-6 PM

Saturday, June 21 | 9 AM-2 PM

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### QUESTIONS?

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CE HIGHLIGHT

# LASER DENTISTRY FROM A-Z: A TWO-DAY MINI-RESIDENCY (MR01)

**Thursday, June 19-Friday, June 20**  
**9 AM-5 PM, Both Days | CE Credits: 14**  
**Audience: Dentists**

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$649	\$849	\$999
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Has the excitement surrounding the introduction of lasers in dentistry been more smoke than substance? Since 1990, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved the use of twelve different wavelengths for dental use. These different wavelengths create a world of difference in how the lasers operate and their usefulness in the oral cavity.

The use of lasers for specific procedures found in everyday general practice will be highlighted during this two-day mini-residency. The first day will cover laser use in periodontal therapy, implantology, prosthetics, oral medicine, pediatric dentistry, endodontics, orthodontics, cosmetic dentistry, and practice management. On the second day, participants will get hands-on experience with different wavelengths, performing surgical procedures on pig jaw models, accompanied by real-time videos and discussions on laser techniques and settings. Procedures will include gingivectomy, biopsy, frenectomy, crown lengthening, periodontal therapy, aphthous ulcer treatment, flap procedures, and more.



**DR. ROBERT CONVISSAR** earned his dental degree from the New York University College of Dentistry. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Laser Surgery, a fellow of the American Society of

Laser Medicine and Surgery and the Academy of General Dentistry, and a master of the Academy of Laser Dentistry. He is the director of laser dentistry at New York Presbyterian Hospital of Queens and maintains a private practice in New York, NY.

**Attendance is limited to 30.**

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# COURSE/EVENT SCHEDULE

## THURSDAY, JUNE 19

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W02	8:00 AM	11:00 AM	Clark, D.	Modern, Monolithic, Injection-Molded Composite Dentistry: Concepts, Materials, Instruments and Techniques Workshop	9
C02	8:00 AM	11:00 AM	Delgado	Digital Dentistry Duo: How Dentists and Assistants Can Incorporate Technology for a Successful Practice	10
C03	8:00 AM	11:00 AM	Duplantis	Stimulating the Visual Cortex: Incorporating Visual Aids to Increase Diagnosis and Case Acceptance	11
C04	8:00 AM	11:00 AM	Grobmyer	Top Coding and Documentation Strategies: Maximize Your Insurance Reimbursement	11
W03	8:00 AM	11:00 AM	Kleive	Bite Splints in Restorative Practice Workshop	13
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**NETWORKING & EXHIBIT HALL EVENTS**

START	END	EVENT
11:00 AM	6:00 PM	Exhibit Hall Open to Attendees
1:00 PM	4:00 PM	17th ADA Delegation Organizational Meeting
3:00 PM	5:00 PM	Puppy Break Sponsored by SGA Dental
4:00 PM	6:00 PM	Welcome Cocktail Reception in the Exhibit Hall
7:00 PM	8:00 PM	LEAD Reception (Invitation Only)
8:00 PM	11:00 PM	Dueling Pianos Party

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# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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## BARBOZA, DR. ELIANE

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### ALVEOLAR RIDGE PRESERVATION USING BONE GRAFT AND MEMBRANE WORKSHOP | W08

2-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$499	\$599	\$699
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$599	\$699	\$799

The first hour of this workshop is designed to give dental professionals a comprehensive understanding of the guided bone regeneration (GBR) principle, along with the rationale, techniques and biomaterials used for Alveolar Ridge Preservation (ARP) in preparation for future implant placement. The lecture portion of the course will be based on the most current scientific literature. During the hands-on portion of this workshop, participants will learn the step-by-step procedure of ARP. It will focus on the technique of the pocket flap, the use of bone graft and membrane placement and the suturing techniques. Attendance is limited to 30.

Participant Requirements: Loupes

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## BLANCHARD, DR. ERIENNE

### SCREENING AND TREATING FOR TMD AND HEADACHE WORKSHOP: PHYSICAL THERAPY AND DENTISTRY COLLABORATION | W01

8-11 AM | TEMPOROMANDIBULAR JOINT DISORDERS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$199	\$249	\$299
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$249	\$299	\$349
DENTAL STUDENT	\$199	\$249	\$299

Dentistry is continually faced with facial pain, jaw pain, headaches and tension/grinding. Physical therapists trained in craniofacial and orofacial care are focused on restoring the balance of the upper cervical spine and the alignment of the TMJ, assisting with muscle pain reduction, and reducing neurological pain in the face. Physical therapy can assist the dental practitioner in reducing pain, improving bite and alignment and reducing parafunctional activities. The dentist can add a physical therapist to their referral group to best care for their patients, improve compliance with appliance usage and improve their sleep quality. In this workshop, Dr. Blanchard will discuss craniofacial and orofacial physical therapy, chairside examinations, and screening for the cervical spine, TMJ and headaches. Dr. Blanchard will also teach attendees how to become more familiar with the diagnostic criteria for TMD as it relates to physical therapy. Participants will perform palpation and range of motion for the cervical and oral musculature and joints, as well as screening tools for TMJ and headaches that can be used immediately in their offices. This workshop will assist the dental professional in their referrals and treatment plans as it relates to TMD and headaches. Attendance is limited to 30.

## BLOCK, DR. ERIC

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### GAME CHANGERS: CLINICAL TECHNIQUES AND WORKFLOWS TO BECOME MORE EFFICIENT AND LESS STRESSED | C09

8:45-10:45 AM | DENTAL MATERIALS | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Reduce stress and avoid burnout with game-changer products and clinical techniques. A 20-year seasoned dentist will give advice to and teach attendees ways to become less stressed, more efficient and more productive using dental tools and technologies that will give a great patient experience. The clinical techniques you will learn in this lecture to prevent burnout can be used in anyone's practice on Monday morning.

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## BLOCK, DR. ERIC

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### NEXT-LEVEL DIGITAL DENTISTRY: NEW TECHNOLOGY AND TREATMENT MODALITIES | C13

2-4 PM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Take your practice to the next level with digital dentistry. Dr. Eric Block, a 20-year seasoned general dentist, will discuss how he has elevated his practice and career using technologies and treatments such as 3D virtual implant planning and guided surgery, intra-oral scanning for fixed and removable prosthetics, 3D printing, sleep apnea treatments, AI-powered x-ray diagnostics, clear aligners, digital marketing and more.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 19

**CLARK, DR. ASHLEY****ORAL CANCER: WHAT'S NEW? | C01**

8-11 AM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture is designed to provide attendees with an update about potentially malignant disorders and malignant lesions affecting the oral cavity. The primary focus will center on leukoplakia and oral squamous cell carcinoma, including a discussion about human papillomavirus. At the end of this lecture, attendees will be able to identify appropriate treatment plans for patients with these disorders and lesions.

**CLARK, DR. ASHLEY****NO-NONSENSE PEDIATRIC ORAL PATHOLOGY UPDATES | C12**

12:30-1:30 PM | ORAL PATHOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 1 | AUDIENCE:

DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$35
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$35	\$35	\$45
TEAM MEMBER	\$35	\$35	\$45

This course is designed to provide an overview of entities that oral health care providers treating pediatric patients will encounter. A variety of topics will be discussed with a focus on clinical recognition and plan of action.

**CLARK, DR. ASHLEY****COMMON ORAL PATHOLOGY FOR DENTISTS | C14**

2-5 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture is designed to inform attendees about various oral pathologic lesions of the oral cavity. The oral health care professional should be able to identify common lesions and understand how to manage patients with such conditions. This lecture will provide protocols to properly manage and discuss the treatment plan with patients presenting with various oral pathologic lesions.

**CLARK, MR. CHAD**  
**MARTINEZ, MS. ELIZABETH**  
**PATEL, MR. NILESH**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**PRACTICE OWNERSHIP: TODAY AND INTO THE FUTURE | NC03**

9:15-10:45 AM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

Join Bank of America Practice Solutions to learn more about what practice ownership looks like today and into the future. The dental practice marketplace is always changing, and your options for private practice ownership have never been greater. After this lecture, you will understand the steps to take to financially prepare for practice ownership, how to build a team of professionals, how to support your transition and how to develop an action plan.

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**CLARK, DR. DAVID**
**MODERN, MONOLITHIC, INJECTION-MOLDED COMPOSITE**  
**DENTISTRY: CONCEPTS, MATERIALS, INSTRUMENTS AND**  
**TECHNIQUES WORKSHOP | W02**

8-11 AM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$449	\$499	\$519
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$499	\$549	\$569
ASSISTANT	\$449	\$499	\$519

Additive dentistry is quite simply fun to do! Say goodbye to layering, condensing and burnishing! Join Dr. Clark to experience a unique approach to modern resin dentistry. Participants will perform injection molding to create ideal margins, rounded emergence profiles and mirror smooth restorations in two anterior exercises, deep caries and black triangles and two Class II exercises. Dr. Clark offers a repeat of this workshop (W09) on Thursday, June 19, from 2-5 p.m. Attendance is limited to 30.

Participant Requirements: Loupes

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# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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## CLARK, DR. DAVID

**MODERN, MONOLITHIC, INJECTION-MOLDED COMPOSITE DENTISTRY: CONCEPTS, MATERIALS, INSTRUMENTS AND TECHNIQUES WORKSHOP (REPEAT) | W09**

2-5 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$449	\$499	\$519
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$499	\$549	\$569
ASSISTANT	\$449	\$499	\$519

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Participant Requirements: Loupes

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## CONVISSAR, DR. ROBERT

**LASER DENTISTRY FROM A-Z:**

**A TWO-DAY MINI-RESIDENCY | MR01**

THURSDAY, JUNE 19-FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 9 AM-5 PM, BOTH DAYS

LASER | CE CREDITS: 14 | AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$649	\$849	\$999
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$849	\$1099	\$1199

Since 1990, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved the use of twelve different wavelengths for dental use. These different wavelengths create a world of difference in how the lasers operate and their usefulness in the oral cavity. The use of lasers for specific procedures found in everyday general practice will be highlighted during this two-day mini-residency. The first day will cover laser use in periodontal therapy, implantology, prosthetics, oral medicine, pediatric dentistry, endodontics, orthodontics, cosmetic dentistry and practice management. On the second day, participants will get hands-on experience with different wavelengths, performing surgical procedures on pig jaws, accompanied by real-time videos and discussions on laser techniques and settings. Procedures will include gingivectomy, biopsy, frenectomy, crown lengthening, periodontal therapy, aphthous ulcer treatment, flap procedures and more. A one-hour lunch break will be provided each day. *Attendance is limited to 30.*

Participant Requirements: Loupes, periosteal elevator and cotton pliers are suggested.

The equipment for this mini-residency is partially sponsored by



## DELGADO, DR. ALEX

## LEAL, DR. ELDREY

**DIGITAL DENTISTRY DUO: HOW DENTISTS AND ASSISTANTS CAN INCORPORATE TECHNOLOGY FOR A SUCCESSFUL PRACTICE | C02**

8-11 AM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture will explore how dentists and their assistants can collaborate effectively to implement digital tools, streamline workflows and enhance patient outcomes. Dr. Delgado will cover the latest innovations in digital dentistry, practical strategies for integration and tips for fostering teamwork to maximize efficiency and success. Attendees will leave with actionable insights to elevate their practice through the power of technology and teamwork.

## DELGADO, DR. ALEX

## LEAL, DR. ELDREY

**MASTERING THE ART: STAINING AND GLAZING TIPS FOR DENTAL ASSISTANTS WORKSHOP | W10**

2-4 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329

This hands-on workshop is designed to equip dental assistants with the skills and confidence to enhance the aesthetics of restorations. This hands-on workshop will cover essential techniques for staining and glazing, including color matching, layering and achieving natural translucency. Participants will gain practical insights, learn time-saving tips and explore the tools and materials that make the process efficient and effective. Attend this workshop to elevate your artistry and contribute to creating exceptional patient outcomes. *Attendance is limited to 22.*

THURSDAY, JUNE 19

**DEVRIESE, MR. ERIC**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**DENTAL PRACTICE INVESTING THROUGH FRACTIONAL OWNERSHIP | NC04**

9-11 AM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

Today's speaker, Eric Devriese, works with dentists every day who are looking to buy into dental practice. He has been involved in hundreds of deals and will share with you what he sees taking place, which is that way too many mistakes are being made by the buyer, largely due to many questions that go unanswered or are passed over for such a large financial commitment. Mr. Devriese believes there is a better way to transition into dental practice ownership than doing it yourself. Using a blend of 1990s transitioning practices and current-year modeling, RealTime CPAs have created a mentoring program that allows for fractional ownership for existing associates who can continue to work at their current employer's yet take advantage of the small business tax deductions. There is also an opportunity to get in on the ground floor with a mentoring dentist to help educate the new associate owner with a short window to 100% ownership. Lastly, there is an opportunity for legacy dentists to get out of the chairside work and help mentor the next generation of dentists with minimal out-of-pocket risks and time commitments (as opposed to investing in a second location).

This lecture is fully sponsored by

**DUPLANTIS, DR. CHAD****STIMULATING THE VISUAL CORTEX: INCORPORATING VISUAL AIDS TO INCREASE DIAGNOSIS AND CASE ACCEPTANCE | C03**

8-11 AM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Over the past several decades, you may have witnessed a change in the dental profession as well as a change in patient demands. Despite the changes and challenges in dentistry, there is a bright future and numerous ways to engage and retain patients. In this lecture, attendees will look at some current trends and create a new approach to the diagnostic examination. By properly utilizing the diagnostic tools available, case acceptance will soar. In addition, clinical confidence can be improved by visual tools that enhance diagnostic and clinical capabilities.

**DUPLANTIS, DR. CHAD**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**DIGITIZE YOUR DENTISTRY: TOOLS YOU CAN USE TO EXCEL IN CLINICAL PRACTICE | C15**

2-5 PM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE

ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Digital dentistry is here to stay. With technology and materials improving daily, the clinical team must be on board to accept the new reality or be left behind. This lecture is designed to help the office run more efficiently, communicate better and produce quality dentistry consistently. Dr. Duplantis will discuss various technological advancements and their impact on dentistry, including digital radiography, CBCT, digital diagnostic tools, cameras, scanning technology, mills and 3D printers. Attendees will take a look at how to appropriately incorporate this technology into their practice, from diagnosis to treatment and beyond. The culmination of this technology will create a patient experience that differentiates your practice.

**GROBMYER, DR. GREG****TOP CODING AND DOCUMENTATION STRATEGIES: MAXIMIZE YOUR INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENT | C04**

8-11 AM | ADMINISTRATION | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE

ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Join Dr. Greg Grobmyer as he reviews essential coding and reporting strategies to help you minimize write-offs, maximize legitimate reimbursement and grow your dental practice. In this engaging course, you'll learn to avoid common errors, streamline claim submissions and make the most of your insurance participation using impactful CDT codes. Dr. Grobmyer will guide you through time-saving documentation methods and strategies that enhance both reimbursement and efficiency, ultimately boosting your bottom line.



# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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## GROBMYER, DR. GREG

### STAY IN THE KNOW! RECENT CDT CHANGES AND COMMON INSURANCE ADMINISTRATION ERRORS | C16

2-5 PM | ADMINISTRATION | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Join Dr. Greg Grobmyer for an informative and entertaining course that reviews the latest CDT code changes and revisions impacting your practice. Dr. Grobmyer will explore common mistakes made by insurance coordinators, introduce underutilized codes and clarify misunderstood insurance administration concepts. This lecture will help you stay up to date while saving valuable time through proper coding practices, ultimately reducing errors and improving your bottom line.

## HAMMOND, DR. BARRY

### ELEMENTS OF AESTHETIC ANALYSIS/OCCUSAL CONSIDERATIONS: IMPROVING THE ODDS FOR AESTHETIC SUCCESS | C10

9-11 AM | AESTHETIC | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

In this lecture, attendees will learn the key elements of smile design and the importance of implementing dental photography into the treatment planning workflow. Commonly encountered occlusal scenarios that can result in aesthetic and restorative failures if not diagnosed and managed correctly will also be discussed.

## HAMMOND, DR. BARRY

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### INTRAORAL PORCELAIN REPAIR | C17

2-3:30 PM | AESTHETIC | CE CREDITS: 1.5

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$65	\$75	\$85
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture explores the fundamentals of intraoral porcelain repair, focusing on the causes, assessment and repair of porcelain failures in dental restorations. Through a series of illustrated protocols and real-world case examples, attendees will learn to evaluate various repair options and determine when repair is an appropriate solution versus replacement. Practical techniques for effective intraoral repair will be described, equipping attendees with the skills to address common porcelain failures in clinical settings.

## HESS, DR. LEONARD

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### THE MYTHS AND THE MIRACLES: WHY IS SPLINT THERAPY SO HARD?! | C18

2-5 PM | TMJ DISORDERS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Splint therapy is one of the most confusing topics in dentistry. Most dentists only know how to make "nightguards" and then hope for the best. This lecture will take you from diagnosis all the way to expected outcomes. You will leave with a better understanding of joint anatomy and function. Most importantly, you will be able to confidently diagnose what needs to be treated so the appropriate splint can be prescribed.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 19

**KARLIN, MS. ELLEN****KARLIN, DR. SARA****TRENDING DIETS AND THE SKINNY ON DENTAL HEALTH | C19**

2-4 PM | ENRICHMENT | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fad diets are growing and becoming serious public health concerns, requiring significantly increased attention from dental professionals. This lecture will tackle the following diet trends your patients follow: low FODMAP, Mediterranean, intermittent fasting, gluten-free, dairy-free and plant-based diets. Learn how they affect the dental health of your patients, arming you with what you need to know as a dental professional. Explore best practices that will help oral health care professionals put key nutritional guidance into clinical practice.

