Continuing Education
2017

COURSE SCHEDULE

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Continuing Education 2017 is now opening its doors to yet another exciting year of learning beyond our clinics and boardrooms with a new set mission—Education. Empowerment and Excellence.

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Dear Doctors,

The Dental Specialists Group is a Prosthodontics office with the goal to offer all patients a comprehensive and innovative treatment plan, based on patient specific needs. We believe in a multi-disciplinary dental approach for each patient and the team of specialists that each individual will be closely working with. This will allow for an optimal diagnostic and therapeutic process with the ultimate goal of improved dental and facial aesthetics and function.

As prosthodontists, based on your referral and patient needs, we tailor the treatment plan, coordinate the work with our team of specialists and patients whenever required. In a lot of cases, this multi-disciplinary approach makes it easier to solve clinical situations that at first may appear more complex and of a difficult solution.

Treatment is performed in a comfortable, state-of-the-art environment with great attention to patient’s comfort and care.

We invite you to contact us when any cases may arise that may require our collaboration and assistance. Our dental profession is not only about saving teeth and preserve dental function, but about building relationships: the relationship between referring dentists and specialists to ensure achieving the ultimate goal of ideal patient care.

We, at Dental Specialists Group, look forward to working and collaborating with you.

“Our dental profession is not only about saving teeth and preserving dental function, but about building relationships”

Dr. M.K (Bobby) Baig

Dr. Mario Rotella
D.D.S., Cert. Prosthodontist., F.R.C.D.(C)
Packages

1. **9 CE Evening Programs**
   - $349.00 + HST or $59.00 + HST per evening lecture

2. **Clinical Mentorship Programs**
   - Patient care, Hands On, and One on One
   - For package pricing, please call us at 416-477-6453 for additional information or email paula@dsgsmile.ca

3. **Full Day Programs**
   - **a. Prosthetically Driven Implant Dentistry Program**
     - Sold Out
     - Program for Continuing Education 2018 to be announced
   - **b. Enhance Your Crown & Bridge Skills: From Prep-Temp-Final impression in an hour**
     - $499 + HST Lecture and Hands-On: 1 full day program
   - **c. Direct and Indirect Esthetic Restorations**
     - Recreating nature using highly esthetic substrates
     - $1099 + HST Lecture and Hands On: 1.5 day program

Membership Features and Policies

Dental Specialists Group is introducing our continuing education curriculum for 2017. Pre-registration for each program is required no later than 10 days prior to the course. Reminders will be sent 2 days prior by email. No Shows or Cancellations with less than 48 hours notice will be charged:
- 50% per evening programs
- NO REFUNDS will be given for HANDS ON programs

Registration is limited. Registration is reserved on a first come first serve basis and is non-transferrable.

Dental Specialists Group reserves the right to limit membership, cancel and postpone programs, and adjust curriculum as they see fit.

Programs cancelled by Dental Specialists Group all members that have registered will receive a 100% refund.

Find registration details on back cover or online at www.dentalspecialistsgroup.ca/registration
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Dr. Friedlich is a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada and a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. Dr. Friedlich is a Past President of the Ontario and Canadian Associations of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. He serves on the editorial board of the Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and as a Senior Examiner for the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. Dr. Friedlich is a clinical instructor at the University of Toronto in the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. Dr. Friedlich is in private practice as an Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon in Brampton and Toronto. Dr. Friedlich is on active staff in the Department of Surgery at the William Osler Health Centre, Chief Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Department of Surgery at Mackenzie Health Centre, and Staff at the Toronto Hospital.

Dr. Donald Hui
Dr. Don Hui, received his DDS from the University of Toronto in 2000. He later completed a General Practice Residency at the University of Rochester, Eastman School of Graduate Dentistry in 2001. He went on to the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis and the Saint Vincent Catholic Medical Centers in New York to complete his Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and Anaesthesia Specialty training in 2006. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. Most recently, he has served as associate clinician in the graduate Implant Prosthodontic Unit at the University of Toronto, Faculty of Dentistry, he is one of the founders of the DISCOV'R dental study club and currently maintains a full-time oral surgery practice in Woodbridge, ON.

Dr. Dina P Lebowitz
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Dr. Dina Lebowitz has been improving the oral health of patients in Brampton and the surrounding areas as a Board Certified Periodontist since 2007. With a Masters in Periodontology, Dr. Lebowitz is also an Clinical Instructor at the University of Toronto Faculty of Dentistry, where she is involved in the Clinical training of Undergraduate dental students in Periodontics, and maintains a private practice in Brampton.