**KLEIVE, DR. MARK**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**BITE SPLINTS IN RESTORATIVE PRACTICE WORKSHOP | W03**

8-11 AM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$359	\$379	\$399
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$379	\$399	\$429
DENTAL STUDENT	\$359	\$379	\$399

Appliance therapy is a valuable diagnostic, therapeutic and patient management tool to use in restorative dental practice. Bite splints are used routinely as a part of a treatment protocol for patients who are experiencing facial pain, but they are also an invaluable procedure for creating predictable restorative results. Appliance therapy begins with evaluating the joints, muscles and dentition for stability. This hands-on workshop will cover the steps in the evaluation and diagnosis and create clarity on which of the different appliance designs are the most beneficial based on individual patient findings. This process will allow you to help patients develop a greater understanding of their dental needs so they will seek out solutions. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

*Participant Requirements: Loupes are recommended.*

**KLEIVE, DR. MARK**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**EFFICIENT VENEER PLANNING AND TEMPORIZATION WORKSHOP | W11**

2-5 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$369	\$379	\$399
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$389	\$399	\$429
DENTAL STUDENT	\$369	\$379	\$399

In this hands-on workshop, attendees will learn an efficient step-by-step approach to aesthetics and function to plan and sequence a complex anterior case with veneer restorations. Particular attention will be paid to efficient and lasting temporization. A 'Snap-on Trial Smile' will be discussed and a composite mock-up will be generated to demonstrate the proposed incisal edge and gingival positions. *Attendance is limited to 30.*

*Participant Requirements: Loupes are recommended.*

**KOHNER, DR. JAMES**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**CROWN LENGTHENING: CAN IT REALLY IMPROVE RESTORATIVE RESULTS? | C05**

8-11 AM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

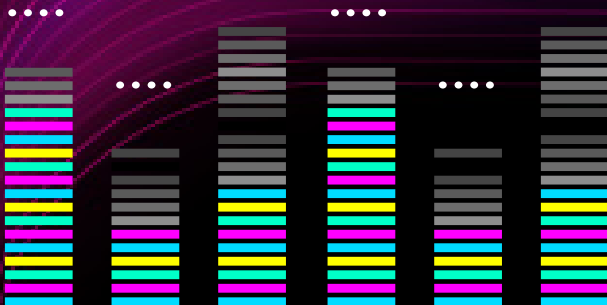
Can crown lengthening really improve restorative results? The short answer is YES! This lecture will discuss solutions for challenges that are commonly seen by practicing dentists, such as fractured cusps, deep decay or crowns placed too far subgingivally. With a combination of case examples and radiographs, it will offer solutions to help dentists overcome these issues. It reviews diagnostic decisions for both aesthetic and functional procedures, including how biologic width influences daily restorative decisions. This lecture targets dentists looking to both save more teeth and improve restorative results. It will include indications and contraindications. You will also learn to coordinate with your periodontist and laboratory technician to create a TEAM approach. *This is a two-part course (C05 and W07) that is best attended as a full-day experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may choose to take the lecture course only.*

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**THURSDAY, JUNE 19****KOHNER, DR. JAMES****CROWN LENGTHENING WORKSHOP | W07**

1:30-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3.5

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$399	\$449	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$449	\$499	\$529
ASSISTANT	\$189	\$199	\$229

This workshop will provide detailed yet straightforward instructions for the proper flap, bone contouring and suturing methods to accomplish successful functional crown lengthening and, in turn, successful restorations. Learn to be comfortable managing both soft- and hard-tissues to accomplish improved restorative results. Biologic width and ferrule will be emphasized, as well as the management of furcations. This will allow attendees to perform some crown lengthening surgery if they choose or make more informed referrals if they prefer. In this workshop, attendees will do flap surgery and suturing on pig jaws and practice the required osseous recontouring on models. Two engaging videos will be shown highlighting the technique of a precise, solid rationale. The lecture, "Crown Lengthening: Can it REALLY Enhance Restorative Results?" (C05), is a prerequisite for this workshop. You must register and pay for both courses for the full experience. Attendance is limited to 25.

Participant Requirements: Loupes

**KULKARNI, DR. ROOPALI**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**THE MOUTH IS THE MIRROR TO THE BODY:****ORAL-SYSTEMIC HEALTH KEYNOTE | C11**

11:15 AM-12:15 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 1

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
ALL ATTENDEES	\$0	\$0	\$35

The mouth offers critical insights into the overall health of the body. This keynote session will delve into the vital connection between oral and systemic health, demonstrating how oral conditions can reflect broader medical issues. Attendees will gain a deeper understanding of how to integrate interdisciplinary approaches to patient care, enhancing their ability to recognize oral signs that may indicate systemic diseases. By examining real-life cases and emerging research, this keynote session will equip you with the knowledge to improve patient outcomes through early detection and collaborative care.

**KULKARNI, DR. ROOPALI****DIAGNOSTIC DILEMMA: DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSES OF THE ORAL CAVITY | C20**

2-5 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

In this lecture, attendees will explore differential diagnoses of the oral cavity, ranging from soft tissue and pigmented lesions to chronic mucosal diseases and common radiographic findings. Develop your own style for accurate history taking, physical examination skills and formulating a differential diagnosis.

**LAZZAROTTI, MR. JOSEPH****RESPOND TO NEGATIVE PATIENT ONLINE REVIEWS WITHOUT VIOLATING HIPAA | C29**

4-5 PM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 1

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

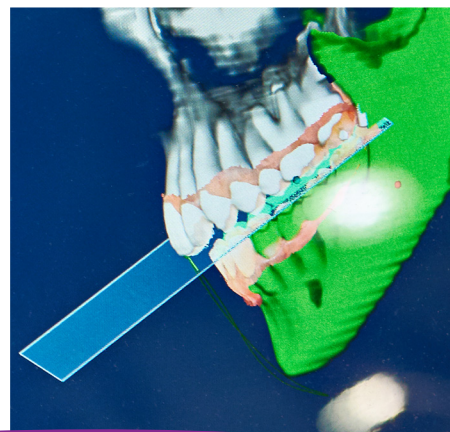
REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$35
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$35	\$35	\$45
TEAM MEMBER	\$35	\$35	\$45
DENTAL STUDENT	\$35	\$35	\$45

In recent years, dental practices have been fined between \$30,000 and \$50,000 by the federal Office for Civil Rights for violating a patient's HIPAA rights in connection with a response to a negative review of their services. Patient negative reviews online can have a devastating effect on your practice. If you do nothing, they can wreck your practice's reputation. However, responding incorrectly can significantly increase your risk of violating a patient's privacy. The lecture will include practical steps to guide the practice of responding to negative reviews from patients while avoiding a HIPAA violation. This lecture will show you exactly what you can and can't say online to reduce HIPAA risk, institute policies to stop HIPAA mistakes, and retain essential documents to defend against patient HIPAA complaints.

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## THURSDAY

- **Digitize Your Dentistry: Tools You Can Use to Excel in Clinical Practice (C15)**  
Chad Duplantis, DDS
- **Effective Analog and Digital Workflows for Fixed, Removable, and Implant Dentistry (C22)**  
Dany Sakr, CDT
- **How to Implement 3D Scanning Into Your Hygiene Appointment: A Step-by-Step Course (C07)**  
Kelly Tanner, RDH, MS, PHD
- **Next-Level Digital Dentistry: New Technology and Treatment Modalities (C13)** – Eric Block, DMD

## FRIDAY

- **The 3D Experience: An Introduction to CBCT for Dental Practitioners Workshop (W15/W26)**  
Chad Duplantis, DDS
- **CBCT for Implant Dentistry (C40)**  
Dania Tamimi, BDS, DMSc

## SATURDAY

- **Advancing Dentistry Through Digital Technology (C72)**  
Dana Marzocco, DMD
- **Artificial Intelligence for Diagnosing and Classifying Periodontal Disease - The Future is Here (C69)**  
Marianne Dryer, RDH, MEd
- **Building for the Future: Dentists + Technology (C70)**  
Mina Ghorbanifarajzadeh, DMD

**THURSDAY, JUNE 19****MCCAULEY, DR. MARK****INNOVATIVE APPROACHES TO LASER DISINFECTION IN PERIODONTAL DISEASE AND PERI-IMPLANTITIS | C21**

2-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture will explore cutting-edge techniques using laser disinfection and laser-assisted new attachment procedure (LANAP) for the treatment of periodontal disease and peri-implantitis. This lecture will provide a deep dive into the etiologies of periodontitis and the latest innovations in laser technology and their application in clinical practice. Attendees will learn how using lasers as part of a disinfection protocol can enhance the effectiveness of periodontal therapy, improve patient outcomes and reduce the need for more invasive procedures. The lecture will cover both theoretical concepts and clinical applications.

**PASSMORE, MR. CHRIS****OCCUPATIONAL DOSE TRENDS IN THE DENTAL INDUSTRY | C28**

2:30-3:30 PM | RADIOGRAPHY | CE CREDITS: 1

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$35
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$35	\$35	\$45
TEAM MEMBER	\$35	\$35	\$45
DENTAL STUDENT	\$35	\$35	\$45

This lecture will explain the scope of radiation exposure in the dental profession. Approximately 205,000 people in the U.S. are in the dental industry and exposed to radiation through their work. For this study, dosimetry records were mined to evaluate annual dose records. The annual dose results from the dental industry segment were also studied to determine dose statistics and occupational dose trends and document experiences with the dental profession segment. Attendees will gain insights into safety practices and recommendations for minimizing occupational radiation exposure in the dental field.

**RICHARDSON, DR. JOE****COMPREHENSIVE IDENTIFICATION, MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF AILING DENTAL IMPLANTS | C06**

8-11 AM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will start with a review of dental implant anatomy, physiology and microbiology. It will then transition into a comprehensive discussion of common implant complications and the role a hygienist plays in identifying and maintaining ailing dental implants over time. Dr. Richardson will help hygienists identify specific and potentially complicated factors that could lead to implant infection and loss and how to communicate with patients regarding their implant health.

This lecture is partially sponsored by

**SAKR, MR. DANY****ASSISTANTS' GUIDE TO PHOTOGRAPHY: FROM SHADE COMMUNICATION TO DIAGNOSTIC PHOTOS, AND LAB COMMUNICATION WORKSHOP | W04**

8-11 AM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
ASSISTANT	\$199	\$249	\$269

This workshop is intended to provide the dental team with practical knowledge and photography skills crucial for patient presentations, smile design and lab communication. Participants will learn to take photos with either a DSLR or phone camera. Photography is an essential element for all offices striving to achieve predictable aesthetic and highly functional restorative outcomes. No camera is required. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

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# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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## SAKR, MR. DANY

### EFFECTIVE ANALOG AND DIGITAL WORKFLOWS FOR FIXED, REMOVABLE AND IMPLANT DENTISTRY | C22

2-4 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Today, progressive dental teams and laboratories have an opportunity to leverage the best of both analog and digital workflows. During this course, the dental team will learn valuable insights and practical techniques to enhance lab communication, streamline workflows, minimize appointments and achieve predictable restorative outcomes. This course focuses on simple yet contemporary workflow strategies that make a real difference in predictable outcomes.

## SHATKIN, DR. TODD

### MAKING THE MOST OF MINI DENTAL IMPLANTS | C23

2-5 PM | ORAL SURGERY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

In this lecture, Dr. Shatkin will discuss and demonstrate the following topics: using the Mini Drive-Lock (MDL) Mini Dental Implants for lower and upper denture stabilization, using the MDL Mini Dental Implants for partial dentures, and using the MDL Mini Dental Implant(s) in fixed applications for individual and multiple missing teeth. Attendees will learn how and when to use the bendable Mono Mini Dental Implants and the MDL and/or Mono Mini Implants for full arch fixed applications. Additionally, Dr. Shatkin will discuss and demonstrate the patented Fabricated Implant Restoration Surgical Technique (F.I.R.S.T.) procedure and how, once it is learned, you can increase your yearly income substantially in your first year.

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## SION, MS. CHRISTINE

### OVERCOME STAFFING CHALLENGES BY UNLOCKING THE POWER OF REMOTE PROFESSIONALS | NC02

8:30-9:30 AM | ADMINISTRATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$35
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$35	\$35	\$45
PRACTICE ADMINISTRATOR	\$35	\$35	\$45
DENTAL STUDENT	\$35	\$35	\$45

This lecture will provide a comprehensive framework to harness the full potential of remote team members while mitigating common pitfalls. Attendees will explore the strategic benefits of remote work, such as increased margins and enhanced work-life balance. Practical insights and real-world examples will guide you through building a remote team from scratch, covering essential aspects from recruitment and onboarding to fostering collaboration and cohesion.

## SPENCE, DR. ALICIA BURNETT, DR. JANNA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### PREVENTIVE MENTAL CARE | PM01

10-11 AM | PRACTICE MANAGEMENT | CE CREDITS: 1

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$35
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$35	\$35	\$45
TEAM MEMBER	\$35	\$35	\$45
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Levels of stress and anxiety have skyrocketed among healthcare professionals in recent years. This lecture will offer preventive steps, including interactive activities to boost your mood, that the entire dental team can take to stay balanced and avoid burnout.



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## Thursday, June 19

### DENTAL PRACTICE INVESTING THROUGH FACTIONAL OWNERSHIP | NC04

**MR. ERIC DEVRIESE**

9-11 AM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### PRACTICE OWNERSHIP: TODAY AND INTO THE FUTURE | NC03

**MR. CHAD CLARK, MS. ELIZABETH  
MARTINEZ & MR. NILESH PATEL**

9:15-10:45 AM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### BETTER, FASTER, STRONGER: TIPS TO UP YOUR GAME IN DIRECT RESTORATIVE C27

**DR. LAUREN YASUDA RAINEY**

2-4 PM | CE CREDITS: 2

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### MAKING THE MOST OF MINI DENTAL IMPLANTS | C23

**DR. TODD SHATKIN**

2-5 PM | CE CREDITS: 3

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## Friday, June 20

### MARKETING YOUR PRACTICE ONLINE AND GROWING YOUR REVENUE IN THE ERA OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE | NC08

**DR. JOSHUA GINDEA**

9 AM-12 PM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### STATE OF THE MARKET PRESENTATION | NC09

**MR. RIAD SHANAWANY**

9 AM-12 PM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### ARE YOU READY FOR OWNERSHIP OR RETIREMENT? START PLANNING TODAY! | NC13

**MR. GREG JONES, MR. MICHAEL  
DEMEOLA & MR. JASON KAPLAN**

2-5 PM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### TAX MINIMIZATION AND WEALTH BUILDING STRATEGIES FOR DENTISTS | NC12

**MR. MICHAEL DEMEOLA & MR. RIAD  
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2-5 PM | CE CREDITS: 0

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## Saturday, June 21

### HOW TO MAKE MARKETING WORK FOR YOU | NC15

**MR. BRANDON BOSCH**

9-11 AM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### DEMINERALIZED AND CORTICO-WHAT? A GENERAL DENTIST'S GUIDE TO THE MOST UNCOMPLICATED AND PREDICTABLE BONE GRAFTING | C60

**DR. ANKUR GUPTA**

9-11 AM | CE CREDITS: 2

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### A PRACTICE OWNER'S GUIDE TO THE BUSINESS SIDE OF DENTISTRY | NC20

**MR. CASEY HIERS**

2-4 PM | CE CREDITS: 0

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### PREDICTABLE EXTRACTION SOCKET GRAFTING WORKSHOP | W40

**DR. AVI SCHETRITT**

2-5 PM | CE CREDITS: 3

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## THURSDAY, JUNE 19

**STAFFORD, DR. SCOTT****POLISH LIKE A PRO! WORKSHOP | W05**

8-11 AM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
HYGIENIST	\$229	\$249	\$269

Many hygienists were taught to polish teeth in school as a final step of prophylaxis, but with the many new restorative materials and polishing agents, which one is right for each situation? From appropriate grit to how to sit, Dr. Stafford will address all the latest topics of proper tooth polishing, ergonomics and advances in polishing handpieces. Come spend the morning with your peers as you discuss, select and practice with a variety of materials on different surfaces to bring your patients' pearly whites to their brightest bright! *Attendance is limited to 30.*

**STAFFORD, DR. SCOTT****SEALANTS SUCCESS WORKSHOP:****ISOLATE, ETCH, SEAL ... CELEBRATE! | W12**

2-5 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$229	\$249	\$269

Sealants aren't just for kids — adults, too, benefit from their preventive protection. Recognizing anatomical challenges, developmental grooves and pesky pits are important steps in analyzing, preparing and sealing our patients' teeth. With proper technique, you can assist your patients in living cavity-free lives. Spend the afternoon with Dr. Stafford as you work together to gain confidence and competence in sealant success. Isolate, etch, seal ... celebrate! *Attendance is limited to 30.*

**STRANGE, MS. MICHELLE**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**SUSTAINING IMPLANT HEALTH: THE SIGNIFICANCE OF****MAINTENANCE IN ACHIEVING LONG-TERM SUCCESS | C24**

2-5 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
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TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

In modern dentistry, dental implants offer patients a viable option for tooth replacement. However, it's crucial to remember that the treatment of dental implants goes beyond the surgical or restorative phases. This lecture will consider the patient's motivation, dexterity, physical capabilities and prosthetics to determine the most suitable at-home and in-office maintenance methods. Establishing a tailored maintenance program for each patient and their dental implant is essential for long-term success. Staying updated on the latest research and products is vital in ensuring the continued health of the patient's dental implant(s).

**TANNER, DR. KELLY****HOW TO IMPLEMENT 3D SCANNING INTO YOUR****HYGIENE APPOINTMENT: A STEP-BY-STEP COURSE | C07**

8:45-10:45 AM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75

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**Mind Your Business – How Hygienists Can Elevate the  
Practice and Themselves! (NC18) – Ms. Miranda Beeson**

**Saturday, June 21 | 2-5 PM**

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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## TANNER, DR. KELLY

### PERIODONTAL MASTERY: DIAGNOSIS TO MANAGEMENT | C25

2-4 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

This dynamic lecture is designed to transform your skills, enhance patient care, and optimize coding practices. You'll learn to simplify the American Academy of Periodontics' staging and grading system, making it easy to apply in your daily practice. Dr. Tanner will guide you through mastering effective periodontal treatment protocols, ensuring you're equipped to handle a wide range of cases with confidence. She will boost your confidence in periodontal coding, helping you maximize reimbursements while maintaining compliance. This lecture is your key to becoming a more effective and efficient dental hygienist. Join this lecture to unlock new levels of expertise in periodontal diagnosis, treatment and management and increase your confidence with your knowledge and skills.

## TSATALIS, DR. ANDREA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

## TSATALIS, DR. JOHN

### IS IT GETTING HOT IN HERE? ADVANCED TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGING "HOT" TEETH WORKSHOP | W06

8-11 AM | ANESTHESIA | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$299	\$349	\$399
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$349	\$399	\$449
DENTAL STUDENT	\$299	\$349	\$399

All dental professionals have experienced the stress and exhaustion derived from struggling to numb a patient. Anesthetizing hot teeth is a difficult feat! Participating in this workshop will help you take your anesthesia game to the next level and gain confidence in these situations. Attendees will review the fundamentals behind anesthesia/pain, experiment with cutting-edge anesthetic delivery systems and practice advanced techniques on tooth, bone and skull models. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

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## VELAZQUEZ, MS. JANET

### ESSENTIALS FOR BUSINESS GROWTH | NC01

8:45-10:45 AM | COMMUNICATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER / GUEST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

To grow, businesses need processes, people and systems that will continue to evolve in an ever-changing market. In this lecture, Ms. Velazquez will highlight several factors that directly impact revenue and influence the overall bottom line. Covered topics will include organizational structure, systemization, workplace culture and communication. Attendees will gain a greater understanding of the business side of dentistry and will learn how to implement minor adjustments that can greatly impact profit margins in multiple ways.

## VELAZQUEZ, MS. JANET

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### THE SECRET INGREDIENTS FOR CONSISTENT SUCCESS | NC05

2-4 PM | COMMUNICATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER / GUEST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

In this lecture, attendees will explore how implementing well-defined systems can enhance patient retention, boost team performance and drive overall profitability. Through practical insights and actionable strategies, attendees will discover how structured approaches can lead to measurable improvements in operational efficiency and business success.



**THURSDAY, JUNE 19****VIOLA, DR. THOMAS**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS: SELF-MEDICATION, DENTAL CONSIDERATIONS AND PATIENT CARE PLANNING | C08**

8-11 AM | PHARMACOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Armed with limited information and faced with rising prescription drug costs, many patients self-medicate with prescription and over-the-counter drug products. Often, this is not mentioned during their exam and review of their medical history. Unfortunately, this may put patients at risk for potentially serious interactions and adverse outcomes. This lecture will provide attendees with an overview of the dental considerations of the most popular prescription and non-prescription drugs and supplements that patients use to self-medicate. Special emphasis will be placed on techniques that are useful in successfully identifying self-medication and obtaining a complete patient medication history.

**VIOLA, DR. THOMAS****MEDICAL HISTORY MYSTERIES! EVERY DENTAL PROFESSIONAL'S TOOLKIT FOR SUCCESSFULLY INTERPRETING A PATIENT'S MEDICAL HISTORY | C26**

2-5 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

What potential complications lurk behind the patient's medical history that may impact dental therapy, alter treatment plans, and perhaps even result in medical emergencies? Armed only with a summary of past and current disease states and a list of current medications, will you be able to decipher the clues, solve the mystery and employ innovative treatment strategies to save the day? This lecture will provide practical tools every dental professional can use every day to assist them in interpreting the information about medications, supplements and substances of abuse contained in a patient's medical history and understanding their impact on dental treatment planning and patient care.

**YASUDA RAINY, DR. LAUREN**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**BETTER, FASTER, STRONGER:****TIPS TO UP YOUR GAME IN DIRECT RESTORATIVE | C27**

2-4 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
ASSISTANT	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

Direct restorative isn't always the most glamorous part of a general dentist's day – but it can put a spring in your step if you're able to produce restorations that are predictably harder, better, faster and stronger. This course will discuss common pitfalls of direct restorative, including stained margins, chipped marginal ridges and point contacts and how to avoid those before they happen! Tissue management, heated composite, and matrix selection will be discussed in depth, using case-based examples to support literature will be available.

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- › Cynthia Fong, RDH
- › Kathryn Gilliam, BA, RDH
- › Michelle Strange, MSDH, RDH
- › Scott Stafford, DDS, MBA
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## Course Topic Highlights for the RDH

- › 3D Scanning
- › AI in Hygiene
- › Clinical Workflows
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# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## ATLAS, DR. ALAN

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### GOOD TO GREAT:

#### MASTERING ADHESION AND POSTERIOR COMPOSITES | C30

9 AM-12 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

There are key fundamental concepts that will determine the long-term favorable outcome of direct composite resin restorations. This lecture will provide a current scientific update on adhesive systems and direct aesthetic materials with an indication of which systems and composite materials to utilize for specific cavity preparations. Evidenced-based step-by-step protocols for preparation, placement, and finishing techniques to achieve precise margins, consistent contacts, and eliminate post-operative sensitivity will be demonstrated with the Dental Microscope HD Video.

## ATLAS, DR. ALAN

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### IMPRESS WITH SUCCESS! PREP, IMPRESS AND CEMENT TECHNIQUES FOR CERAMICS | C42

2-5 PM | DENTAL MATERIALS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will demonstrate concise step-by-step treatment planning guidelines that fulfill aesthetic demands and integrates current restorative materials with digital technology as well as conventional clinical protocols. Procedures and techniques for aesthetic and functional success with high-strength ceramics and CAD/CAM technology will be reviewed and demonstrated with the Dental Microscope HD Video, based on the most current scientific evidence, to assess what factors most influence clinical outcomes for ceramic crowns, bridges, inlays, onlays and veneers.

## BALL, MR. RICK BALL, MS. KELLY

### HANDS-ON HANDPIECE CARE:

#### MASTERING DENTAL HANDPIECE MAINTENANCE FOR LONGEVITY AND PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP | W23

2-4 PM | DENTAL MATERIALS | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$299	\$329	\$359
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329
DENTAL STUDENT	\$249	\$299	\$329

In this workshop, participants will dive into the essential world of dental handpiece maintenance, learning practical techniques and strategies to enhance handpiece lifespan, ensure optimal performance and improve patient care. Dental handpieces are critical tools in every practice, yet their proper upkeep is often overlooked. Attendees will learn common handpiece issues and troubleshooting techniques, cleaning and lubrication, and maintenance protocols, answer YOUR specific questions, and problem-solve as a group. This workshop is designed to empower you and your team with the tools to ensure your handpieces are always in top condition! Mr. Ball offers a repeat of this workshop (W32) on Saturday, June 21, from 9-11 a.m. Attendance is limited to 30.

This workshop is fully sponsored by



## BANTA, MS. LOIS

### SEVEN BREAKTHROUGH STEPS TO CREATE YOUR BEST YEAR EVER! | NC07

9 AM-12 PM | COMMUNICATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Designing systems and protocols for a solid foundation of production and collections can be challenging. This lecture is designed to identify strategies and systems for keeping your finger on the pulse of the practice and addressing day-to-day concerns before they become major issues. Ms. Banta will identify the top must-have systems that must be in place to achieve optimal results.

This lecture is partially sponsored by



FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**BANTA, MS. LOIS**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**TEAM MEETINGS AND MORNING HUDDLES THAT ROCK | NC11**

2-5 PM | COMMUNICATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This interactive lecture is designed to teach dental practices how to create motivating, informative and meaningful team meetings and morning huddles. Everyone has, at some point in their lives, attended or managed meetings that were ho-hum, gripe sessions or uneventful. In this lecture, attendees will work through the secrets of having morning huddles that actually help identify potential hiccups and team meetings that will take the practice to new positive heights!

**BRADY, DR. LEE ANN  
DEWOOD, DR. GARY**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**OCCCLUSION IN EVERYDAY DENTISTRY WORKSHOP:****A TWO-DAY HANDS-ON PANKEY PROGRAM | PE1**

FRIDAY, JUNE 20-SATURDAY, JUNE 21 | 9 AM-5 PM, BOTH DAYS

OCCCLUSION | CE CREDITS: 14 | AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$999	\$1249	\$1349
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$1249	\$1449	\$1599

Have you ever wondered why, after prepping a second molar for a crown, the occlusal of the prep is in contact with the opposing tooth? Every time you alter the chewing surface of a tooth, the entire stomatognathic system is impacted. Often, patients adapt to these changes. But when they don't, it can jeopardize the restoration and the other teeth and can cost us the patient's trust, not to mention your time. In this workshop, you will explore the occlusion challenges you face every day in a restorative practice and look at how you can utilize this information to make dentistry more predictable and help your patients stay healthy and comfortable. A one-hour lunch break and lunch voucher will be provided for each day of the course. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

*The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by*

**BRADY, DR. LEE ANN****MASTERING ANTERIOR IMPLANT AESTHETICS | C43**

2-5 PM | IMPLANTS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Although implant dentistry is considered one of the most predictable treatments offered, guaranteeing optimal anterior implant aesthetics is tricky and often feels challenging to create predictably. This lecture will look at the steps in differentiating high-risk versus low-risk anterior implant cases regarding final aesthetics. Attendees will also look at how to optimize the aesthetic outcomes, starting with pre-surgical augmentation, fixture position and advanced implant prosthetic techniques to make success predictable.

**CLARK, DR. DAVID****BETTER COMPOSITE RESTORATIONS:****MONOLITHIC INJECTION MOLDED COMPOSITES | C31**

9 AM-12 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$0

Until now, composite went "in" the tooth. Now, you can go "around" the tooth. Today, injection molding of composites with modern preparations, super-anatomic clear matrices and heated multi-viscosity composites can solve so many problems without resorting to crowns. In this fast-moving and entertaining lecture, Dr. Clark will demonstrate the art and science of monolithic injection molded composite dentistry.

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## CLARK, DR. DAVID

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### THE GREAT TOOTH KILLER: CRACKED TEETH PREVENTION, DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT | C44

2-5 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

Currently, the diagnosis and treatment of cracked and fractured teeth is largely symptom-based and is, therefore, often a sad, end-stage diagnosis. The fracturing process is one of dentistry's last great mysteries and is poorly understood throughout the generalist and specialist dental community. In this engaging and entertaining lecture, you will learn to understand and diagnose pathologic cracks utilizing magnification and other modalities and treat them long before symptoms arise, or the tooth becomes unsalvageable. Dr. Clark will teach routine identification of early cracks and teach the Clark Class II saucer-shaped non-retentive preparation and Fissurotomy Class I, which is a significant departure from the G.V. Black preparations that are a leading cause of cracked teeth. He will share his published approach to diagnosis based on 16X magnification, step-by-step predictable treatment, endodontic and periodontal implications, and when to extract it.

## DELGADO, DR. ALEX

### UPDATES IN OPERATIVE DENTISTRY: A COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE FOR DENTAL AUXILIARIES PURSUING CERTIFICATION | C32

9 AM-12 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture will provide an in-depth overview of the five-month Restorative Functions for Dental Assistants and Hygienists Certification. Dr. Delgado will present clinical pearls and techniques to enhance direct restoration skills for primary and adult dentitions, including Class I, II, III and V restorations. This lecture is ideal for dental auxiliaries looking to expand their scope of practice or for clinicians aiming to stay current with the latest trends in restorative dentistry. Attendees will receive the foundational instruction necessary before beginning hands-on work. *This is a two-part course (C32 and W24/W33) that is best attended as a full-day experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may choose to take the lecture course only.*

## DELGADO, DR. ALEX

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### UPDATES IN OPERATIVE DENTISTRY WORKSHOP: COMPREHENSIVE HANDS-ON INSTRUCTIONS FOR DENTAL AUXILIARIES | W24

2-4:30 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 2.5

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329

In this hands-on workshop, participants will build on the foundational knowledge gained from the lecture "Updates in Operative Dentistry: A Comprehensive Guide for Dental Auxiliaries Pursuing Certification." This workshop will offer a comprehensive introduction to operative dentistry techniques with a focus on direct restorations and isolation methods. Participants will develop practical skills that can be immediately applied in a clinical setting, empowering them to confidently assist in complex restorative procedures. This hands-on workshop is ideal for those preparing for certification or looking to refine their expertise in operative dentistry. *Dr. Delgado offers a repeat of this workshop (W33) on Saturday, June 21, from 9-11:30 a.m. The lecture, "Updates in Operative Dentistry: A Comprehensive Guide for Dental Auxiliaries Pursuing Certification" (C32), is a prerequisite for this workshop. You must register and pay for both courses for a full-day experience. Attendance is limited to 30.*

Participant Requirements: Magnification or eye protection is optional.

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## DELUKE, DR. MICHAEL

### IT TAKES A TEAM! AN INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACH TO THE MANAGEMENT OF PEDIATRIC SLEEP-DISORDERED BREATHING | C45

2-5 PM | ORTHODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Pediatric Sleep-Disordered Breathing (PSDB) has been shown to alter craniofacial growth and development and cause behavioral problems and neurocognitive deficits. This lecture will provide a thorough background on the importance of nasal breathing for overall health and wellness, review the medical and dental comorbidities associated with mouth breathing and snoring, equip dental professionals with the skills necessary to determine if/when a young patient is suffering from PSDB, explain when and how to make the appropriate referral(s) to our medical and dental colleagues for assistance with the treatment of PSDB, and demonstrate the ability of orthodontic expansion in the early mixed dentition to redirect orofacial growth and improve airway patency in patients suffering from PSDB.



FRIDAY, JUNE 20

## DEMEOLA, MR. MICHAEL SHANAWAY, MR. RIAD

### TAX MINIMIZATION AND WEALTH BUILDING STRATEGIES FOR DENTISTS | NC12

2-5 PM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

Taxes are one of the biggest expenditures and barriers to wealth for dentists. This lecture is designed to give dentists the knowledge necessary to efficiently operate as a practice owner or associate while minimizing tax liability. It will analyze the current tax system under the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, which is set to expire at the end of 2025, as well as the anticipated tax plan of the new administration in 2026 and beyond. Dr. DeMeola will explore entity structures, employee versus independent contractor issues, real estate, retirement planning strategies, asset protection and wealth preservation strategies.

This lecture is fully sponsored by



## DRYER, MS. MARIANNE CISTERNINO, MS. LAUREN

### ULTRASONIC INSTRUMENTATION: BACK TO BASICS – A FUNDAMENTAL APPROACH | W25

2-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329

This workshop takes participants back to the foundational principles of ultrasonic instrumentation. Designed for both novice practitioners and seasoned professionals seeking a refresher, the session focuses on understanding the technology, mastering core techniques, and applying evidence-based practices. Participants will gain practical insights into equipment maintenance, ergonomic techniques, and troubleshooting to ensure optimal outcomes for both clinicians and patients. Hands-on demonstrations and interactive discussions will provide a comprehensive learning experience aimed at building confidence and proficiency in ultrasonic instrumentation. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

## DUPLANTIS, DR. CHAD

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### THE 3D EXPERIENCE: AN INTRODUCTION TO CBCT FOR DENTAL PRACTITIONERS WORKSHOP | W15

9 AM-12 PM | RADIOGRAPHY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$449	\$469	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$469	\$479	\$499
TEAM MEMBER	\$449	\$469	\$479

Dental practitioners are always looking for ways to better serve their patient population, and diagnosis and education are integral to doing so. Cone beam computed tomography (CBCT) has rapidly evolved over the past several years and has become more adopted in the dental setting as a diagnostic aid. This workshop will discuss this technology and realize the capabilities that can benefit each dental practice. By the end of this workshop, attendees can decide whether or not they believe this has become the standard of care. This workshop will be beneficial to the entire dental team. *Dr. Duplantis offers a repeat of this workshop (W26) on Friday, June 20, from 2-5 p.m. Attendance is limited to 25.*

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## DUPLANTIS, DR. CHAD

### THE 3D EXPERIENCE: AN INTRODUCTION TO CBCT FOR DENTAL PRACTITIONERS WORKSHOP (REPEAT) | W26

2-5 PM | RADIOGRAPHY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$449	\$469	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$469	\$479	\$499
TEAM MEMBER	\$449	\$469	\$479

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The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## ELLIOTT, DR. ERIN

### SLEEP APNEA: WAKE UP TO THE PROBLEM | C33

9 AM-12 PM | SLEEP DISORDERS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Are hundreds of undiagnosed patients in your practice suffering from sleep apnea? Guaranteed. Untreated sleep apnea can cause high blood pressure, stroke, heart conditions and diabetes. Did you know that dentists play a key role in treating sleep apnea? This practical, interactive lecture is designed to educate you on detecting and treating this condition so you can improve your patient's health and quality of life while building your practice. *This is a two-part course (C33 and W27) that is best attended as a full-day experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may choose to take the lecture course only.*

## ELLIOTT, DR. ERIN

### TAKE A BITE OUT OF THE SLEEP APNEA PROBLEM: ORAL APPLIANCE RECORD-TAKING FOR YOUR PRACTICE WORKSHOP | W27

2-4 PM | SLEEP DISORDERS | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$269	\$289	\$299
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$289	\$309	\$319
TEAM MEMBER	\$269	\$289	\$299

Sleep apnea is a silent threat to millions, leading to auto accidents and serious health issues like high blood pressure, stroke and heart disease. Dentists and dental team members play a vital role in diagnosing and treating this condition. This hands-on, practical workshop is designed to educate you on how to take records to begin treatment with oral appliance therapy – the right way. Dr. Elliott will focus on reality-based practical processes in a real-life general dental practice. Capturing accurate records reduces chair time, increases predictability, and can improve patient outcomes. The dental team plays an active role in the process, so be sure they come with you to this lifesaving, practice-building interactive workshop. *The lecture, "Sleep Apnea: Wake Up to the Problem (C33)", is a prerequisite for this workshop. You must register and pay for both courses for a full-day experience. Attendance is limited to 20.*

The equipment for this workshop  
is partially sponsored by



## FONG, MS. CYNTHIA

### A SIMPLIFIED APPROACH TO ULTRASONIC INSTRUMENTATION HANDS-ON WORKSHOP | W13

8 AM-12 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 4 | AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
HYGIENIST	\$199	\$249	\$279

If you are using a single ultrasonic insert for the sole purpose of gross debridement or are unsure of the use of contra-angled ultrasonic inserts, then this hands-on workshop is for you! The workshop will begin with clarifying the misconceptions surrounding the expanded use of power scalers. Emphasis will be placed on differentiating between power scaling technologies, insert design and selection, clinical instrumentation techniques and sequencing, aerosol management, and treatment protocols. Hands-on instrumentation criteria will be used to easily comprehend and gain confidence and skills to achieve complete periodontal debridement, including strategies to treat periodontal wounds and provide definite sub-gingival debridement and de-plaquin. *Ms. Fong offers a repeat of this workshop (W20) on Friday, June 20, from 1-5 p.m. Attendance is limited to 26.*

Participant Requirements: Gracey Curet #5/6 OR #7/8 (or equivalent) and Gracey Curet #11/12 and #13/14 (or equivalent).

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## FONG, MS. CYNTHIA

### A SIMPLIFIED APPROACH TO ULTRASONIC INSTRUMENTATION HANDS-ON WORKSHOP (REPEAT) | W20

1-5 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 4 | AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
HYGIENIST	\$199	\$249	\$279

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Participant Requirements: Gracey Curet #5/6 OR #7/8 (or equivalent) and Gracey Curet #11/12 and Gracey Curet #13/14 (or equivalent).

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**GEBRAEL, DR. BASSEL****CROWN LENGTHENING FOR COSMETICS AND RESTORATION  
HANDS-ON WORKSHOP | W21**

1-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 4

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$399	\$449	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$449	\$499	\$529

One in ten patients between the ages of 20 and 30 has a “gummy smile.” This hands-on workshop will offer an in-depth exploration of crown lengthening surgery, focusing on both cosmetic and restorative applications. Participants will learn to identify the various causes of a “gummy smile” and determine when crown lengthening is an appropriate treatment. The workshop will emphasize accurate pre-operative case selection, particularly for patients with complex medical histories, such as those on bone-building or anticoagulant medications.

Through hands-on practice, participants will gain confidence in the surgical steps, learning to measure, mark and cut both soft tissue and bone according to precise, predetermined objectives. The course includes practical skill development using pig mandibles. In addition, participants will review the concept of “biologic width,” understand the tissue changes following surgery and learn strategies for managing gingival biotypes. By the end of the workshop, participants will have the knowledge and skills to confidently perform crown lengthening procedures, ensuring optimal outcomes for their patients. *Attendance is limited to 30.*

**GILLIAM, MS. KATHRYN**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**HOT STUFF: THE FIRE WITHIN | C34**

9 AM-12 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Periodontal disease contributes to many catastrophic systemic illnesses, such as diabetes, cardiovascular disease, Alzheimer's disease and rheumatoid arthritis. Dental professionals can impact patient wellness by utilizing a medical model of care in the diagnosis and treatment of periodontal disease. Elevate your practice's professional identity while increasing your team's personal and professional satisfaction! Create a wellness-centered practice with an informed team that inspires confidence in patients, improving both the overall quality of patient care and the practice of financial health.

**GILLIAM, MS. KATHRYN****MEDICAL PROTOCOLS FOR PERIODONTAL THERAPY | C46**

2-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

It is an exciting time to be a dental health professional, as dentistry and dental hygiene are both growing as medical specialties. As the understanding of the multiple links between the mouth and the body has increased, the role of dental professionals has expanded to include awareness of and focus on the whole health of our patients. Traditionally, dental health care practitioners have not approached dental disease in the same way that medical doctors approach systemic diseases. There is much to be gained by adopting certain medical strategies, such as performing risk assessment, seeking the root cause, employing laboratory testing and utilizing wound care protocols in routine dental care. Dental professionals must try to unravel the complex interactions between host susceptibility, immune response, genetic associations, behavioral components and disease control. As knowledge of oral-systemic connections has become widely understood and accepted, the next step is to integrate that knowledge into practical clinical protocols. It's time to elevate your identity as a health care practitioner in this new age of integrated medicine and dentistry.