Dr. Austin Chen
D.D.S., MSc. Orthodontist., F.R.C.D.(C)
Dr. Austin Chen is a Staff Orthodontist with the Craniofacial Team at the Hospital for Sick Children and an Assistant Professor at the University of Toronto. Dr. Chen earned both his Doctor of Dental Surgery and Masters in Orthodontics at the University of Toronto, and completed Post-doctoral studies at Harvard University. He is a head exam coordinator with the Royal College of Dentists of Canada and a medical consultant and adviser to the charity Transforming Faces World Wide. He maintains his private orthodontic practice in Vaughan.
**Dr. Zain Manji**  
D.D.S., M.D., F.R.C.D.(C), Dip. ABOMS

Dr. Manji received his Bachelor’s and Dental Degrees from Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio. And Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at The Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York City, where he also obtained his Medical Degree and Internship in General Surgery.

He is a board certified Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon in both Canada and USA. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada, and a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. Dr. Manji is also a Board Examiner at the Royal College of Dentists of Canada, Clinical Instructor at University of Toronto, Faculty of Dentistry. Dr. Manji is on staff at William Osler Health Centre and Mackenzie Health-Richmond Hill Hospital. Dr. Manji works in a private practice in Brampton at Bramalea Oral Surgery.

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**Mario F. Romero**  
D.D.S.

Dr. Romero received his dental degree from the University of Guayaquil, Pilot School of Dentistry, Guayaquil, Ecuador in 1995. The same year, he moved to the USA were he completed various CE courses in restorative dentistry from the Atlantic Coast Dental Research Clinic in Lake Worth, Florida in 1997 and attended the Dawson Center for Advance Dental Studies in 1998. After working for fourteen years in Guayaquil as a general dentist with focus in Restorative and Esthetic Dentistry, and as Chief of the Department of Restorative Dentistry and Occlusion at the Capacitating Center of the Ecuadorian Dental Federation and the University of Guayaquil, Dr. Romero moved to Rochester, NY and completed the AEGD Residency Program at the University of Rochester in 2013 to pursue a career as a Professor.

Dr. Romero is currently Assistant Professor in Operative Dentistry, Esthetic Dentistry and Occlusion at the Georgia Regents University College of Dental Medicine in Augusta, Georgia, and has lectured extensively in Ecuador, Colombia, Peru, Venezuela, Uruguay, Argentina, Brazil, Paraguay, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Costa Rica, Honduras, Bolivia, Chile, Germany and USA.
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Dr. Mario Rotella  

Fiber Post:  
When and How?  

Date  
March 30, 2017  

Time  
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm  

Course Description  
Exact determination of dental status is mandatory for treatment planning. For endodontically treated teeth, it is a common dilemma whether a post is required or not. In fact, there are no standardized measures available to define the extent of tooth loss and, thus, if a post is required to retain the core, and frequently the decision is made based on subjective opinion and clinical experience.  

This lecture will try to answer to the clinical question “When should I use a post?”, considering several parameters, such as remaining tooth structure and anterior vs. posterior teeth, and focusing on fiber post. In addition, a hands-on workshop will be provided on how adhesively cementing a fiber post.  

Course Objective  
At the completion of this course, participants will be able to:  

1. Understand what a Fiber Post is and when it should be used  
Be familiar with the basic properties and features of a fiber post. Understand when a post is required to support and secure coronal restorations in cases with insufficient residual tooth structure.  

2. Familiarity  
Be familiar with the clinical steps necessary to cement a fiber post. What cement do we use? What steps need to be taken to ensure long term success?
With an older demographic skew, our patients are becoming inherently more medically complex. As advancements in medicine are made, new drug therapies are developed and polypharmacy becomes more common, other associated risks become apparent. It is our professional obligation to fully understand these interactions so that we may keep our patients as safe as possible.

**Practice Pearls:**

**Oral Surgery & Medically Complex Patients**

**Course Description**

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**Course Objective**

To highlight the most up-to-date parameters of care surrounding the following:

1. **Drug-induced Osteonecrosis of the Jaw (DIONJ)**
   - Despite the widespread use of osteoporosis medication for their efficacy, osteonecrosis of the jaw remains one of the most feared complications associated with their use. It is imperative that we implement preventive measures to avoid further incidence of ONJ. A review of the latest findings will be presented.

2. **The Bleeding patient**
   - Recently, the use of the novel oral anti-coagulant (NOAC) class of medications has become much more common. A full understanding of these medications will allow the practitioner to avoid potentially dangerous bleeding situations.

3. **Antibiotic Prophylaxis for dental patients**
   - **Sub-acute bacterial endocarditis.** Since the new recommendations regarding (SBE) prophylaxis were made by the AHA back in 2007, many dental practitioners continue to prescribe antibiotic SBE prophylaxis. What should we really be doing?
   - **Total joint replacement.** Although the previous recommendation was to administer antibiotic prophylaxis to our patients having undergone total joint replacement within the last two years, a new consensus statement has been issued. Learn about the most recent developments.
Overview & Management:
Dental Trauma, Odontogenic and Space Infections

Course Description
This course will provide a brief overview of two important topics that general dentists may see in their office. Patients often present to their dentist's office as their first contact with a health care professional for evaluation of facial and dental injuries as well as infections of the head and neck region that are of odontogenic origin.

Course Objective

1. **Facial and Dental Injury**
   How the mechanism of injury can help diagnose facial and dental injuries.

2. **Oral Infections**
   Warning signs and the inherent severity of oral infections and their life threatening progression.

3. **When Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery is Required**
   When urgent care by an Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon is required for injuries and infections.

4. **Setting of Care**
   The setting of care (office/home, hospital admission, ICU admission, etc)
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Course Description: In our everyday practices, we may encounter many suspicious-looking lesions. To protect our patients, it is important for the modern day practitioner to recognize a lesion that may warrant more attention. Hear about practical oral pathology with emphasis on conditions commonly seen in the dental practice.

Course Objectives:
• Understand the etiology and management of oral lesions.
• Better recognize oral lesions
• Formulate a list of differential diagnoses

2017 SEASON OPENER
Dr. Hagen Klieb, Oral Pathologist

The Elusive White Lesion
Oral Precancer and Cancer - What Should I Know?

Wednesday, March 22, 2017
Eagles Nest Golf Club

DISCOV:R—your new potential.
The Heart of Dentistry: How to Manage the “Cardiac Patient” Safely in your Dental Practice

Thursday, June 1, 2017 (CORE 1 lecture)
Miele Gallery Vaughan

Course Description: With the population aging, it is imperative for dentists to be familiar with normal and abnormal cardiac function of their patients. This course will review common cardiac pathologies and cardiac medications, and will discuss how to treat these patients safely in a dental office. Additionally, a review of cardiac urgencies and emergencies will be discussed with a focus on cardiac arrest in the dental office. Are you prepared for these patients? If not, come and learn with me and you will be! This session will also have a lot of discussion and open communication amongst the participants to encourage brainstorming and thought provocation on different case scenarios that a dentist may encounter in the dental office with cardiac patients.

Course Objectives:
• To understand normal cardiac structure and function in order to fully appreciate what is happening with abnormal cardiac structure and function and to re-familiarize ourselves with common medications that cardiac patients are taking
• To understand how our drugs we inject or prescribe affect our cardiac patients
• To be fully prepared to handle the emergencies and urgencies of cardiac origin in our dental practices most effectively

Advanced Direct Restorative Techniques

Thursday, September 21, 2017
Eagles Nest Golf Club

Course Description: Direct composite restorations are the bread and butter of every day clinical practice. With improved materials available today their clinical applications have gone beyond moderate size Class II or IV and are being used successfully for cusp replacement and highly esthetic Class IV. In this program you will be introduced to advanced restorative procedure that will enable you to recreate nature using composite resin.

Course Objectives:
• Perform ideal shade selection techniques for anterior teeth
• Develop well define line angles for anatomically correct restorations
• Understand the different posterior composite techniques and how they can improve longevity
• Apply simple but effective finishing and polishing technique

Partnered Venues

Eagles Nest Golf Club
Pfaff Audi
McMichael Art Gallery
With almost 15 years of extensive training and experience in dental administration, dental treatment coordination and office management, along with being Six Sigma certified, Caroline is a graduate of the Dental Office Management program at University of Toronto – Faculty of Dentistry and received her certification as a Treatment Coordinator from George Brown College. Through her participation in a vast number of continuing education courses and certification programs, Caroline continues to expand her knowledge in both dentistry and business.

Course Description
In the progressive world of dentistry today, with new procedures and technologies steadily emerging, with vast access to continuing dental education on the clinical level, has your business practice progressed? Has your administrative team been introduced to techniques and approaches to better your practice, better serve your patients and improve as individuals in their respective careers?