**GINDEA, DR. JOSHUA****MARKETING YOUR PRACTICE ONLINE AND GROWING YOUR  
REVENUE IN THE ERA OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE | NC08**

9 AM-12 PM | MARKETING | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
PRACTICE ADMINISTRATOR	\$55	\$55	\$65

This lecture will discuss the newest and latest internal and external marketing techniques that were developed to respond to the ever-changing digital marketing strategies that your practice needs to perfect. The advent of artificial intelligence tools has presented both challenges and opportunities in perfecting your marketing strategies. The lecture will show you how these tools can be incorporated into your practice to help make 2025 more efficient and more profitable. By incorporating these fresh new marketing techniques and by reinforcing the marketing procedures that have worked in the past, using the tools taught in this lecture can help you drastically grow your revenues and your patient base in 2025/2026 and beyond!

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# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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## HAMMOND, DR. BARRY

**VERTICAL DIMENSION: CONSIDERATIONS  
FOR AESTHETIC DENTISTRY | C35**

9-11 AM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105

Vertical dimension has often been considered a great mystery in dentistry and taught as never to be altered. In this lecture, attendees will examine the myths, realities, and challenges of vertical dimension and discuss how to safely alter or restore vertical dimension to achieve your aesthetic and restorative goals.

## JOHNSON, DR. JOHNNY

**OPINIONS, POLICIES AND FLUORIDE:  
SCIENCE ALWAYS PREVAILS | C36**

9-11 AM | SPECIAL INTEREST | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

For more than 80 years, community water fluoridation (fluoridation) has been proven to significantly reduce tooth decay among adults and children, especially those without access to routine dental care. Fluoride is naturally present in all water sources. Fluoridation is simply the adjustment of fluoride to the level recommended for optimal health. During this lecture, Dr. Johnson will focus heavily on information "ripped from the headlines" that purports an association between optimally fluoridated water and neurocognitive development. You will walk away with knowledge of the most up-to-date information in a format that you can use immediately.

## JONES, MR. GREG

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**DEMEOLA, MR. MICHAEL  
KAPLAN, MR. JASON**

**ARE YOU READY FOR OWNERSHIP OR RETIREMENT?****START PLANNING TODAY! | NC13**

2-5 PM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Are you thinking about practice ownership or retirement? Whether you are ready to transition now or in five years, this crash course presented by some of the top professionals in their respective fields will teach you the ABCs and 1-2-3s of what dentists need to know to confidently put together a successful practice transition plan. During this lecture, attendees will receive insight into important considerations, including market conditions and trends, legal review, and buyer strategies when planning the next step in their careers. This lecture will detail the process of buying and selling dental practices. The speakers will review how to properly structure a practice to reduce tax liability, examine non-compete agreements, discuss purchasing issues, compare real estate purchases versus leases and explain dental board compliance. Attendees will have the opportunity to ask questions and surround themselves with peers facing similar realities.

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## JONES-FOSU, MR. JUSTIN

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**WORK TO A DIFFERENT BEAT KEYNOTE | NC06**

7:45-8:45 AM | COMMUNICATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
ALL ATTENDEES	\$0	\$0	\$35

If you're looking to shift your mindset to accelerate productivity, manage stress effectively, and recognize and enjoy more positive work and life moments, then this keynote is for you! This keynote session will feature an inside-out approach powered by practical research that empowers you and your team to bring their best selves to work daily. Using the African drum as a metaphor for bringing meaning, Mr. Justin Jones-Fosu will create an unforgettable experience that will inspire you to take immediate action in how you show up at work and in life. Attendees will leave this session with a deeper commitment to self-development and practical skills to shift their mental rhythms at work and at home with the 3 Rhythm Model. Get ready to be motivated through ACTION to be more productive, better leaders, and change agents!

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FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**KHAN, DR. WAJI**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**DENTAL IMPLANTS FOR BEGINNERS:****SIX PEARLS OF WISDOM ON HOW TO SUCCEED! | C47**

2-5 PM | IMPLANTS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture is intended to be a full-scope, action-packed course on how to incorporate placing and restoring dental implants into your dental practice. This lecture will cover topics such as dental implant history, simple treatment planning, the surgical phase, the prosthetic phase, long-term follow-up and maintenance, management of complications and recordkeeping. *This is a two-part course (C47 and W35/W37) that is best attended as a full-day learning experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may take the courses separately.*

**KLEIVE, DR. MARK****THE ULTIMATE ASSISTANT WORKSHOP:****MASTERING THE SKILLS TO MAKE YOURSELF IRREPLACEABLE | W16**

9 AM-12 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
ASSISTANT	\$269	\$289	\$299

Would you like to improve your confidence in the many important roles of the chairside assistant? This hands-on workshop will include several clinical and non-clinical topics that will take you and your practice to the next level. During this workshop, you will learn how to easily navigate the key steps of case acceptance, hone your photography skills for patient and laboratory communication, and easily navigate post-operative instructions. You will also master trimming, polishing, and characterizing exquisite restorations, understand the dynamics of the “business of dentistry” to turbo-charging your practice, and become an indispensable member of a high-trust team - plus much more! *Dr. Kleive offers a repeat of this workshop (W28) on Friday, June 20, from 1-5 p.m. Attendance is limited to 30.*

*Participant Requirements: Loupes are recommended.*

**KLEIVE, DR. MARK****THE ULTIMATE ASSISTANT WORKSHOP:****MASTERING THE SKILLS TO MAKE YOURSELF IRREPLACEABLE (REPEAT) | W28**

2-5 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
ASSISTANT	\$269	\$289	\$299

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*Participant Requirements: Loupes are recommended.*

**KOHNER, DR. JAMES**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**BEATING UP ON YOUR PATIENTS’ PERIODONTAL DISEASE – A MINIMALLY INVASIVE APPROACH | C37**

9 AM-12 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Discover a scientifically proven, evidence-based approach for managing all stages of periodontal disease, either through non-surgical methods like scaling and root planing or minimally invasive surgical interventions for advanced cases. Both indications will be discussed, demonstrating how incorporating chemotherapeutic methods to target bacteria enables successful treatment of mild to severe conditions. These innovative methods will be explained by outlining both in-office procedures as well as specific anti-microbial procedures for the patient to do at home. When combined, they yield predictable clinical results for previously failing cases as well as those treated for the first time. By applying these principles, results will be improved over classic surgical or non-surgical methods, which may not kill all bacteria. Treatment will be illustrated with clinical photos and radiographs.



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<b>KEYNOTE SESSION</b> FRIDAY, 7:45-8:45 AM	<b>BIG EASY BASH</b> FRIDAY, 7:30-10:30 PM

**Limited Availability! Only 4 VIP Passes are available for each keynote session and party. Add your passes (including reserved seating for 8) to your FDC registration.**

FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**KUGEL, DR. GERARD**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**BIOACTIVE DENTISTRY — PREVENTION TO RESTORATION | C48**

2-5 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will cover everything from prevention to restoration, highlighting the new class of bioactive/biomimetic materials. Dr. Kugel will review techniques and tools to enhance prevention and long-term maintenance of your patient's dentition, and to help prevent the need for future restoration. Questions are arising as to the longevity and appropriateness of our current resin material systems and the new generation of bonding agents. Researchers have begun to develop advanced acid-base restorative alternatives to help with the limitations seen with restorative and luting needs. Attendees will discuss many of these new preventive and restorative materials and how they can produce better, more long-lasting bioactive and protective restorations, as well as improve bonding results.

**LACOURSIERE, MS. ALLISON****SUPERCHARGE YOUR CLEAR ALIGNER PROGRAM | C38**

9 AM-12 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Clear aligners offer patients and practices many benefits, yet most practices do not maximize their potential. Create a high-performing team to help your patients improve their quality of life and become raving fans. Make it easy for patients to say yes to treatment and keep more production in-house. Clear aligner strategist and coach, Allison Lacoursiere, will share real-world strategies and action steps for optimizing both a clear aligner program and practice systems. Learn how to boost team engagement, delegate processes, and optimize systems to create the ultimate clear aligner program.

**LACOURSIERE, MS. ALLISON**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**GET CLEARLY VISIBLE WITH INSTAGRAM | NC14**

2-5 PM | MARKETING | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Instagram is a powerful platform that can connect you with the "best fit" patients, help your practice gain exposure and solidify your brand. Instagram has become non-negotiable. If you are not marketing there, you run the risk of becoming irrelevant in the marketplace. Learn how to optimize the platform to show a professional, engaging page that will build a base of raving fans, generate referrals, increase production and solidify relationships! If you are new to Instagram – no problem! By the end of the lecture, you will have a clear strategy, know how to be visible to your audience and be ready to market yourself on Instagram in an engaging, effective and powerful way.

**MACEDO, DR. ROBERTO****UNLOCKING SUCCESS: INSIGHTS INTO IMPLANT SITE****DEVELOPMENT AND ABUTMENT SELECTION WORKSHOP | W14**

8 AM-12 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 4

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$399	\$449	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$449	\$499	\$529

This hands-on workshop will provide a well-rounded introduction to anterior dental implant restorations, combining theoretical knowledge with practical clinical application focusing on how to deal with anterior cosmetic challenges. The hands-on exercise will allow participants to make custom implant provisional restorations on models. *Attendance is limited to 30.*

**EXHIBIT HALL  
HOURS****Thursday | 11 AM-6 PM****Friday | 8:45 AM-6 PM****Saturday | 9 AM-2 PM**





## CE HIGHLIGHT

# OCCLUSION IN EVERYDAY DENTISTRY WORKSHOP: A TWO-DAY PANKEY PROGRAM (PEI)

**Friday, June 20-Saturday, June 21**  
**9 AM-5 PM, Both Days | CE Credits: 14**  
**Audience: Dentists**  
**ACT FAST – Attendance is limited to 24.**

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$999	\$1249	\$1349
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$1249	\$1449	\$1599



Have you ever wondered why, after prepping a second molar for a crown, the occlusal of the prep is in contact with the opposing tooth? Every time you alter the chewing surface of a tooth, the entire stomatognathic system is impacted. Often, patients adapt to these changes. But when they

don't, it can jeopardize the restoration and the other teeth and can cost us the patient's trust, not to mention your time.

In this hands-on workshop, you will explore the occlusion challenges you face every day in a restorative practice and look at how you can utilize this information to make dentistry more predictable and help your patients stay healthy and comfortable.



**DR. LEE ANN BRADY** earned her dental degree from the University of Florida College of Dentistry. She is the clinical director for The Pankey Institute and director of education for Clinical Mastery. Dr. Brady maintains a private practice in Glendale, AZ.



**DR. GARY DEWOOD** earned his dental degree from Case Western Reserve University and a master's degree in biomedical sciences from the University of Toledo College of Medicine. He is the past clinical director for The Pankey Institute. Dr. DeWood maintains a private practice in Glendale, AZ.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**MACEDO, DR. ROBERTO****THE RISE OF IMPLANT OVERDENTURES WORKSHOP:  
THE NEW STANDARD OF CARE TO PREDICTABLY RESTORE,  
TROUBLESHOOT AND SOLVE CLINICAL COMPLICATIONS | W22**

1-5 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 4

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$399	\$449	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$449	\$499	\$529

This comprehensive hands-on workshop will cover the essential components of overdentures, from diagnosis to treatment plan to execute and maintain future trends. Participants will learn the essential aspects of successful dental treatment, including functional and aesthetic diagnosis, comprehensive treatment planning, surgical considerations, material selection, final impressions and attachment selection. Gain the skills to achieve optimal outcomes with confidence in this hands-on workshop! *Attendance is limited to 24.*

**MCNEFF, MR. DANIEL****SAFEGUARDING WEALTH LUNCH & LEARN:  
LAWSUIT PREVENTION AND TAX STRATEGIES | NC10**

12:15-1:15 PM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, GUESTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$15	\$15	\$20
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$15	\$15	\$20
GUEST	\$15	\$15	\$20

During this lunch and learn, Legally Mine will show you how to stop the threat of lawsuits before they ever get started by protecting your assets in time-tested and proven legal structures. These same structures allow you to help your tax attorneys save what you would normally pay in income taxes. These are little-known tax helps that have significant case histories and have stood the test of time. *The \$15 registration fee will be refunded back to the original payment method after you attend the event in its entirety. No shows and/or partial attendance are not eligible for a refund.*

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**PIETERS, MS. NICHOLE****PREVENTION OF MEDICAL ERRORS | RM1-4**

2-4 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$145	\$145	\$165
TEAM MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85
DENTAL STUDENT	\$75	\$75	\$85

This lecture will address basic patient safety strategies, Florida-specific requirements and common dental risk and liability sources. The course will include dental closed claims data, case studies, audience participation and some humor. Just because this is a mandatory course, does not mean this course cannot be fun! *Ms. Pieters offers a repeat of this course (RM5-8) on Saturday, June 21 from 2-4 p.m. This lecture satisfies the Florida Board of Dentistry's continuing education requirement for medical errors.*

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**SAKR, MR. DANY**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**UNCOMPLICATE IMPLANT PARTS FOR  
IMPLANT CROWNS, SNAP-ON DENTURES  
AND ALL-ON-X RESTORATIONS WORKSHOP | W17**

9 AM-12 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS,  
LABORATORY TECHNICIANS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$299	\$349	\$369
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329

This workshop is intended to help the office team identify components necessary to plan and deliver implant restorations, overdentures and ALL-on-X restorations. Proper implant care requires the dental team to be familiar with a wide variety of parts and instruments. From analogs, impression transfers, healing caps, multi-unit abutments, screws and drivers, participants will leave with a deep understanding of these parts and become vital assets to the practice in the delivery of high-quality implant care. *Attendance is limited to 30.*

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## SANGRIK, DR. LARRY

### NITROUS OXIDE AND ORAL SEDATION FOR THE DENTAL PATIENT | C49

2-5 PM | ANESTHESIA | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE  
ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

From the days of Morton and Wells, dentistry has been at the forefront of healthcare in helping patients cope with the stress and anxiety of treatment. Today, there is a renewed emphasis on aiding apprehensive patients. Because of its ability to wear off quickly, nitrous oxide continues to be a valuable tool in this endeavor. Whether you are considering nitrous oxide for your practice or are seeking the newest techniques, this lecture will help dentists address the needs of their apprehensive patients. Many dental boards allow hygienists and dental assistants to monitor/administer nitrous oxide. Learn strategies for maximizing the clinical team's role. Additionally, discover techniques for augmenting nitrous oxide with a modest dose of oral sedation, providing a safe alternative for conscious sedation.

## SCOTT, DR. JEFF

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### ANTERIOR AESTHETICS: EVERY CASE IS A CHALLENGE | C50

2-5 PM | AESTHETIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105

Proper planning and execution are keys to great anterior aesthetics, whether it is a single tooth, full arch or implant-supported crowns. This lecture will cover general topics like treatment planning and occlusion and the critical details of margin placement, soft tissue management and material selection for maximum aesthetic results.

## SHANAWANY, MR. RIAD

### STATE OF THE MARKET PRESENTATION | NC09

9 AM-12 PM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$55	\$65

This lecture will provide a detailed look into the state of the market, presenting a wide range of topics, including the previous year's performance, current trends and events, driving factors in today's market, and forecasts for the rest of the year.

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## STRANGE, MS. MICHELLE

### CREATING LONG-LASTING PATIENT OUTCOMES:

#### NO SCALER REQUIRED | C39

9 AM-12 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

For quite some time, the role of a dental hygienist has been primarily centered around calculus removal. However, it's essential to question the rationale behind this focus. Is calculus truly the cause of dental disease? Instead, what if you reevaluate your patient care process, with behavior change and motivation taking precedence during appointments? Taking a step back from your routine scale, polish and floss procedures, you must critically examine why you use a scaler on the tooth and whether polishing away stains may have unintended consequences. Shifting your approach to prioritize coaching the patient first, alongside disease prevention based on at-home biofilm management and other factors, could lead to the positive change you seek. In this lecture, attendees will explore alternative therapeutic approaches to patient treatment, emphasizing the game of helping patients prevent dental disease.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**STRANGE, MS. MICHELLE****INFECTION CONTROL IN THE SURGICAL SETTING | C51**

2-5 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Infection control forms the bedrock of patient care, especially within surgical settings. This lecture will highlight the critical importance of infection prevention in dental practices and raise awareness about the potential risks associated with lapses in infection control protocols. By achieving the objectives, dental professionals can renew their commitment to prevention and gain valuable insights into incorporating innovative techniques like Guided Biofilm Therapy and motivational strategies into their patient care approach. Emphasizing prevention over treatment can have a profound impact on patients' oral health and overall well-being.

**TAMIMI, DR. DANIA****CBCT FOR IMPLANT DENTISTRY | C40**

9 AM-12 PM | IMPLANTS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Dr. Tamimi will provide an in-depth review of the concepts of imaging for implants, including image manipulation to produce clinically correct cross sections, radiographic anatomy of relevant parts of the head and neck, as well as a systematic review of a CBCT volume. She will discuss the key strategies for the detection and evaluation of pathology that may be visualized on the scan and their relevance to implant treatment planning and insertion, teaching the fine diagnostic details that would enable the attendees to single out one diagnosis over the other. This lecture is important to any dentist who is practicing implant dentistry, whether they use CBCT imaging or not, as it reviews anatomy relevant to implant dentistry and the fine art of radiographic evaluation of pathology and formation of a differential diagnosis.

**TAMIMI, DR. DANIA****THE MYSTERY OF THE CHANGING BITE | C52**

2-5 PM | OCCLUSION | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Dentists will often see patients whose chief complaint is that their bite is changing, sometimes following dental treatment. There are many possible scenarios for this occurrence, with the etiology usually being structures distant to the teeth. This lecture will discuss these etiologies (TMJ, airway, skull base, and other factors) and show the clinician how to use CBCT to evaluate for risk factors for future bite changes radiographically. Diagnosis of these conditions is important for the long-term success of dental treatment, whether it is restorative, orthodontic or prosthodontic.

**TANNER, DR. KELLY**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**THE TRUTH ABOUT OCCLUSION AND RETHINKING "NORMAL" | C41**

9-11 AM | OCCLUSION | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

What is the occlusion on the right? How about the left? What does this mean for your patient's oral health? Malocclusion or misalignment can lead to oral maladies that increase the risk of tooth loss and periodontal disease. Malocclusion may also be a marker for airway issues, TMJ disorders and migraines, significantly impacting the patient's overall health. Receding gums and tooth wear isn't something we should dismiss as "normal." Taking the time to research these conditions can help you identify factors leading to long-term damage so your patients can enjoy a lifetime of healthy smiles – saving them from painful procedures or high costs down the line.

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## TANNER, DR. KELLY

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### KNOW YOUR FLOW: TECHNOLOGY AND TECHNIQUES FOR DENTAL IMPLANT SUCCESS | C53

2-4 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Dental implants require specialized care, but do you have the WHY and HOW behind your workflow? This lecture will guide attendees through the development of an effective diagnostic and maintenance workflow for dental implants, supported by the latest technological advancements and evidence-based homecare strategies. Attendees will learn how to differentiate between healthy, inflamed and diseased implants, ensuring early intervention and better patient outcomes. The lecture will cover available technology and techniques for implant maintenance, helping you determine the most appropriate methods based on the patient's periodontal condition and type of implant. Additionally, attendees will gain practical knowledge about which tools to recommend to patients for optimal homecare, ensuring they are equipped to support their implant health for life.

## THOMPSON, DR. SHERECE GORA, MS. MARISSA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### X-OUT YOUR X-RAY ERRORS HANDS-ON WORKSHOP | W18

9 AM-12 PM | RADIOGRAPHY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$329	\$399	\$449
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$399	\$449	\$499
TEAM MEMBER	\$329	\$399	\$449

The purpose of this workshop is to improve the diagnostic quality of intra-oral and extraoral radiographic images. This workshop will include a lecture component followed by a hands-on component to practice correcting common errors and mistakes commonly performed by practitioners in a dental setting. Dr. Thompson offers a repeat of this workshop (W29) on Friday, June 20, from 2-5 p.m. Attendance is limited to 30.

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## THOMPSON, DR. SHERECE GORA, MS. MARISSA

### X-OUT YOUR X-RAY ERRORS

### HANDS-ON WORKSHOP (REPEAT) | W29

2-5 PM | RADIOGRAPHY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$329	\$399	\$449
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$399	\$449	\$499
TEAM MEMBER	\$329	\$399	\$449

The purpose of this workshop is to improve the diagnostic quality of intra-oral and extraoral radiographic images. This workshop will include a lecture component followed by a hands-on component to practice correcting common errors and mistakes commonly performed by practitioners in a dental setting. This course is a repeat of Dr. Thompson's workshop (W18) on June 20, from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Attendance is limited to 30.

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## URSITI, DR. VICTORIA

### SILVER DIAMINE FLUORIDE WORKSHOP:

### WHERE IT'S BEST, THE SMART WAY TO USE IT AND OTHER NEW MATERIALS FOR LITTLE TEETH! | W19

9 AM-12 PM | PEDIATRIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$279	\$299	\$329
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$299	\$329	\$349
TEAM MEMBER	\$279	\$299	\$329
DENTAL STUDENT	\$279	\$299	\$329

What's old is new, and the use of silver to slow down decay has been around since the time of G.V. Black. However, the formula of silver diamine fluoride (SDF) is newer to dentistry and trends in use, especially in pediatric dentistry. This workshop will explore SDF's history in dentistry, how it was used, and how it has become a new interim caries-arresting medication of choice. Case presentations on usage in pediatric patients and the protocol on how it's used will be explained. The workshop will also cover the silver modified atraumatic restorative therapy technique (SMART), which combines SDF with restorative materials used in pediatric dentistry. Anterior and Posterior teeth will be discussed. Attendance is limited to 15.

Participant Requirements: Loupes

This workshop is partially sponsored by





FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**URSITTI, DR. VICTORIA****TACKLING THE BIG PROBLEMS IN LITTLE TEETH: INTERIM THERAPY, SILVER DIAMINE FLUORIDE AND NEW MATERIALS IN PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY | C54**

2-5 PM | PEDIATRIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Gone are the days of “let them fall out ... they’re just baby teeth!” Current theories, new attitudes, improved materials and evidence-based procedures now encourage dental clinicians to re-examine how to best treat young patients. With bioactive and interim restorative materials and stainless and aesthetic crowns, the choices and treatment are better suited for easier handling and make for more manageable treatment procedures. This lecture will discuss the various materials, their use, diagnosis for appropriate restorations, posterior versus anterior, and how to manage treatments and cases to exemplify the topic.

*This lecture is partially sponsored by*

**VIOLA, DR. THOMAS**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**HURTS SO ... SWELL! MANAGEMENT OF ACUTE DENTAL PAIN AND APPROPRIATE OPIOID PRESCRIBING | OP1-2**

9 AM-12 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$145	\$145	\$165

Management of acute odontogenic pain is accomplished through a clinical approach that successfully incorporates both opioid and non-opioid analgesics. However, moderate to severe dental pain often occurs well after office hours and away from your immediate supervision. Thus, it is critical for clinicians to be able to accurately identify a patient's need for pain control, develop an individualized pain management plan and assess the efficacy of analgesic agents employed. This lecture will provide an overview of strategies for effectively managing dental pain with opioid and non-opioid analgesics and analgesic adjuvants, while also mitigating associated risks. Special emphasis will be given to appropriate practices for prescribing analgesics as well as identification and treatment of opioid analgesic abuse. **This lecture satisfies the Florida Board of Dentistry's mandatory continuing education requirement for Safe and Effective Prescribing of Controlled Substances. This CE can also be used toward the 8-hour MATE Act requirement.**

**VRLA, MS. KELLI**

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

**STRESS BUSTING WITH HUMOR: RESILIENCE AND PRODUCTIVE STRATEGIES FOR EVERYONE! | PM02**

9 AM-12 PM | PRACTICE MANAGEMENT | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE

ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Stressed out? About to pull your hair out? Let's put traction and action into all the distractions! The struggle is real! Stress diminishes your effectiveness. This fast-moving lecture will help you find balance and increase focus to move over, under, around and through daily challenges. A festive delivery of do-it-now skills to help you and your team “have more fun and get more done.” Discover 52 proven stress reducers and 146 things to say when things don't go your way. Come ready to laugh and learn!

**VRLA, MS. KELLI****CHANGE MANAGEMENT: HOW TO HANDLE CHANGE BEFORE CHANGE HANDLES YOU! | PM03**

2-5 PM | PRACTICE MANAGEMENT | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER / GUEST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

We're all leaders in the change movement! This lecture will help you understand why you and others often instinctively resist change and the top reasons why organizational change often fails. This highly engaging lecture will also provide important considerations to address before introducing any change and the keys to overcoming resistance to change! Ms. Vrla's festive course will bring you “hit-the-ground-running” techniques to help you have more fun as you get more done!

# COURSE/EVENT SCHEDULE

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PM04	9:00 AM	12:00 PM	Beeson	The Path to Success is Paved with Intention	46
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W33	9:00 AM	11:30 AM	Delgado	Updates in Operative Dentistry Workshop: Comprehensive Hands-on Instructions for Dental Auxiliaries (Repeat)	50
C58	9:00 AM	12:00 PM	DePalma	TMD or TMJ: What Is It All About?	50
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NC17	9:00 AM	12:00 PM	Rice	Is Everyone Smiling But You: A Dentist and Team's Guide to Your Three-Million Dollar Practice	59
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W37	2:00 PM	5:00 PM	Khan	Dental Implants for Beginners: Pearls of Wisdom on How to Succeed Workshop (Repeat)	54
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W39	2:00 PM	5:00 PM	Kugel	The Dos and Don'ts of Porcelain Laminate Veneers Workshop	55
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C75	2:00 PM	5:00 PM	Shah	Hormonal Harmony: Exploring the Hidden Links Between Health, Hormones and Your Smile	60
W41	2:00 PM	5:00 PM	Ursitti	Treating Newborns and Infants with Tongue and/or Lip Ties Workshop	61
NC23	2:00 PM	4:00 PM	Wiener	Maximizing Effective Collections in the Dental Office	61

**NETWORKING & EXHIBIT HALL EVENTS**

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11:30 AM	1:00 PM	FDA Student Leadership Luncheon
11:30 AM	12:30 PM	FDA Board of Trustees Orientation
1:30 PM	2:30 PM	Leadership Development Committee Meeting

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# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## ALBERTO, DR. PAM

### SURGICAL EXPOSURE OF IMPACTED TEETH | C55

9 AM-12 PM | ORAL SURGERY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Impacted incisors, canines, premolars and second molars are problems encountered frequently by general dentists, orthodontists and oral and maxillofacial surgeons. The etiology of impacted teeth is multifactorial. Successful management requires an interdisciplinary approach, with an orthodontist responsible for the overall success of the treatment plan. Choosing the appropriate surgical procedure and orthodontic treatment plan will result in a stable, predictable and aesthetic result. Proper treatment planning, radiographic evaluation and appropriate surgical procedures will be discussed.

## BALL, MR. RICK

## BALL, MS. KELLY

### HANDS-ON HANDPIECE CARE:

### MASTERING DENTAL HANDPIECE MAINTENANCE FOR LONGEVITY AND PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP (REPEAT) | W32

9-11 AM | DENTAL MATERIALS | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$299	\$329	\$359
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329
DENTAL STUDENT	\$249	\$299	\$299

In this workshop, participants will dive into the essential world of dental handpiece maintenance, learning practical techniques and strategies to enhance handpiece lifespan, ensure optimal performance and improve patient care. Dental handpieces are critical tools in every practice, yet their proper upkeep is often overlooked. Attendees will learn common handpiece issues and troubleshooting techniques, cleaning and lubrication and maintenance protocols, answer YOUR specific questions, and problem-solve as a group. This workshop is designed to empower you and your team with the tools to ensure your handpieces are always in top condition! *This course is a repeat of Mr. Ball's deep dive course (W23) on Friday, June 20, from 2-4 p.m. Attendance is limited to 30.*

This workshop is fully sponsored by



## BEESON, MS. MIRANDA

### THE PATH TO SUCCESS IS PAVED WITH INTENTION | PM04

9 AM-12 PM | PRACTICE MANAGEMENT | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Most dental professionals achieve a level of unconscious competence and enter autopilot mode. Going through your day-to-day without much mindful thinking leads to a plateau within the practice. The only way to reach that plateau and re-ignite the enthusiasm that will take your practice and your patient care to the next level is through intentional actions. This lecture will help everyone on the team to recognize their potential impact on the patient experience. Elevating the patient experience from the phone call to treatment presentation with mindful intention is key to growth, especially in creating differentiation. Together, attendees will learn how to blend communication strategies with systems to grow your practice, resulting in greater fulfillment for you and your team.

This lecture is partially sponsored by



## BEESON, MS. MIRANDA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### MIND YOUR BUSINESS – HOW HYGIENISTS CAN ELEVATE THE PRACTICE AND THEMSELVES! | NC18

2-5 PM | TREATMENT PLANNING | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST*	\$0	\$0	\$75
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

The dental profession is only as strong as you are and if you are going to build value in yourselves and the profession, then you must understand the business of the profession. Many hygienists enter the workforce with a solid education in science, theory, and technical ability; however, the reality is there is so much more to learn. To better understand what is expected and to become monetarily successful, it is important to know what types of clinical opportunities exist, master interviewing, understand the numbers behind decisions being made, and how to modify and enhance those numbers to generate profitability and increase earning potential, as well as what a leadership track can look like for a clinical hygienist. If you don't mind your business ... who will? **\*Free for the first 100 hygienists to register for the course.**



## SATURDAY, JUNE 21

### BLESSING, DR. TRACY

#### LEVEL ONE BOTULINUM TOXIN WORKSHOP: INTRODUCTION AND ESSENTIALS TO INCORPORATING IT INTO YOUR DENTAL PRACTICE | W30

8 AM-5 PM | BOTOX/DERMAL FILLERS | CE CREDITS: 8

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$1999	\$2199	\$2299
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$2199	\$2299	\$2399
ASSISTANT*	\$199	\$219	\$239

This workshop will introduce botulinum toxin type A and focus on the cosmetic and therapeutic uses to provide comprehensive patient care and total facial aesthetics in dental practice. The workshop will include an in-depth review of pertinent facial anatomy and muscle physiology, as well as botulinum toxin's mechanism of action. Specific areas of treatment will be explained and demonstrated for the upper face, as well as dental-specific applications such as gummy smile reduction and clenching/grinding treatments. The integration of botulinum toxin in a dental environment will be discussed, from the patient consultation to the evaluation and diagnosis, and finally, to the treatment with before-and-after case presentations.

Detailed information will be provided concerning the safety and risk concerns when using botulinum toxin, along with the management and treatment of complications, dilution protocols, sterile injection techniques, and proper placement for desired outcomes. During the workshop, attendees will gain valuable insight into how to incorporate botulinum toxin into their dental practice. The potential for practice growth and profitability will be explored, as well as implementation with staff training and incorporation into comprehensive treatment plans.

In the afternoon hands-on portion of the workshop, attendees will have the opportunity to diagnose, map, and treat a model patient with one-on-one mentored instruction. Upon completion of the full-day workshop, attendees will have the confidence and skills to implement botulinum toxin treatments into their dental practice. A one-hour lunch break will be provided during this course. *Attendance is limited to 20. \*Paid team member learning is a co-learning experience with a paid doctor attendee.*

**Participant Requirements:** Attendees must provide proof of current professional liability insurance two weeks prior to attending with the expiration date included. The Florida Dental Association (FDA) assumes no liability if a participant is refused coverage by an insurer for any reason or is unable to obtain materials for use in practice. **Attendees must bring their own model patient.** This is a teaching course, so please advise your model patient that they must be available for approximately 3-4 hours in the afternoon. You and your team members may serve as patients. The FDA does not provide model patients.

### BOSCH, MR. BRANDON

#### HOW TO MAKE MARKETING WORK FOR YOU | NC15

9-12 AM | MARKETING | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
PRACTICE ADMINISTRATOR	\$55	\$55	\$65

Dr. Marketing is here to make sense of the complex world of dental marketing. Most practices Dr. Marketing has met are unaware of all the interesting ways to generate patient leads, how a lead can be tracked through a Google or Facebook campaign, or how much a marketing budget should be and what it should be spent on. This lecture will cover common marketing mistakes, rules and regulations the association sets, determining a proper marketing budget, and more. Mr. Bosch will also share strategies of what some of Dr. Marketing's top dental practices are doing across the country. The goal is to ensure dental practices are effectively marketed based on their growth goals and budget and that they meet the ethical standards of marketing a dental practice.

This lecture is fully sponsored by



**Dr. Marketing**

### BUESCHGEN, DR. WOLF

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

#### FORENSIC DENTISTRY – THE MOST FASCINATING SPHERE OF POLICE WORK | C56

9 AM-12 PM | FORENSIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture offers an in-depth exploration of the critical role odontology plays in forensic investigations. Genuine cases – each with unique challenges – will be used to illustrate how clinical dentistry is utilized in various forensic investigations. Attendees will gain a comprehensive understanding of the concepts and methodologies used in human identification through dental and craniofacial analysis. The lecture will cover using teeth and craniofacial features in estimating age, ancestry, and sex, with special emphasis on victim identification in mass disasters. Additionally, attendees will learn how to create systematic dental record documentation, serving both as legal evidence and as a historical record of patient care in dental practice. *Note: Sensitive material will be shown during this course. Attendee discretion is advised.*

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## BUESCHGEN, DR. WOLF

### THE SECRETS TEETH TELL US:

#### FROM ARCHAEOLOGY TO FORENSIC SCIENCE | C68

2-5 PM | FORENSIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will help attendees understand how teeth are used to answer questions in both archaeological and forensic contexts, as well as how methodologies between these contexts are similar and different depending on the questions asked. During this lecture, attendees will review methods to use to determine an individual's age of death, gender of the individual, ancestry, cultural indicators and more. *Note: Sensitive material will be shown during this course. Attendee discretion is advised.*

## CARMONA, DR. CID

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### BUILDING THE UNSTOPPABLE TEAM | NC16

9 AM-12 PM | COMMUNICATION | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE

ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Are you passionate about dentistry but finding the day-to-day management of your practice to be overwhelming? Do you sometimes dream about having a team that would take more initiative, solving problems proactively instead of waiting for your guidance? If so, this lecture is for you! In this dynamic and entertaining lecture, you will uncover the secrets to building and leading a high-performance dental team that not only meets but exceeds your expectations. You'll learn proven strategies to inspire and empower your team, fostering a culture of accountability and proactive problem-solving. Attendees will dive into practical techniques for effective communication, delegation and motivation that will transform your practice into a well-oiled machine. By the end of the lecture, you'll have the skills to transform your practice from a source of stress into a thriving, collaborative environment where everyone is engaged and working toward excellence. Don't miss this opportunity to revolutionize your practice and take the first step toward a more effective and fulfilling leadership experience!

This lecture is partially sponsored by



## CARMONA, DR. CID

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### BREAKTHROUGH DENTAL MARKETING | NC19

2-5 PM | MARKETING | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE

ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Are you ready to supercharge your dental practice's growth, even in uncertain economic times? This exhilarating, fast-paced marketing lecture is where you'll uncover cutting-edge strategies designed to attract new patients, build unwavering patient loyalty and significantly boost case acceptance. This lecture is packed with actionable insights, real-world examples and practical tools that you can implement immediately to start seeing results. Whether you're a seasoned practitioner looking to revitalize your marketing approach or a new dentist aiming to build a strong patient base, this lecture will equip you with the knowledge and skills needed to excel. Don't miss this chance to transform your practice's marketing strategy and drive meaningful growth. Get ready to elevate your practice to new heights!

## COTTEN, MS. SUSAN

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### ORAL CANCER SCREENING:

#### IT'S MORE THAN GRASPING THE TONGUE | C57

9 AM-12 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
HYGIENIST	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

As dental professionals, you are pressed for time during your busy day of serving patients and want to end the day knowing you have done everything possible to provide optimal care for each patient. That includes the early detection of head and neck, oral and oropharyngeal cancer. The consequences of an incomplete oral cancer screening, along with delayed referrals and inadequate documentation, can result in an increased risk of liability, delayed diagnosis, and, worst-case scenario, life is lost. Join Ms. Cotten in this content-rich lecture to discuss the Human Papillomavirus (HPV) and additional risk factors for oral cancer, signs and symptoms associated with oral and oropharyngeal cancer, and components of a comprehensive visual and tactile, extraoral and intraoral evaluation. Attendees will gain actionable steps to immediately implement in their clinical practice. *This is a two-part course (C57 and W36) that is best attended as a full-day experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may choose to take the lecture course only.*



# ADVANCE YOUR CLINICAL EXPERTISE!

## CE HIGHLIGHT

Are you looking to refine your techniques, explore the latest advancements, or integrate new solutions into your practice? Sharpen your skills with these restorative and oral surgery courses! Add these courses to your FDC itinerary to explore innovative techniques and technologies and walk away with the expertise to elevate your practice.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 19

- › **Alveolar Ridge Preservation Using Bone Graft and Membrane Workshop | W08**  
Dr. Elaine Barboza
- › **Crown Lengthening: Can it REALLY Improve Restorative Results? | C05**  
Dr. James Kohner
- › **Crown Lengthening Workshop | W07**  
Dr. James Kohner
- › **Making the Most of Mini Dental Implants | C23**  
Dr. Todd Shatkin

### FRIDAY, JUNE 20

- › **Crown Lengthening for Cosmetics and Restoration Hands-on Workshop | W21**  
Dr. Bassel Gebrael
- › **The Rise of Implant Overdentures Workshop: The New Standard of Care to Predictably Restore, Trouble Shoot and Solve Clinical Complications | W22**  
Dr. Roberto Macedo
- › **Uncomplicate Implant Parts for Implant Crowns, Snap-on Dentures and ALL-on-X Restorations Workshop | W17**  
Mr. Dany Sakr

### SATURDAY, JUNE 21

- › **Comprehensive Surgical and Restorative Dental Implant Workflows for Dental Assistants C74 | Dr. Joe Richardson**
- › **Dental Implants for Beginners: Pearls of Wisdom on How to Succeed Workshop | W35 or W37**  
Dr. Waji Khan
- › **Predictable Extraction Socket Grafting Workshop | W40**  
Dr. Avi Schetrit
- › **Surgical Exposure of Impacted Teeth | C55**  
Dr. Pam Alberto

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## COTTEN, MS. SUSAN

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### ORAL CANCER SCREENING:

#### IT'S MORE THAN GRASPING THE TONGUE WORKSHOP | W36

2-5 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$199	\$249	\$269
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$249	\$299	\$319
HYGIENIST	\$199	\$249	\$269
DENTAL STUDENT	\$199	\$249	\$269

Every dental professional is at a different confidence level when performing a comprehensive screening. This workshop will provide a fun and engaging opportunity for hands-on work in a supportive environment with other clinicians seeking to increase their skill and confidence in a comprehensive visual and tactile, extraoral, and intraoral evaluation. This workshop will utilize Ms. Cotten's instructional screening videos and photos as teaching tools. Attendees will partner up, glove and mask up, and work together to increase their confidence and skill in this procedure. Ms. Cotten will join in the hands-on fun, assisting attendees with their specific concerns as needed and time allows so they can experience the first-hand "feel" of what they want to be more confident in performing. It is Ms. Cotten's experience that this gives attendees that "Ah ha!" moment in learning. The workshop will also look at health history intake and risk assessment as part of the screening process. *The lecture, "Oral Cancer Screening: It's More Than Grasping the Tongue" (C57), is a prerequisite for this workshop. You must register and pay for both courses for a full-day experience. Attendance is limited to 28.*

Participant Requirements: Loupes with light is optional.