In this lecture, a number of topics will be introduced and discussed ranging from effective patient communication, team building, dental practice marketing, social media presence and the importance of continuing education. Learn ideas and techniques which can be readily introduced into your practice to maximize your patient care, overall communication and function.

Course Objectives
- Learn effective ways to improve your patient and team communication
- Learn ways to market your practice—internally and digitally.
- Learn simple ways to motivate and empower your team, improving patient care and customer service as a result.

Special Team Event
Ms. Caroline Szymaniak, Administrative Division Manager, Prosthodontic Associates
Thursday, November 16, 2017
Miele Gallery Vaughan

Caroline Szymaniak

Pearls of Practice
For the Modern Business Team
Thursday, November 16, 2017
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Current Trends in Periodontal Plastics

Course Description
Surgical techniques used to correct or prevent anatomical, traumatic or plaque induced defects of the gingiva, mucosa and bone.

Course Objective
Hard and soft tissue augmentation including:

1. **Soft Tissue Grafting**
   Soft tissue grafting including free gingival grafts, connective tissue grafts and dermis grafts - when to graft and how.

2. **Crown Lengthening**
   Functional and aesthetic

3. **Recession**
   Description and definition of recession.

4. **Socket Preservation**
Implant Restorative Complications: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly

Date
September 13, 2017

Time
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Dr. Bobby Baig

Course Description
Implant dentistry is a very successful treatment modality in a wide variety of applications. Nonetheless, difficulties and complications are occasionally encountered at all phases of implant therapy – treatment planning, surgery, restoration and maintenance. This course will review implant complications for esthetic problems, angled implants, soft tissue problems, loose prostheses, fractures or deformed parts, unusual complications. This lecture will focus on timely diagnosis, preventive strategies how to manage complications, and to involve specialists to salvage the compromised implant.

Course Objective
To use case based scenarios to describe and discuss how to manage complications in:

1. Treatment planning
The successful integration of an implant, however, is not sufficient to declare success; implants placed in poor restorative positions result in unaesthetic restorations that provide little satisfaction for the clinician.

2. Esthetics
Recreating what nature provided can be a formidable challenge. The predictability of the aesthetic outcome of an implant restoration is dependent on many variables, deviation from these variable will create an unaesthetic outcome.

3. Prosthetics
Implants are required to support the restoration for both biomechanical, technical and ease of maintenance issues. Inadequate planning will compromise the long term prosthetic success, and create multiple prosthetic complications which can be quiet challenging to manage.

4. Soft tissues
Providing an aesthetic outcome requires understanding of the objective and subjective criteria related to peri-implant hard and soft tissue aesthetics. Any compromise in creating a balance will create an unpredictable outcome.

5. Prosthodontic Maintenance
Various types of prosthodontic maintenance/complications are reported in literature. The common types of maintenance/ complications included screw loosening (crowns or abutments), luting cement loss, veneering or porcelain fracture, and esthetic concerns.
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- Didactic and Hands-on Sessions
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Dates & Time
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All courses run Friday and Saturday 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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Course Outline

Ideal dental implant therapy requires a combination of comprehensive knowledge and clinical skill in both the surgical and prosthodontic phases of treatment. This course will meet the RCDSO hands-on and didactic requirements for the prosthetic phase of implant treatment.

Course Objectives

Case Selection (Didactic)
- Informed consent
- Patient communication
- Proper patient selection criteria
- Risk assessment

Radiographic Interpretations (Didactic)
- Digital imaging; PA's; PAN's
- CBCT Scans Interpretation

Record Keeping (Didactic)
- Documentation
- Pre-treatment diagnostic records
- Interdisciplinary communication

Pre-surgical Consideration (Didactic)
- Anatomy
- Number of implants
- Surgical Flap design
- Pre-operative medical workup

Surgical Treatment (Didactic)
- Surgical protocol
- Surgical protocol for single and multiple missing teeth
- Bone grafting techniques and material selection

Osseointegration and Bone Biology (Didactic)

Management of Complications (Didactic)

Pre-treatment Protocols (Didactic & Hands On)
- Interdisciplinary treatment assessment, intervention and communication
- Surgical guides

Prosthodontic Treatment (Didactic & Hands On)
- Impression taking
- Jig fabrications
- Abutment selection

Post Surgical and Pre-prosthetic Assessment (Didactic)

Long Term Follow Up, Maintenance & Peri-implantitis (Didactic)

Our Expert Panel

Dr. Bobby Baig
Prosthodontist
Dental Specialists Group
Course Coordinator

Dr. Bobby Baig is a Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of Rochester, USA., Clinical Instructor in Prosthodontics at Mt. Sinai Hospital, and Associate in Dentistry at University of Toronto Faculty of Dentistry. Dr. Baig is a certified specialist in Prosthodontics and serves as an examiner for the National Specialty Examination in Prosthodontics, administered by Royal College of Dentists of Canada. Dr. Baig is a lecturer for many dental study clubs and professional organizations across North America and Southeast Asia.

Dr. Don Hui
Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon
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Dr. Don Hui, specialist in oral and maxillofacial surgery, maintains his private practice in Vaughan. Most recently, he served as staff surgeon in the graduate Implant Prosthodontic Unit at the University of Toronto, Faculty of Dentistry. Having restored implants himself from start to finish during his general practice residency, he lends a unique perspective to implant surgery. He is a pioneer in his industry - being the first oral surgeon in Ontario to provide remote IOS services using Dentsply ATLANTIS™ abutments.

Dr. Dina Lebowitz
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Dr. Len Schwartz
Periodontist
BSc., DDS, Cert. Perio.
Thornhill Periodontics

Dr. Len Schwartz is a specialist in periodontics. In private specialty practice for over 30 years, having placed several thousand implants, Dr. Schwartz has helped advance digital dentistry in the GTA. He has been a clinical instructor at the University of Toronto and George Brown College.

Dr. Mario Rotella
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Phil Brisebois
Digital Specialist
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NOVO Founder and Digital Dentistry Specialist - Phil Brisebois - has worked in the dental industry for over 14 years. He has worked clinically in a large digital prostodontic center, developing processes using a variety of cutting edge CAD/CAM technologies such as Simplant, ZirkonZahn, 3shape & E4D.
Testimonials

“Prosthetically Driven Implant Dentistry - A comprehensive 6 day program”

“I find the course so educational and beneficial, I also appreciate the friendly environment. I recommend this course to any colleague interested in implants. Again, thank you for your help.”

~ Dr. Hamid A, Markham, ON

“Excellent program. The professors were very friendly the material was thorough and complete hands-on was impressive, I will suggest this course to everyone. Well organized by all of you, Good course and information in 2 days.“

~ Dr. Mei, Toronto, ON
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Dental implants are becoming more popular in everyday dental practices and the replacement of the single missing tooth is probably the most common indication. Patients today are increasingly aware of dental implants and are expecting more pleasing restorations that mimic aesthetically and functionally the natural tooth. In order to be competitive, the dentist today must be able to meet those expectations and be able to select the right implant.

**Course Description**

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**Course Objective**

1. **Basics of Implants**
   Understand the “basic” rules of implant placement, considering both surgical and prosthetic aspects

2. **Selecting the Right One**
   Select the right implant, understanding when to use a bone or a tissue level

3. **Abutment Types**
   Understand the advantages and disadvantages of the different abutment types available in the market.

4. **Simple-Advance-Complex**
   Be familiar with the SAC (Simple-Advance-Complex) classification
Interdisciplinary treatment planning in general dentistry should be given priority as early as possible because of the prime importance of diagnosis, treatment planning, case selection and long term patient loyalty.

**Course Objective**

1. **Knowing Treatment Planning Correctly**
   The discipline of establishing a sound rationale for each and every step one plans to take in treatment plan with critical analysis of diagnostics to establish an ideal treatment planning using case based scenarios for complex dental patients.

2. **Bespoke Understanding**
   The understanding that every case should be approached as if the clinician has never treatment planned or treated a case.

3. **Differentiating Treatments**
   To review the guidelines of treatment planning to differentiate normal perioral/dentogingival architecture as compared to deviation from normal.

4. **Better Judgment Calls**
   To make a judgment upon clinician’s experience when to involve other specialists to provide the best possible treatment for our patients.

5. **Knowing New Tech**
   Advancements and usage of newer technologies for diagnosis and treatment planning.
Course Objective

The speaker will review the management of the impacted teeth.

1. **Treatment and Surgical removal**
   The indications for treatment and surgical removal, its associated risks and benefits, nature of the required surgery, and Perioperative care.

2. **Surgical Exposure of Impacted Teeth**
   The indications for surgical exposure of impacted teeth, its associated risks and benefits, nature of the required surgery, and Perioperative care.

3. **Coronectomy as Treatment**
   When and where does one consider Coronectomy as the treatment of choice, its associated risks and benefits, nature of the required surgery, and Perioperative care.