The equipment for this workshop is sponsored by



## DELGADO, DR. ALEX

### UPDATES IN OPERATIVE DENTISTRY WORKSHOP:

#### COMPREHENSIVE HANDS-ON INSTRUCTIONS FOR DENTAL AUXILIARIES (REPEAT) | W33

9-11:30 AM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 2.5

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329

In this hands-on workshop, participants will build on the foundational knowledge gained from the lecture "Updates in Operative Dentistry: A Comprehensive Guide for Dental Auxiliaries Pursuing Certification." This workshop will offer a comprehensive introduction to operative dentistry techniques with a focus on direct restorations and isolation methods. By the end of the workshop, participants will have developed practical skills that can be immediately applied in a clinical setting, empowering them to confidently assist in complex restorative procedures. This hands-on workshop is ideal for those preparing for certification or looking to refine their expertise in operative dentistry. *This course is a repeat of Dr. Delgado's workshop (W24) on Friday, June 20, from 2-4:30 p.m. The lecture, "Updates in Operative Dentistry: A Comprehensive Guide for Dental Auxiliaries Pursuing Certification" (C32), is a prerequisite for this workshop. You must register and pay for both courses for a full-day experience. Attendance is limited to 30.*

Participant Requirements: Magnification or eye protection is optional.

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



## DEPALMA, MS. ANN-MARIE

### TMD OR TMJ: WHAT IS IT ALL ABOUT? | C58

9 AM-12 PM | TMJ DISORDERS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

Temporomandibular disorders (TMD) are a group of often painful conditions that affect the temporomandibular joint and the muscles of mastication. The National Institutes of Health estimates that approximately 10 million people will be affected. During this interactive presentation, attendees will discover the anatomy, signs, symptoms and treatments available for TMD patients. By understanding the structure and function of the joint and its disease manifestations, attendees will be able to understand the frustration that often accompanies the TMD patient.



## SATURDAY, JUNE 21

### DEWOOD, DR. GARY

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

#### DESIGNING AN OCCLUSION – WHERE DO I START? | C59

9 AM-12 PM | OCCLUSION | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS,  
DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Designing an occlusion requires a starting reference and a clear visualization of the desired outcome. What teeth contact, when do they contact, and for how long do they contact? The answers to those questions will depend on the patterns and habits exhibited by each patient. This lecture will discuss the various options and their application.

### DRYER, MS. MARIANNE CISTERNINO, MS. LAUREN

#### THE ART OF FURCATION NAVIGATION WITH ULTRASONIC INSTRUMENTATION WORKSHOP | W34

9 AM-12 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
HYGIENIST	\$249	\$299	\$329

This workshop will examine the need for proper foundational skills in ultrasonic technique with both magnetostrictive and piezo technology. A review of proper adaptation and angulation will be discussed, as well as features of both technologies to achieve better clinical outcomes. Understanding the working mechanisms of both technologies, advantages and limitations and visual indicators to ensure proper utilization of the power scaling technologies. These fundamental principles will then be applied to advanced instrumentation in the periodontal patient (using typodonts) with a focus on furcation involvement and areas of challenging anatomical access. Maintenance of ultrasonic inserts and tips will be discussed along with optimum water management and individual patient considerations. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

### DRYER, MS. MARIANNE

#### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FOR DIAGNOSING AND CLASSIFYING PERIODONTAL DISEASE – THE FUTURE IS HERE | C69

2-5 PM | HYGIENE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

Artificial intelligence (AI) has the capability to improve the accuracy and efficiency of periodontal disease classification and diagnosis, which is vital to achieving the best outcomes for patient care. Currently, there has not been a significant improvement in the methodology for detecting bone loss and assessing the severity of attachment apparatus loss despite the recent updates in the periodontal classification system. This lecture will introduce the clinician to AI and its application to periodontal disease assessment. It provides an overview of AI concepts and terminology and explains how AI systems provide more efficient, reliable data configurations for appropriate therapy recommendations. Attendees will have an opportunity to visualize examples of AI applications depicting clinical attachment loss and compare the exam findings to non-AI periodontal charting.

### ENZOR, DR. GLORI THOMAS, SPECIAL AGENT TERRY

#### PRACTICAL ABUSE EDUCATION FOR THE DENTAL PROFESSIONAL | DV1-4

2-4 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS,  
LABORATORY TECHNICIANS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$145	\$145	\$165
TEAM MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85

The objective of this lecture is to provide attendees with current and specific information for the proper detection, reporting, and investigation of human abuse. Attendees will gain an understanding of the importance of the unique position of the oral health care team in recognizing abuse, and the responsibilities of the oral health care team as mandated reporters according to Florida law and codes of the Florida Dental Association and American Dental Association. Additionally, attendees will study the various maxillofacial, oral, head, neck, and body injuries that are generally associated with human physical abuse, including child, spousal, elder, and abuse of the disabled. Attendees will learn the various types of abuse that may present, including physical, emotional, sexual, and financial, as well as neglect. At the conclusion of this lecture, attendees will understand the behaviors that are common in abuse victims and offenders and will learn how their examination can aid in a complete investigation. Attendees will gain an understanding of the psychological, patient management, and treatment considerations of both the abused patient and the abuse survivor. **This lecture satisfies the Florida Board of Dentistry's mandatory continuing education requirement for domestic violence.**



## CE HIGHLIGHT

# PRACTICE ADMINISTRATOR HIGHLIGHTS

Your role is key to creating a positive patient experience, from the first hello to the final farewell. At FDC2025, you'll find courses designed to support and elevate your essential work in practice administration. Strengthen your expertise and learn, grow, and connect with fellow professionals dedicated to the business of dentistry. Invest in your future at the Florida Dental Convention! FDC2025 offers 30+ courses for practice administrators! Look for courses with "practice administrator" listed as the audience for all recommended courses!

### BILLING AND CODING

- › **Cracking the Code: Your Guide for Seamless Transactions (C71)** – Dr. Bert Hughes
- › **Maximizing Effective Collections in the Dental Office (NC23)** – Mr. David Wiener
- › **Stay in the Know! Recent CDT Changes and Common Insurance Administration Error (C16)** – Dr. Greg Grobmyer
- › **Seven Breakthrough Steps to Create Your Best Year Ever! (NC07)** – Ms. Lois Banta
- › **Top Coding and Documentation Strategies: Maximize Your Insurance Reimbursement (C04)** – Dr. Greg Grobmyer

### COMMUNICATION

- › **Building the Unstoppable Team (NC16)** – Mr. Cid Carmona
- › **Change Management: How to Handle Change Before Change Handles You! (PM03)** – Ms. Kelli Vrla
- › **Team Meetings and Morning Huddles that ROCK (NC11)** – Ms. Lois Banta
- › **The Path to Success is Paved with Intention (PM04)** – Ms. Miranda Beeson
- › **The Secret Ingredients for Consistent Success (NC05)** – Ms. Janet Velazquez

### MARKETING

- › **Breakthrough Dental Marketing (NC19)** – Mr. Cid Carmona
- › **Get Clearly Visible with Instagram (NC14)** – Ms. Allison Lacoursiere
- › **How to Make Marketing Work for You (NC15)** – Mr. Brandon Bosch
- › **Marketing Your Practice Online and Growing Your Revenue in the Era of Artificial Intelligence (NC08)** – Dr. Joshua Gindea

## TWO WAYS TO GET A FREE \$25 LUNCH VOUCHER!

- 1 **PURCHASE A COURSE** on Thursday AM and PM to take advantage of this offer!
- 2 **VOLUNTEER** as a FDC2025 Speaker Host. See page 3 for details.

SATURDAY, JUNE 21

## GHORBANIFARAJZADEH, DR. MINA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE: DENTISTS + TECHNOLOGY | C70

2-4 PM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Have you ever wondered what the next 20 years in practice will be like? Today, the hot topic is artificial intelligence, before it was intraoral scanners. What's next? With a quick review of the industrial revolutions and emerging dental technologies, this discussion will frame lifelong learning for the future to come. Then, focus on a skill we never really learned in dental school—digital literacy. Join Dr. Ghorbanifarajzadeh (Ghorbani) to build a better future together.

## GUPTA, DR. ANKUR

### DEMINERALIZED AND CORTICO-WHAT?

### A GENERAL DENTIST'S GUIDE TO THE MOST UNCOMPLICATED AND PREDICTABLE BONE GRAFTING TECHNIQUES | C60

9-11 AM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

In dental school, you are taught how to pull teeth, and many become really good at it. However, for most general dentists, the plan to regenerate bone and fix bony defects was left to the periodontists and surgeons. This inefficient and patient-unfriendly option can create tremendous frustration for any dentist staring at an already anesthetized empty socket. In this informative, entertaining and highly visual presentation, Dr. Gupta will provide pragmatic, efficient and highly implementable bone grafting options to even the most surgery-squeamish general dentists.

This lecture is fully sponsored by **IMPLADENT LTD**  
REGENERATIVE SOLUTIONS

## HIERS, MR. CASEY

### A PRACTICE OWNER'S GUIDE TO THE BUSINESS SIDE OF DENTISTRY | NC20

2-4 PM | ENRICHMENT | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$0	\$0	\$55
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$55	\$55	\$65
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$55	\$65

In this lecture, dental professionals will learn how to better navigate the bonus job of practice ownership. Most ignore it and just focus on more production. You rarely produce your way to better cash flow, higher income and a strong retirement if current systems and processes are broken or nonexistent. If you are tired of the hamster wheel, register for this important course!

This lecture is fully sponsored by **FOUR QUADRANTS**  
The Multimillion Dollar Secret for Dentists

## HOLMAN, MS. RONDA

### WE DON'T HAVE THAT ... OR DO WE?

### SYSTEMS AND ORGANIZATION FOR YOUR OPERATORY | C61

9 AM-12 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture is designed to enhance the efficiency and organization of your operatory (the dental treatment room). It focuses on streamlining the setup and workflow, so you can perform various procedures with minimal delay and maximum effectiveness. By implementing the systems and organizational strategies taught in this course, you'll be able to reduce the daily challenges and frustrations that come with managing an operatory. By the end of the lecture, attendees will have the tools and knowledge to create a more organized, efficient and stress-free operatory environment. This will not only improve the quality of patient care but also reduce the physical and mental strain on you and your dental team.

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## HOLMAN, MS. RONDA

### FILLING THE VOIDS: EXPANDING YOUR ROLE AS A DENTAL ASSISTANT | NC21

2-5 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture is designed to empower dental assistants by showing them how they can contribute to the overall success of the dental practice beyond their traditional roles in the operator. The focus will be on identifying and filling gaps (or "voids") within the practice that could otherwise be outsourced. By taking on these additional responsibilities, dental assistants can significantly enhance the value they bring to the practice, improving its efficiency, visibility and patient experience. By the end of the lecture, attendees will be equipped with the knowledge and skills to take on new responsibilities that go beyond clinical duties. You'll see how your contributions in areas like marketing, patient communication, and community outreach can significantly boost the practice's growth and success. This lecture will help you realize the broader impact you can have within the dental office, making you a more versatile and essential member of the team.

## HUGHES, DR. BERT

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### CRACKING THE CODE: YOUR GUIDE FOR SEAMLESS TRANSACTIONS | C71

2-4 PM | ADMINISTRATION | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS,  
PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

Dental coding does not have to be a mystery when submitting claims. Understanding how the code is developed, dos and don'ts when submitting dental claims, and key descriptors can help you obtain reimbursement in a more efficient way. This lecture will also take you through different scenarios to help you better understand how to utilize the dental code. Other topics will include learning when to apply non-covered benefit clauses, how to deal with insurance industry tricks, and give you a better understanding of how to manage dental benefits in your practice, including a review of membership plans.

## KHAN, DR. WAJI

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### DENTAL IMPLANTS FOR BEGINNERS: PEARLS OF WISDOM ON HOW TO SUCCEED WORKSHOP | W35

9 AM-12 PM | IMPLANTS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$399	\$449	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$449	\$499	\$529

This workshop is intended to be a full-scope, action-packed course on how to incorporate placing and restoring dental implants into your dental practice. This workshop will cover topics such as dental implant history, simple treatment planning, the surgical phase, the prosthetic phase, long-term follow-up and maintenance, management of complications and recordkeeping. This workshop will allow participants to place a dental implant in a plastic jaw model and then review the prosthetic techniques to restore a dental implant. *Dr. Khan offers a repeat of this workshop (W37) on Saturday, June 21, from 2-5 p.m. This is a two-part course (C47 and W35/W37) that is best attended as a full-day learning experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may take the courses separately. Attendance is limited to 30.*

## KHAN, DR. WAJI

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### DENTAL IMPLANTS FOR BEGINNERS: PEARLS OF WISDOM ON HOW TO SUCCEED WORKSHOP (REPEAT) | W37

2-5 PM | IMPLANTS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$399	\$449	\$479
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$449	\$499	\$529

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## SATURDAY, JUNE 21

### KOCEJA, DR. MICHAEL

#### EVERYTHING YOU EVER WANTED TO LEARN ABOUT LASERS BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK | C62

9 AM-12 PM | LASER | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will explore the incorporation of dental lasers into the dental practice. The easy-going, fun approach will make all attendees feel comfortable whether they have never used a laser or have been using lasers and are just looking for updated/further clinical techniques. During this lecture, you will learn common clinical uses for dental lasers, ways to use them for endodontics, crown lengthening, and treatment of peri-implantitis and how they can be used to treat periodontal disease, including scaling and root planing. *This is a two-part course (C62 and W38) that is best attended as a full-day learning experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may take either the morning or afternoon course separately.*

This lecture is partially sponsored by



### KOCEJA, DR. MICHAEL

#### EVERYTHING YOU EVER WANTED TO LEARN ABOUT LASERS BUT WERE AFRAID TO ASK WORKSHOP | W38

2-5 PM | LASER | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$279	\$299	\$329
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$299	\$329	\$349
DENTAL STUDENT	\$279	\$299	\$329

This workshop will explore the incorporation of dental lasers into the dental practice. The easy-going, fun approach will make all participants feel comfortable whether they have never used a laser or have been using lasers and are just looking for updated/further clinical techniques. The clinical videos and hands-on practice will provide a safe, realistic approach to patient care and prepare the participants to start using a laser with confidence immediately. *This is a two-part course (C62 and W38) that is best attended as a full-day learning experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may take either the morning or afternoon course separately. Attendance is limited to 20.*

Participant Requirements: Loupes and extracted teeth (any anterior or posterior will work).

The equipment for this workshop is partially sponsored by



### KUGEL, DR. GERARD

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

#### THE DOS AND DON'TS OF PORCELAIN LAMINATE VENEERS | C63

9 AM-12 PM | AESTHETIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS,  
DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Are you currently providing porcelain laminate veneers in your practice? Not having the aesthetic success you hoped for? This lecture will provide an introduction to what you should consider when incorporating these treatment options, case presentations, and a discussion of managing patients' expectations. From planning and consideration of alternative approaches to execution, the necessary steps will be presented, and many practice tips will be provided, to help participants efficiently achieve desired clinical results. This lecture will provide a comprehensive and practical demonstration of how to execute porcelain laminate veneers, including the most common problems and how to avoid these mistakes in your dental office. *This is a two-part course (C63 and W39) that is best attended as a full-day experience. For comprehensive learning, you must register and pay for both courses for the full-day experience. However, attendees may choose to take the lecture course only.*

### KUGEL, DR. GERARD

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

#### THE DOS AND DON'TS OF PORCELAIN LAMINATE VENEERS WORKSHOP | W39

2-5 PM | AESTHETIC | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS,  
DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$359	\$379	\$399
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$379	\$399	\$429
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$359	\$379	\$399
DENTAL STUDENT	\$359	\$379	\$399

This hands-on workshop will include three different patient indications, reduction guides, fabrication of temporary restorations and proper techniques for cementation. Dr. Kugel will provide an opportunity for participants to execute porcelain laminate veneers on a model, with hands-on assistance and guidance on achieving aesthetic success. *The lecture, "The Dos and Don'ts of Porcelain Laminate Veneers" (C63), is a prerequisite for this workshop. You must register and pay for both courses for a full-day experience. Attendance is limited to 20.*

Participant Requirements: Loupes

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## MACEDO, DR. ROBERTO

### LESS DRILL, MORE SMILES: THE POWER OF MINIMALLY INVASIVE DENTISTRY - PORCELAIN VENEERS WORKSHOP | W31

8 AM-12 PM | RESTORATIVE | CE CREDITS: 4

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$339	\$379	\$399
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$379	\$399	\$429

This hands-on workshop will provide a comprehensive foundation in minimally invasive techniques, blending theoretical and practical knowledge with hands-on experience for immediate clinical application. Enhance your skills in smile design and cosmetic dentistry with this comprehensive workshop. Covering aesthetic principles, treatment planning, minimally invasive preparation techniques and veneer maintenance, this workshop will equip you to deliver natural-looking results while preserving tooth structure. *Attendance is limited to 24.*

Participant Requirements: Loupes

## MARZOCCO, DR. DANA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### IMPLANT OVERDENTURES: TREATMENT PLANNING, FABRICATION AND TROUBLESHOOTING | C64

9 AM-12 PM | PROSTHODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Implants have made dentistry grow in many directions. They have helped dentists provide a higher standard of care to patients. Patients now have the option of fixed teeth rather than removable ones. Unfortunately, there are still boundaries to this treatment: the "fixed" implant option is not an option for every patient. The implant overdenture option is a "go-between" option for patients who are straddling the world of removable and fixed dentures. It can be an excellent option for difficult arches to treat and those on a moderate budget. This lecture will focus on treatment planning over dentures before surgery, various prosthesis designs, and troubleshooting issues with overdentures.

## MARZOCCO, DR. DANA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### ADVANCING DENTISTRY THROUGH DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY | C72

2-5 PM | TECHNOLOGY | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
LABORATORY TECHNICIAN	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

Digital technology is changing the way dentistry is performed. Utilizing digital technology is helping dentists more efficiently design, plan and perform dentistry. Incorporating scanners into a practice also allows for effective communication with dental lab technicians and colleagues. This lecture will emphasize how technology communication will lead to better outcomes for our dental procedures and patients.