Course Description

This presentation will review the surgical management of Impacted teeth.
Orthodontic Intervention

Date
December 7, 2017

Time
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Course Description

Don’t miss the boat! Interceptive orthodontic intervention and why to catch things early. The American Association of Orthodontics (AAO) recommends that all children receive an orthodontic screening by age 7. This course aims to describe common early problems, how to properly diagnose these patients, treatment timing and steps in the resolution of these issues. Appliances, mechanotherapy and techniques will be reviewed.

Course Objective

Looking After the Patient

Early intervention takes advantage of the fact that a child’s jaw is still growing. Early treatment is useful when the dental arches and jaws are not in the correct position. More treatment usually is needed later on, but it may be shorter and less involved. This lecture aims to provide detail as to the issues to look out for and solutions that will benefit the patient in the proper development of their occlusion.
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The sudden shift from training to practicing as a new dentist can be challenging for some people, triggering nervousness. Mentoring helps ease the nervousness and helps new dentists take command of their own professional and personal growth while helping them achieve their full potential. Mentoring also helps new consultants with other day-to-day activities and grooms them for taking important decisions as dentists. As a leading dental group in Vaughan and Woodbridge area, we realize the need for mentoring for new dentists at Dental Specialists Group under the doctor’s continuing education.

We envision dentists to excel professionally, ensuring that their patients are treated by patient and condition driven need for appropriate care and treatment. To make this happen, we provide feedback, mentoring and regular development at every level of our organization. Mentoring is a positive experience at Dental Specialists Group, and we strive to excel in mentoring new and established practitioners for their professional growth.

Mentoring not only helps the new dentists in getting better experience about their practice, but it also prepares them for the various management and leadership qualities that are required for carrying out the day-to-day activities. We at Dental Specialists Group realize that and therefore, our mentoring program covers all the aspects that would benefit a young dentist – from solid theory to hands-on activities.

Our specialists Dr. Baig and Dr. Rotella have several years of experience in teaching and mentoring students of dentistry and are industry recognized experts of their respective fields. The mentoring program designed by them is to ensure practitioners gets the opportunity for learning and developing their skills to match patients’ needs. After all, learning and improving our knowledge is what helps us to serve our patients better.

### Modules

1. Direct composite resin restorations for anterior teeth
2. Direct composite resin restorations for posterior teeth
3. Part A: Post-core restorations for anterior and posterior teeth
   Part B: All ceramic crowns in aesthetic zone
4. All-ceramic veneers
5. Prosthodontic management of single tooth implant restoration in aesthetic zone
6. Surgical and prosthodontic management of single tooth implant in non-aesthetic zone
7. Removable prosthesis (cast partial dentures)
8. Rehabilitation of fully edentulous patients using conventional complete dentures and digital dentures
9. Surgical and prosthodontic management of implant-supported overdentures with individual attachments
10. Surgical and prosthodontic management of implant-supported overdentures with dolder or hader bar
Module 1

Direct Composite Resin Restorations for Anterior Teeth

Didactic part

• Classification of materials used for aesthetic restoration of anterior teeth
• Learning how width to height ratio corresponds to the outline of the face (smile line, zenith points)
• Learning different preparation designs for class III & IV restorations
• Learning step-by-step procedure of diastema closure

Clinical part

• Intra-oral diagnostic mock up
• Anterior tooth preparation and conditioning before applying composite
• Mylar Strip and wedge application
• Shade selection
• Learning how to use layering technique in order to create natural looking appearance
• Learning finishing and polishing techniques and the undetectable additions to create realism in anterior teeth

Module 2

Direct Composite Resin Restorations for Posterior Teeth

Didactic part

• Classification of materials used for posterior composite resin restoration
• Class I, II & V step-by-step procedure
• Introducing different types of adhesives and their indication

Clinical part

• Local anesthetic application method
• Preparing the teeth before applying composite
• Different types of matrix systems. (Advantages and disadvantages of sectional vs Toffelmire system)
• Matrix application method for class II & V posterior restorations
• Conditioning the teeth before applying composite
• Learning the incremental curing techniques to minimize post-operation sensitivity
• Learning the finishing and polishing techniques
Module 3 - Part A

Post-core Restorations for Anterior and Posterior Teeth

Didactic part

- Identifying dental situations where post and cores are needed
- Understand which materials to use and when to use them
- Reviewing the indications for use of cast post & cores vs. Prefabricated posts with core build-ups

Clinical part

- Step-by-step procedure for making cast post and cores
- Impression taking, cementation and different cements used for cementation
- Step-by-step procedure of using prefabricated posts
- Step-by-step procedure of core build-up

Module 3 - Part A

All Ceramic Crowns in Aesthetic Zone

Didactic part

- Learning different preparation designs for all-ceramic crowns
- Learning differences between different types of ceramic materials and their relative indication
- Learning how to manage occlusion with multiple anterior crowns

Clinical part

- Step-by-step procedure for all ceramic crown preparation, final impressions and temporization techniques
- Step-by-step procedure in cementing all ceramic crowns
- Step-by-step process of occlusion adjustment
Module 4

All-Ceramic Veneers

Didactic part
• Reviewing the indications and contraindications for porcelain veneers
• Learning the different all-ceramic materials characteristics and the effect they have on clinical appearance
• Learning different tooth preparation designs, temporization, impression taking techniques and veneer cementation

Clinical part
• Step-by-step tooth preparation procedure
• Impression making procedure
• Temporization procedure
• Step-by-step procedure of tooth and veneer conditioning before cementing
• Step-by-step bonding and cementing procedure

Module 5

Prosthodontic Management of Single Tooth Implant Restoration in Aesthetic Zone

Didactic part
• Case selection regarding ideal treatment option
• Treatment planning based on patient’s aesthetic needs
• Prosthetic and surgical implant design consideration
• Indications for immediate temporization and immediate loading
• Screw retained vs. Cemented restorations

Clinical part
• Impression taking procedure for single implants
• Temporization of single tooth implants
• Aesthetic and functional considerations in porcelain try-in session
• Step-by-step procedure of cementing implant restoration
• Insertion torque values
Module 6

Surgical & Prosthodontic Management of Single Tooth Implant in Non-Aesthetic Zone

**Didactic part**
- Case selection regarding ideal treatment option
- Treatment planning based on patient’s functional needs
- Prosthetic and surgical implant design considerations
- Indications for immediate temporization and immediate loading
- Screw retained vs. Cemented restorations

**Clinical part**
- Surgical Guides design and fabrication
- Surgical placement of single unit implant in non-aesthetic area soft tissue management and temporization procedure
- Impression taking procedure
- Step-by-step procedure of cementing implant restoration

Module 7

Cast Partial Dentures Removable Prosthesis

**Didactic part**
- Learning indications and contraindications for removable partial dentures (RPD)
- Reviewing the various casting designs for removable partial dentures
- Learning the additional criteria which should be considered when making RPDs and crowns simultaneously
- Reviewing the occlusion designs and their indication in RPDs

**Practical part**
- Step-by-step surveying and designing of RPDs
- Step-by-step preparation of abutment teeth and impression making process
- Metal try-in and checking fit of the frame work
- Step-by-step process of making bite records
- Prosthesis delivery and patient education
Module 8

Rehabilitation of Fully Edentulous Patients using Conventional Complete Dentures and Digital Dentures

**Didactic part**
- Learning pre-treatment evaluation of complete edentulous patient
- Describing impression making techniques for complete dentures
- Discuss techniques for verifying vertical dimension of occlusion (VDO)
- Review the use of 3D printed prototypes in the fabrication process
- Discuss the impact of digital denture fabrication on the office workflow

**Clinical part**
- Learning to make preliminary impressions
- Border molding and impression making procedure
- Bite record registration and VDO verification process
- Tooth shade and mold selection according to different facial outlines
- Complete denture delivery and patient education

Module 9

Surgical & Prosthodontic Management of Implant-Supported Overdentures with Individual Attachments

**Didactic part**
- Learning pre-treatment evaluation of patients receiving implant-supported overdentures
- Discussing the differences between surgical guide and diagnostic guide
- Reviewing the surgical considerations in placing implants for overdentures
- Learning different types of attachment systems for implant-supported overdenture.

**Clinical part**
- Step-by-step construction of surgical and diagnostic guides
- Step-by-step procedure of implant surgical placement
- Impression making and bite registration process
- Overdenture delivery and patient education

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Module 10

Surgical & Prosthodontic Management of Implant-Supported Overdentures with Dolder or Hader Bar

**Didactic part**
- Learning pre-treatment evaluation of patients receiving implant-supported overdentures
- Reviewing the surgical considerations in placing implants for overdentures with dolder/ hader bar
- Discussing various types of bar attachments

**Clinical part**
- Step-by-step construction of surgical and diagnostic guides
- Step-by-step procedure of implant surgical placement
- Impression making and bite registration process for overdentures with dolder/ hader bar
- Overdenture delivery and patient education
Crown and bridge is bread and butter of general practice and is routinely recommended for patients requiring indirect restorations. Advances in material science and CADCAM technologies have revolutionized and simplified the treatment procedures. Forward thinking clinicians must negotiate this rapidly changing landscape and evaluate these new advancements that have the potential to improve and enhance the desired treatment in both interim and the final phase of treatment outcome.