## ONESTI, MS. VICKIE

### CPR AND AED CERTIFICATION RENEWAL FOR THE HEALTH CARE PROVIDER | CP3-4

7:30-9:30 AM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$99	\$99	\$109
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$149	\$149	\$159
TEAM MEMBER / GUEST	\$99	\$99	\$109
DENTAL STUDENT	\$99	\$99	\$109

This basic life support renewal course is designed to provide a wide variety of healthcare professionals the ability to recognize several life-threatening emergencies and provide CPR for victims of all ages, including ventilation with a barrier device/Ambu bag, use an AED and relieve foreign body airway obstruction in a safe, timely and effective manner. This course will teach skills with the American Heart Association's research-proven, practice-while-watching technique, which allows instructors to observe students, provide feedback, and guide the students' learning of skills. The course is intended for certified or non-certified, licensed or non-licensed health care professionals who wish to renew their active CPR/AED certifications. *Ms. Onesti offers a repeat of this course (CP5-6) on Saturday, June 21, from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Individuals with an expired certification are required to take the certification course (CP1-2) on Saturday, June 21, from 1:30-4 p.m. Upon completion of the course, each participant will receive a digital Health Care Provider CPR/AED card valid for two years. Attendance is limited to 25.*



# DENTAL ASSISTANT HIGHLIGHTS AT FDC2025

## CE HIGHLIGHT

We're offering an incredible lineup of 70+ courses specifically tailored to enhance your skills as a dental assistant. Discover the latest trends, techniques, and technologies to take your expertise to the next level. Choose from a wide variety of sessions designed to deepen your knowledge and empower you to deliver even better patient care. Learn, grow, and connect with others in the field at FDC2025!

### ENHANCE YOUR KNOWLEDGE WITH LECTURE COURSES

**Alex Delgado, DDS, MS** – Updates in Operative Dentistry: A Comprehensive Guide for Dental Auxiliaries Pursuing Certification (C32)

**Ann-Marie DePalma, CDA, RDH, MEd** –TMD or TMJ: What Is It All About? (C58)

**Chad Duplantis, DDS** – Stimulating the Visual Cortex: Incorporating Visual Aids to Increase Diagnosis and Case Acceptance (C03)

**Ronda Holman, RDA** – We Don't Have That ... or, Do We? Systems and Organization for Your Operatory (C61)

**Ronda Holman, RDA** – Filling the Voids: Expanding Your Role as a Dental Assistant (NC21)

**Allison Lacoursiere, RDA** – Supercharge Your Clear Aligner Program (C38)

**Roberta Pileggi, DDS, MS** – New Concepts in the Treatment of Traumatic Injuries: From Diagnosis to Treatment (C73)

**Joe Richardson, DMD, MS** – Comprehensive Surgical and Restorative Dental Implant Workflows for Dental Assistants (C74)

**Dany Sakr, CDT** – Effective Analog and Digital Workflows for Fixed, Removable, and Implant Dentistry (C22)

**Michelle Strange, MSDH, RDH** – Infection Control in the Surgical Setting (C51)

**Thomas Viola, RPh** –Medical History Mysteries! Every Dental Professional's Toolkit for Successfully Interpreting a Patient's Medical History (C26)

+ so much more!

Look for courses with “assistant” listed as the audience for all recommended courses!

### ELEVATE YOUR SKILLS WITH HANDS-ON TRAINING

**David Clark, DDS** – Modern, Monolithic, Injection-Molded Composite Dentistry: Concepts, Materials, Instruments and Techniques Workshop (W02 or W09)

**Alex Delgado, DDS, MS** – Updates in Operative Dentistry Workshop: Comprehensive Hands-on Instructions for Dental Auxiliaries (W24 or W33)

**Chad Duplantis, DDS** – The 3D Experience: An Introduction to CBCT for Dental Practitioners Workshop (W15 or W26)

**Mark Kleive, DDS** – The Ultimate Assistant Workshop: Mastering the Skills to Make Yourself Irreplaceable (W16 or W28)

**Dany Sakr, CDT** – Assistants' Guide to Photography: From Shade Communication to Diagnostic Photos, and Lab Communication Workshop (W04)

**Dany Sakr, CDT** – Uncomplicate Implant Parts for Implant Crowns, Snap-on Dentures, and ALL-on-X Restorations Workshop (W17)

**Sherece Thompson, DDS** – X-Out Your X-Ray Errors Hands-On Workshop (W18 or W29)

+ many more options!

## TWO WAYS TO GET A FREE \$25 LUNCH VOUCHER!

- 1 **PURCHASE A COURSE** on Thursday AM and PM to take advantage of this offer!
- 2 **VOLUNTEER** as a FDC2025 Speaker Host. See page 3 for details.

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## ONESTI, MS. VICKIE

### CPR AND AED CERTIFICATION RENEWAL FOR THE HEALTH CARE PROVIDER (REPEAT) | CP5-6

10 AM-12 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$99	\$99	\$109
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$149	\$149	\$159
TEAM MEMBER / GUEST	\$99	\$99	\$109
DENTAL STUDENT	\$99	\$99	\$109

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## ONESTI, MS. VICKIE

### CPR AND AED CERTIFICATION FOR THE HEALTH CARE PROVIDER | CP1-2

1:30-4 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 2.5

AUDIENCE: ALL ATTENDEES

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$119	\$119	\$129
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$149	\$149	\$159
TEAM MEMBER / GUEST	\$119	\$119	\$129
DENTAL STUDENT	\$119	\$119	\$129

This basic life support course will provide the foundation for saving lives after cardiac arrest. Updated to reflect new science and education in the "2020 American Heart Association Guidelines Update for CPR and ECC," this course will teach basic life support skills for application in both in-facility and prehospital settings, with a focus on high-quality CPR, improvement of chest compression fraction and high-performing team dynamics. *Renewals are referred to the two-x-hour renewal course scheduled for Saturday, June 21 (CP3-4 or CP5-6) from 7:30-9:30 a.m. or 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Upon completion of the course, each participant will receive a digital Health Care Provider CPR/AED card valid for two years. Attendance is limited to 25.*

## PIETERS, MS. NICHOLE

### PREVENTION OF MEDICAL ERRORS (REPEAT) | RM5-8

2-4 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 2

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$145	\$145	\$165
TEAM MEMBER	\$75	\$75	\$85
DENTAL STUDENT	\$75	\$75	\$85

This lecture will address basic patient safety strategies, Florida-specific requirements and common dental risk and liability sources. The course will include dental closed claims data, case studies, audience participation and some humor. Just because this is a mandatory course, does not mean this course cannot be fun! *This course is a repeat of Ms. Pieters' lecture (RM1-4) on Friday, June 20 from 2-4 p.m. This lecture satisfies the Florida Board of Dentistry's continuing education requirement for medical errors.*

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## PILEGGI, DR. ROBERTA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### NEW CONCEPTS IN THE TREATMENT OF TRAUMATIC INJURIES: FROM DIAGNOSIS TO TREATMENT | C73

2-5 PM | ENDODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
ASSISTANT	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Traumatic injuries are becoming more commonplace in today's practices. Problems associated with trauma include controversial treatments, unreliability of diagnostic tests, diagnostic challenges and inability to predict success. Several theories associated with the unreliability of these tests and ways of overcoming this problem will be discussed. Case-based scenarios, including helpful guidelines on how to treat and manage patients with traumatic injuries, will also be discussed.



## SATURDAY, JUNE 21

### RICE, DR. DAVID

#### IS EVERYONE SMILING BUT YOU: A DENTIST AND TEAM'S GUIDE TO YOUR THREE-MILLION DOLLAR PRACTICE | NC17

9 AM-12 PM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

Success – we all have our own definition of it ... or we can. That said, let's call success your ability to live your self-determined future, meaning you define "success" and wake up every day to live it. Achieving this requires control in three key areas: systems, financial and clinical. But in a world of picky patients, low insurance reimbursements, and team turnover, how do you gain that control? This course has the answers!

To succeed, you need three essential levers: people, process and production. People—your team—are essential, so this course is for them too. Process means everyone stays on the same page. Production drives it all. We'll cover the "how-tos" to master each. The magic happens when you prioritize "who" comes first, "what" comes second, and how people, process, and production work together daily. Add nine essential accelerators and core habits, and you'll be on your way to the ultimate goal—a self-determined future, aka, epic success!

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### RICE, DR. DAVID

#### FROM CHAOS TO CONTROL: ACCELERATE YOUR GROWTH AND SOLVE \$240K IN PRACTICE CHALLENGES IN JUST 12 MONTHS | NC22

2-5 PM | FINANCIAL | CE CREDITS: 0

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

You must dive deep! That's the difference between average and epic practice and personal success. If you attended Dr. David Rice's morning lecture you're already a step ahead. Attendees will discover nine practice accelerators and ways to make them their own chetritsh so you leave with the course with a playbook for massive growth and solving a \$20,000 problem every month of the year. Bring your vision, bring your team, and bring your desire to this lecture. Every attendee in this course will grow their practice by 30% at minimum in the next 30 days.

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### RICHARDSON, DR. JOE

#### COMPREHENSIVE SURGICAL AND RESTORATIVE DENTAL IMPLANT WORKFLOWS FOR DENTAL ASSISTANTS | C74

2-5 PM | ASSISTING | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: ASSISTANTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
ASSISTANT	\$55	\$65	\$75

As suggested by the title, this lecture will start with the basic anatomy of a dental implant and comprehensively review all aspects of the workflow from a surgical standpoint, healing phases and transition to the restorative phase of a dental implant. Attendees will develop a broad spectrum understanding of the procedures required to place and restore a single dental implant to more complicated full-arch restorations.

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### SANGRIK, DR. LARRY

#### UNDERSTANDING DENTAL FEAR: SUCCESSFULLY TREATING THE APPREHENSIVE PATIENT | PM05

9 AM-12 PM | PRACTICE MANAGEMENT | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75

What are the consequences for patients with dental fear? Patients don't pursue treatment, case acceptance rates decline, appointments are broken or the provider is perceived as not being open to apprehensive people. At the same time, dentists and dental teams become frustrated when techniques that comfort one patient backfire on another. Most importantly, failing to manage dental fear results in patients not receiving the dental treatment they need. This lecture will explore the underlying types of dental fear and how it is evident through a patient's personality. Skills to identify and alternatives to treat patient fears will be discussed. Dental teams are encouraged to attend as a group. This course is ideal for both practices offering complex, high-end treatment or routine care.

# COURSES & WORKSHOPS

ALPHABETICAL BY SPEAKER'S LAST NAME

## SANGRIK, DR. LARRY

### MEDICAL EMERGENCIES IN THE DENTAL OFFICE: WHY CPR IS NOT ENOUGH | AM1-2

1-5 PM | STATE MANDATED | CE CREDITS: 4

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, LABORATORY TECHNICIANS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$649	\$699	\$719
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$699	\$749	\$769
TEAM MEMBER	\$649	\$699	\$719
DENTAL STUDENT	\$649	\$699	\$719

Successfully managing a medical emergency is significantly different than merely knowing about medical emergencies. This course will be presented using a Socratic approach, and it is ideal for dental offices to attend as a team (although individual attendees are also welcome). Throughout the course, attendees will be presented with challenging, lifelike medical situations which could easily occur during routine dental treatment. **This course satisfies the current Florida Board of Dentistry's four-hour airway management and medical emergencies continuing education requirement to maintain a sedation permit, effective 3/1/2020. FS64B5-14.004 - For each biennium, all dentists who hold an active sedation permit of any level must complete a four-hour board-approved continuing education course in Medical Emergencies. The continuing education required by this subsection may be included in the thirty (30) hours required by Section 466.0135, F.S. (2) To be approved by the board, the Medical Emergencies continuing education course must include a hands-on airway management component. Attendance is limited to 25.**

## SCHETRITT, DR. AVI

### PREDICTABLE EXTRACTION SOCKET GRAFTING WORKSHOP | W40

2-5 PM | PERIODONTICS | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$99	\$99	\$129
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$199	\$199	\$229
ASSISTANT	\$99	\$99	\$129
DENTAL STUDENT	\$99	\$99	\$129

Extraction socket grafting is the most common implant site development procedure performed. This hands-on workshop will review extraction socket wound healing, bone graft and membrane selection, a step-by-step technique for predictable socket grafting, post-operative care and medications. A hands-on lab will allow participants to practice the technique during the course. *Attendance is limited to 25.*

*Participant Requirements: Loupes and headlight.*

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## SHAH, DR. SARA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### BALANCING ACTS: HORMONES AND SYSTEMIC IMPACT ON PERIODONTAL HEALTH | C65

9 AM-12 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

This lecture will provide an in-depth look at women's unique oral health considerations throughout their lives, recognition of these conditions and management to address patients' concerns. Attendees will learn about the hormonal changes that women experience and their effects on oral health, including pregnancy and menopause. The lecture will also cover the impact of osteoporosis on oral health. Additionally, the lecture will explore preventive measures to maintain good oral health and periodontal and restorative dentistry options for common conditions in women. By the end of the lecture, attendees will have a deeper understanding of the unique oral health considerations women experience throughout their lives and the available management options for each phase.

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## SHAH, DR. SARA

NEW DENTIST RECOMMENDED

### HORMONAL HARMONY: EXPLORING THE HIDDEN LINKS BETWEEN HEALTH, HORMONES AND YOUR SMILE | C75

2-5 PM | ORAL MEDICINE | CE CREDITS: 3

AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will provide a comprehensive exploration of the intricate interconnections between hormonal fluctuations during pregnancy, menopause and conditions like osteoporosis and their profound effects on periodontal health. Through detailed discussions and evidence-based insights, attendees will uncover the nuanced influences of these hormonal shifts on oral tissues, enabling dental professionals to recognize, manage and tailor treatments for periodontal issues commonly associated with these stages. This lecture is designed to equip dentists with invaluable knowledge, empowering them to provide specialized care, effectively address oral health challenges linked to women's hormonal changes, and optimize dental outcomes for their patients.

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## SATURDAY, JUNE 21

### TAMIMI, DR. DANIA

#### UNDERSTANDING THE TMJ – A CBCT AND MRI RADIOGRAPHIC EXPLORATION | C66

9 AM-12 PM | OCCLUSION | CE CREDITS: 3  
AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
DENTAL STUDENT	\$55	\$65	\$75

MRI imaging is often employed to diagnose soft-tissue lesions and internal derangements of the temporomandibular joint (TMJ). This imaging modality can be difficult to understand and interpret by the dentist requesting these diagnostic images. CBCT is used to evaluate hard-tissue changes that can result from temporomandibular dysfunction as well as the condition of the articular surfaces of the TMJs. This lecture aims to simplify these imaging modalities in the diagnosis of internal derangement and degenerative joint disease of the TMJ. The entire spectrum of internal derangement, disc displacements, and degenerative joint disease will be explained through graphic MRI and CBCT images to help dentists understand the process of TMJ breakdown as well as the findings on an MRI or CBCT report when presented with one.

### URSITTI, DR. VICTORIA

#### WIN OR LOSE, IT'S STILL A TIE! EXPLORING THE REASONS, MECHANICS AND TREATMENTS OF CONGENITAL LIP AND TONGUE TIES IN NEWBORNS AND INFANTS | C67

9 AM-12 PM | PEDIATRIC | CE CREDITS: 3  
AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
ASSISTANT	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

In the past decades, there has been an uptrend in mothers who are nursing infants. However, along with this natural feeding, there has also been increasing awareness of babies born with congenital anomalies of tongue and lip ties. Often, these anomalous ties are excessive enough to affect a baby's ability to nurse, which could lead to further challenges of feeding and appropriate weight gain. The reasons behind the trend and mechanics behind nursing are often not clear and, when challenged with a tie, can create a frustrating situation for both babies and new parents. This lecture will explore the trends, mechanics and ways to competently diagnose and confidently treat anomalous ties. Performing frenectomies can be part of your armamentarium to successfully be treated in the office. Diagnosis, proper treatment and follow-up care will be instructed and discussed.

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### URSITTI, DR. VICTORIA

#### TREATING NEWBORNS AND INFANTS WITH TONGUE AND/OR LIP TIES WORKSHOP | W41

2-5 PM | PEDIATRIC | CE CREDITS: 3  
AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$499	\$549	\$579
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$549	\$579	\$609
ASSISTANT	\$189	\$229	\$259
DENTAL STUDENT	\$189	\$229	\$259

As many as 5% of babies are born with congenital anomalies of tongue and lip ties. Often, these anomalous ties are excessive enough to affect a baby's ability to nurse, which could lead to further challenges of feeding and appropriate weight gain. This frustrating situation for both babies and new parents can be competently diagnosed and confidently treated by releasing the tie with a well-done frenectomy. In this workshop, attendees will be introduced to the concept of using practical techniques, including lasers, to help alleviate these difficult challenges. Using scissors and lasers has become increasingly popular for treating tongue and lip ties. When properly diagnosed and treated, performing frenectomies can be part of your armamentarium to successfully treat these congenital anomalies. Diagnosis, proper treatment, and follow-up care will be instructed and discussed. *Attendance is limited to 15.*

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### WIENER, MR. DAVID

#### MAXIMIZING EFFECTIVE COLLECTIONS IN THE DENTAL OFFICE | NC23

2-4 PM | ADMINISTRATION | CE CREDITS: 0  
AUDIENCE: DENTISTS, ASSISTANTS, HYGIENISTS, PRACTICE  
ADMINISTRATORS, DENTAL STUDENTS

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$75	\$85	\$95
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$85	\$95	\$105
TEAM MEMBER	\$55	\$65	\$75
DENTAL STUDENT	\$0	\$0	\$0

This lecture will cover how to effectively and compliantly collect patient accounts. It will also address creating and enforcing a compliant and effective patient financial policy, current regulations governing collections, how to effectively communicate with patients when speaking about their accounts, and what options are available for handling accounts that become past due.



# Restore Your Mind, Body and Soul at FDC2025!

Find your Zen at Yoga on the Gaylord Palms' Coquina Lawn. Sunrise Yoga will be offered daily at 8 AM and 10 AM and is included in the hotel resort fee for Gaylord Palms guests.

*Reservations are not required. Mats are provided for each guest. Attendance is limited to 25 participants and is first come, first serve.*

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CE HIGHLIGHT

# HANDS-ON HANDPIECE CARE: MASTERING DENTAL HANDPIECE MAINTENANCE FOR LONGEVITY AND PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP

## TWO COURSE OPTIONS!

**W23 | Friday, June 20, 2-4 PM –or–**

**W32 | Saturday, June 21, 9-11 AM**

**CE Credits: 2 | Audience: Dentists, Hygienists, Assistants**

**ACT FAST – Attendance in each workshop is limited to 30.**

REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY 4/11	REGULAR	ONSITE 6/7
DENTIST - FDA/ADA MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329
NON-MEMBER DENTIST	\$299	\$329	\$359
TEAM MEMBER	\$249	\$299	\$329

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# COME FOR THE CE, STAY FOR THE FUN™!

Cocktail Reception | Thursday, 4-6 PM  
Dueling Pianos Party | Thursday, 8-11 PM  
Big Easy Bash | Friday, 7:30-10:30 PM  
The After Party | Friday, 10 PM-12 AM

# ATTENDEE BASICS

## LOCATION

FDC2025 will be held at the Gaylord Palms Resort & Convention Center located at 6000 W. Osceola Parkway, Kissimmee, FL 34746.

## HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Visit [hotel.floridadentalconvention.com](https://hotel.floridadentalconvention.com) to make your reservation online at either hotel. **FDC does not use a third party for hotel reservations.**

### GAYLORD PALMS RESORT & CONVENTION CENTER

- Room Rate: \$218 per night, including free self-parking
- Reservations: Call 877.491.0442 to make your reservation within the room block

### FAIRFIELD BY MARRIOTT KISSIMMEE/CELEBRATION

- Room Rate: \$129 per night, including free self-parking and breakfast
- Reservations: Call 407.390.1532 to make your reservation within the room block
- Shuttle service to Gaylord Palms is not provided

## FREE REMOTE PARKING & SHUTTLE SERVICE

Free remote parking is the most convenient option for FDC attendees not staying at Gaylord Palms. Free shuttle service is provided at a remote, convenient location just minutes from Gaylord Palms. Shuttle services will run every 15-30 minutes beginning on Thursday, June 19 at 7 AM and continuing through Saturday, June 21 at 6 PM. Directions to off-site parking and the detailed shuttle schedule will be available one month prior to FDC at [floridadentalconvention.com](https://floridadentalconvention.com).

*Note: Allow ample time (at least one hour prior to course start) for parking and shuttle service. Refunds will not be given for courses missed due to parking or shuttle delays.*

If you are not a hotel guest, there is a \$38 self-parking or \$50 valet, plus tax, daily charge at Gaylord Palms. **Gaylord Palms parking is extremely limited for drive-in attendees and remote parking is recommended.**

## BADGE PRINTING & MATERIALS

Badges are issued based on the registration category specified and are required for entry into all courses, events and the Exhibit Hall. **Badges will not be mailed** — attendees will receive a barcoded email one week prior to the meeting. Bring this email (electronic or hardcopy) with you on-site to print your badge.

## NON-SMOKING/NON-VAPING MEETING

In keeping with good health practices, FDC has been officially designated a non-smoking and non-vaping meeting.

## EMOTIONAL SUPPORT ANIMALS

If you require an emotional support animal (ESA), please contact FDC by Monday, June 16 at 800.877.9922. Under the Americans with Disabilities Act, ESAs are not given the same rights and exemptions as service animals and approval of ESAs in public areas and businesses are at the discretion of those entities. If prior approval is not given by FDC, attendees will be asked to remove the ESA from the event.

# REGISTRATION INFORMATION

## PREREGISTRATION

Advance preregistration saves time and money. All courses, including workshops, will be registered à la carte. **To receive the Early Bird rate, registrations must be paid online or submitted by mail and postmarked by April 11, 2025. To receive the Regular rate, registrations must be paid online or submitted by mail and postmarked by June 6, 2025.** Registration forms submitted via mail postmarked after the June 6 deadline will not be processed. All registration activity after this deadline will be subject to on-site pricing and must be completed online or at the on-site registration desk at Gaylord Palms. All fees for on-site registration increase by at least \$20 per registrant and by at least \$10 per course.

## HOW TO REGISTER

Register online at [floridadentalconvention.com](https://floridadentalconvention.com), by using the QR code, or complete the Advance Registration Form and mail to:

Florida Dental Convention  
Attn: FDC Meeting Assistant  
545 John Knox Road, Ste. 200  
Tallahassee, FL 32303



Please only use one method of transmission to avoid duplicate records or multiple charges. Telephone and fax registration is not available.

You may adjust your registration online at any time at [floridadentalconvention.com](https://floridadentalconvention.com) or by calling the FDC customer service line, 850.807.4997, Monday-Friday, 8 AM-5 PM. However, on-site pricing for all online and in-person adjustments will apply after June 6. See page 77 for the cancellation policy.

## FEE PAYMENT

All fees must be made in U.S. dollars by Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express or by personal check drawn on a U.S. bank and made payable to the **Florida Dental Association**. Although we try to assure accuracy, FDC cannot be responsible for any typographical fee errors in our printed registration brochure or on our website.

## CHILD REGISTRATION

Children ages 8 to 18 who want to attend Dueling Pianos, Big Easy Bash or the Exhibit Hall must be registered and have a badge for entry. Children younger than 8 years of age do not need a badge but must be accompanied by a registered parent or guardian to attend evening social events. Children are only allowed in the Exhibit Hall if accompanied by a registered parent or guardian. **Infant strollers and carriages are not allowed in the Exhibit Hall, unless medically necessary, at any time other than the designated stroller hours of 9-11 AM on Saturday, June 21.** For the safety and convenience of others, the use of baby carriers is strongly encouraged.

## GUEST REGISTRATION

Non-dental spouses and family older than 18 must register as a Guest. Attendees registered as "Guest" may attend registered keynote sessions and courses, the Exhibit Hall, and registered events such as Dueling Pianos and the Big Easy Bash. Registered guests are unable to receive CE credit for any courses attended. Guests who want CE credit should register as their appropriate professional category.

## FREE EXHIBIT HALL PASSES

Free Exhibit Hall Only registrations are available for non-FDA member dentists, team members and their guests. Access to the Exhibit Hall is included in the free FDA member preregistration. This registration category allows attendees to only access the Exhibit Hall. Exhibit Hall Only registrants may not take courses or attend any events such as Dueling Pianos and the Big Easy Bash. To upgrade your registration, call 850.807.4997 before June 6, or go to the FDC Registration Desk On-site.

## WORKSHOPS

Registrants may be required to bring instruments or other materials to workshops or to attend a mandatory prerequisite lecture. In addition, it is the responsibility of each registrant to check the course description carefully for equipment needs, participant requirements or prerequisites. Room capacity for workshops is limited and attendees are registered on a first-come, first-paid basis. Seats cannot be held without payment.

*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.*

## COURSE WAITING LISTS

If a course becomes full, registrants may be placed on a waiting list. Those registering online can select to be added to a course waiting list during the registration process. Those registering via mail will be contacted by an FDC representative to be added to the wait list. If space opens in the course before June 6, the registrant will be placed in the course and the credit card on file will be charged. If the registrant does not wish to take the course, contact FDA staff and a refund will be processed and the seat will be released to the next attendee on the waiting list.

## COURSE CODE KEY

<b>C</b>	Clinical Course, CE approved by Florida BOD
<b>PM</b>	Practice Management Course, CE approved by Florida BOD
<b>W</b>	Hands-on Workshop, CE approved by Florida BOD
<b>MR</b>	Hands-on Mini-residency, CE approved by Florida BOD
<b>NC</b>	Non-credit Course, Not CE approved by Florida BOD

## REGISTRATION, COURSE CANCELLATIONS AND TRANSFERS

### COURSE CANCELLATIONS AND TRANSFERS

A **CANCELLATION** refers to any termination of a course, workshop, event or complete registration for FDC. A **TRANSFER** refers to the movement of an individual out of one course, workshop or event and into another course, workshop or event.

### CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS

All cancellations and/or requests for refunds must be made in writing and postmarked by June 6, 2025. All complete registration cancellations are subject to a service and handling fee of \$30 per cancelled registrant. Refunds are paid to the individual whose name appears at the top of the check or on the credit card used to pay for the registration. Please allow up to six weeks after the meeting for refunds to be processed. **No cancellation refunds for courses, workshops, events or complete registrations will be honored for any reason after the June 6, 2025 deadline.** Refunds will not be given for no-shows, employee terminations, or sickness/COVID-19 after the June 6 deadline.

**Registration fees for Dentist/ADA Member include dual membership to the Florida Dental Association and are non-refundable.**

### ON-SITE TRANSFERS

On-site transfers will not be allowed for any limited seating sessions (such as workshops and deep-dive courses). On-site transfers will be allowed for lecture courses if space permits. If an individual wishes to transfer from one session into another on-site, that individual must pay for the difference in cost of the new session. Please see a registration agent on-site to inquire about course transfers. **No refunds will be given for on-site transfers regardless of difference in course tuition.**

### REGISTRATION DEADLINES

**EARLY: March 1-April 11**

**REGULAR: April 12-June 6**

**CANCELLATIONS: June 6**

**ON-SITE: June 7-June 21**

### QUESTIONS?

For questions regarding the Florida Dental Convention, please contact the FDA at 800.877.9922 or [fdc@floridadental.org](mailto:fdc@floridadental.org).

## CE INFORMATION

CE verification is automatically provided for all attendees. To receive CE credit for course attendance, attendees must scan their badge upon entering and exiting each course. The system will calculate the amount of time an attendee was present and award the credit appropriately. Per the Florida Board of Dentistry (BOD), to receive 1 hour of CE credit, attendees must be present in a course a minimum of 50 of the 60 minutes.

**Attendees will be emailed their CE certificate automatically by June 23, 2025.** Attendees also can obtain a printed CE certificate at any time after the end of their courses. CE stations are located on the classroom level Thursday through Saturday, 7 AM-5:30 PM. CE certificates can be accessed online for free after the convention at [floridadentalconvention.com](http://floridadentalconvention.com).

**All verified course attendance will be automatically submitted for Florida-licensed attendees to CE Broker on their behalf no later than July 21, 2025.** Your CE certificate will list all registered verified courses attended; however, credit will not be reported to CE Broker for non-credit (NC) course codes. Verified course attendance for NC courses will be listed as zero hours on your CE certificate. Each state varies in what is accepted for continuing education and those courses can be self-reported to your reporting entity after the event, should your organizing BOD accept those courses.

## FLORIDA CE REQUIREMENTS

Florida dentists are required to complete a minimum of 30 credit hours of approved continuing education in dental-related subjects each biennium. Attendees can earn up to 20 credit hours at FDC.

The Florida BOD accepts up to 3 hours of credit biennially for practice-management courses that address: principles of ethical practice management, substance abuse, effective communication with patients, time-management and burnout-prevention instruction. Dentists who have questions about whether the Florida BOD will accept a particular course should visit its website ([floridasdentistry.gov/licensing/dentist](http://floridasdentistry.gov/licensing/dentist)) or call 850.245.4474.

## ADA CERP

The Florida Dental Association (FDA) is approved as a continuing education provider by the Florida BOD. The FDA also is an ADA CERP Recognized Provider. ADA CERP is a service of the American Dental Association to assist dental professionals in identifying quality providers of continuing dental education. ADA CERP does not approve or endorse individual courses or instructors, nor does it imply acceptance of credit hours by boards of dentistry.

Concerns or complaints about a CE provider may be directed to the provider or to the Commission for Continuing Education Provider Recognition at [ccepr.ada.org](http://ccepr.ada.org).

## DISCLAIMERS/POLICIES

### LIABILITY POLICY

Attendee assumes all risks and accepts sole responsibility for any injury (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that the attendee may experience or incur in connection with attending FDC. Attendee hereby releases, covenants not to sue, discharges, and holds harmless the Florida Dental Association and its employees, agents, and representatives of and from any such claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto.

### VIDEO RECORDING/PHOTOGRAPHY DISCLAIMER

Video recording and photography is strictly prohibited in all scientific sessions unless otherwise stated by the speaker. Course audio recordings are available to purchase onsite for \$20 each, if you wish to view course content at a later date.

### COURSE SATISFACTION DISCLAIMER

Should you choose to register for a course knowing you are outside of the recommended audience, refunds will not be issued if you are dissatisfied with the course.

### SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM DISCLAIMER

The FDA and the Committee on Conventions and Continuing Education make every effort to present high-caliber speakers in their respective areas of expertise. The speakers' in no way imply endorsement of any product, technique or service presented during these presentations. The FDA specifically disclaims responsibility for any material presented. In addition, participants must always be aware of the hazards of using limited knowledge in integrating new techniques or procedures into their practice. Only sound evidence-based dentistry should be used in patient therapy.

### PHOTO RELEASE POLICY

By registering for FDC2025, you are authorizing the FDA the right to photograph you, your invitees and guests while attending courses or using common or public areas of the hotel, and to use the photographs in all formats and media for any purpose, including for education, marketing and trade purposes. By registering, you release FDA from all claims arising out of the use of the photographs, including without limitation all claims for compensation, libel, invasion of privacy or violation of copyright ownership.

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By registering for FDC2025, you authorize the FDA to add you to its email marketing list to receive convention updates for 2025 and subsequent years. You can opt out at any time but will not receive pertinent information regarding your registration.



# 2025 FLORIDA DENTAL CONVENTION

**PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE** for mail registration is Friday, June 6, 2025. (Mailed registrations postmarked after this date will not be processed).

## 1 ATTENDEE INFORMATION

(Please complete one registration form per person)

ATTENDEE NAME

MAILING ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

PHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS

LICENSE # (IF APPLICABLE)

ADA # (IF APPLICABLE)

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME

EMERGENCY CONTACT PHONE

## 2 PRACTICE TYPE (Select one)

- |   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Practice | <input type="checkbox"/> Oral Surgery        | <input type="checkbox"/> Oral & Maxillofacial Radiology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Oral Pathology   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pediatric Dentistry | <input type="checkbox"/> Periodontics                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orthodontics     | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Health       | <input type="checkbox"/> Dental School Faculty          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prosthodontics   | <input type="checkbox"/> Retired             |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Endodontics      | <input type="checkbox"/> Oral Medicine       |   |

## REGISTRATION/ COURSE PRICING DEADLINES

**Early Bird Registration Pricing: 3/1/25-4/11/25**

**Regular Registration Pricing: 4/12/25-6/6/25**

**On-site Registration Pricing: 6/7/25-6/21/25**

## 3 REGISTRATION CATEGORIES

(Select one)

**Save money and register early!**

**On-site registration and course fees are higher.**

CATEGORIES	FEE (BY 6/6)	FEE (ON-SITE)
<b>DENTISTS</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Dentist/FDA Member	\$0	\$65
<input type="checkbox"/> Dentist/ADA Member**	\$122	\$142
<input type="checkbox"/> Dentist/Active Military Member	\$50	\$70
<input type="checkbox"/> Dentist/Non-ADA/FDA Member	\$360	\$380
<input type="checkbox"/> Int'l Dentist/ADA Affiliate Member	\$315	\$335
<input type="checkbox"/> Int'l Dentist/Non-ADA Affiliate Member	\$360	\$380
<b>DENTAL STUDENTS</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Dental Student/ASDA Member	\$0	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Dental Student/Non-ASDA Member	\$50	\$70
<b>TEAM MEMBERS</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Section Business Assistant*	\$50	\$70
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Section Business Assistant	\$80	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Section Chairside Assistant*	\$50	\$70
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Section Chairside Assistant	\$80	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Section Hygienist*	\$50	\$70
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Section Hygienist	\$80	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Lab Technician	\$50	\$70
<b>GUESTS/FAMILY</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Child (8-18)	\$25	\$30
<input type="checkbox"/> Guest (19+)	\$50	\$55
<b>EXHIBIT HALL PASS</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Hall Only	\$0	\$0
<input type="checkbox"/> Role in the Dental Office (or Guest): _____		

\*Employees of FDA member dentists are designated Section Members.

\*\* Dentist/ADA Member registration includes dual membership to the Florida Dental Association for 2025. **This registration fee is non-refundable.**

Note: Guest, Child and Exhibit Hall Only registrations cannot receive CE credit. If you wish to receive credit, you must register as the appropriate professional category.

## 4 COURSE SELECTION

Refer to the course descriptions starting on page 6 of this booklet for course codes and fees.  
Please duplicate this form for additional registrants in your group.

	CODE #	AMOUNT	CODE #	AMOUNT	CODE #	AMOUNT	CODE #	AMOUNT	CODE #	AMOUNT	CODE #	AMOUNT
Thurs., June 19		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$
Fri., June 20		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$
Sat., June 21		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$
TOTAL		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$		\$

## 5 SPECIAL EVENTS (Check all that apply)

- ☐ **Thursday, June 19**  
 Dueling Pianos  
 8-11 PM | FREE
- ☐ **Friday, June 20**  
 FDA Awards Luncheon  
 11:30 AM-1 PM  
 Ticket: \$55,  
 Table of 10: \$550
- ☐ **Friday, June 20**  
 Big Easy Bash  
 7:30-10:30 PM  
 FREE

## 6 FDC POLICIES (For each attendee)

**Cancellation Policy:** All cancellations and/or requests for refunds for the 2025 Florida Dental Convention (FDC2025) must be made in writing and postmarked by June 6, 2025. All complete registration cancellations are subject to a service and handling fee in the amount of \$30 per cancelled registrant. Refunds are paid to the individual whose name appears at the top of the check or on the credit card used to pay for registration. Please allow up to six weeks after the meeting for refunds to be processed. No refunds will be given for onsite transfers regardless of difference in course tuition. No cancellation refunds for FDC2025 courses, workshops, events or complete registrations will be honored for any reason after the June 6, 2025 deadline. Refunds will not be given for no-shows, employee terminations, or sickness/COVID-19 after the June 6 deadline. **Registration fees for Dentists/ADA Member includes dual membership to the Florida Dental Association and are non-refundable.**

**Photo Release Policy:** By registering for FDC2025, you are authorizing the Florida Dental Association (FDA) the right to photograph you, your invitees and guests while attending courses or using common or public areas of the hotel and to use the photographs in all formats and media for any purpose, including for education, marketing and trade purposes. By registering, you release FDA from all claims arising out of the use of the photographs, including without limitation all claims for compensation, libel, invasion or privacy or violation of copyright ownership.

**Email List Policy:** By registering for FDC2025, you authorize the FDA to add you to its email marketing list to receive convention updates for 2025 and subsequent years. You can opt-out at any time but will not receive pertinent information regarding your registration.

**Course Satisfaction Disclaimer:** Should you choose to register for a course knowing you are outside the recommended audience, refunds will not be issued if you are dissatisfied with the course.

**Video Recording/Photography Disclaimer:** Video recording and photography is strictly prohibited in all scientific sessions unless otherwise stated by the speaker. Course audio recordings are available to purchase onsite for \$20 each, if you wish to view course content at a later date.

**Liability Policy:** Attendee assumes all risks and accepts sole responsibility for any injury (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that the attendee may experience or incur in connection with attending FDC. Attendee hereby releases, covenants not to sue, discharges, and holds harmless the Florida Dental Association and its employees, agents, and representatives of and from any such claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto.

- ☐ I certify that I have read the above FDC policies and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of these policies.

ATTENDEE SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

(Application without signatures from each attendee will not be accepted)

## 7 AMOUNT DUE

CATEGORY	AMOUNT
REGISTRATION TOTAL (SECTION 3)	\$
COURSE FEE TOTAL (SECTION 4)	\$
AWARDS LUNCHEON TOTAL (SECTION 5)	\$
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

## 8 METHOD OF PAYMENT

MasterCard, Visa, AmEx, Discover & check accepted.  
Make checks payable to the Florida Dental Association.

PAYMENT TYPE: ☐ CREDIT CARD ☐ CHECK CHECK NO.

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PRINT NAME ON CARD \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

CARDHOLDER SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

If submitting multiple registration forms for one office and paying for all registrations with one credit card or check, you only need to complete this section once. PLEASE VIEW AND ACKNOWLEDGE FDC POLICIES FOR EACH ATTENDEE.

## PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE

for mail registration is Friday, June 6, 2025. (Mailed registrations postmarked after this date will not be processed).

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