With such an increase in demand in procedures comes a desire to simplify the experience in regards to Patient management skills, treatment acceptance, Chair side fiber post and cores, Crown and bridge preparation, temporization, final impression, lab communication, occlusion, and final prosthesis.

Enhance Your Crown & Bridge Skills

*Hands-On Program From Prep-Temp-Final Impression in an Hour*

**Dr. Mario Rotella**  

**Dr. Bobby Baig**  

**Course Description**

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**Course Outcome & Hands-on**

Clinicians will understand:

1. Chair side post and core preparation and cementation
2. Learn efficient techniques in crown and bridge provisionalization
3. Overview of tooth preparation
4. Pontic designs, soft tissue management, balance with pink and white esthetics
5. Digital and conventional impression techniques and tissue retraction
6. Shade selection, Lab scripts, lab communication,
7. Ceramic selection
8. Cements and cementation techniques.
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Course Day Itinerary

**Registration**
8:30 am – 9:00 am

**Lecture**
9:00 am – 10:30 am
Dr. Bobby Baig &
Dr. Mario Rotella

**Break**
10:30 am – 10:45 am

**Hands-On**
10:45 am – 12:30 pm
• Fiber Post Cementation
• Temporization on a Single Unit
Dr. Bobby Baig &
Dr. Mario Rotella

**Lunch**
12:30 pm – 1:15 pm

**Lecture**
1:15 pm – 2:45 pm
Dr. Bobby Baig &
Dr. Mario Rotella

**Break**
2:45 pm – 3:00 pm

**Hands-On**
3:00 pm – 5:15 pm
• Temporization on a 3-Unit Bridge
• Final Impression
• Lab Script
Dr. Bobby Baig

**Q&A**
5:15 pm – 5:30 pm
Dr. Bobby Baig &
Dr. Mario Rotella
In recent years, advancements in composites and aesthetic ceramics have attracted increasing attention for use in oral rehabilitation as direct and indirect restorations. Due to the complex optical characteristics of tooth color, achieving successful aesthetics with a restoration is a difficult process for dental clinicians. Successful aesthetic restorations require knowledge of some basic principles and of the optical characteristics of restorative materials.

The key to success is treatment planning, shade selection, material selection; proper bonding technique and the type of restoration based upon the amount of tooth substructure needs to be replaced. To achieve reliable results and the steps involved in the treatment process offers specific challenges and it must be carefully considered. Several treatment approaches have been proposed to address these challenges. In this session the aim of the course is to critically analyze these challenges.

**Course Objectives**

1. **Understanding Teeth Whitening**  
   To better understand why teeth whitening can make every aesthetic case simple and effective.

2. **Understanding Porcelain Veneers**  
   To provide the general practitioner with key insights in achieving predictable esthetic outcomes with porcelain veneers.

3. **Veneer Fabrication**  
   To review the clinical protocol for veneer fabrication including tooth preparation, temporization, impression and veneer cementation.

4. **4 Stump Technique**  
   You will be introduced to the “4 stump” layering composite technique developed by Dr. Romero for immediate great results!

5. **Dental Ceramics & Resin Composite**  
   You will better understand when and why to combine dental ceramics and resin composite restorations.

6. **Ceramic Substrate Technology**  
   You will get updated information on different ceramic substrates to help you choose when and where to use them.
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Course Day Itinerary

Dates
September 22, 2017
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

September 23, 2017
8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Tuition
$1099 + HST
(9 CE Credits)

Registration
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Friday

6:00 pm – 8:30 am

**Lecture**

Tooth Whitening Protocols:
Intro to Aesthetic Composites Single Shades and Tints, Multiple Shades and Opacities

Dr. Bobby Baig & Dr. Mario Romero

Saturday

8:00 am – 12:30 pm

**Lecture/Hands-on**

• Differentiate when to use one shade, two shades or multiple shades
• Introduce the "4 stumps" layering technique developed by Dr. Romero for immediate great results
• Create natural line angles on all your anterior composite restorations
• Re-create natural texture on your restorations
• Work on your own case in a "state of the art" simulation lab

**Videos**

• Video’s illustrating the procedures and techniques.
• Hands on For Class 3 and Class 4 direct restorations. Participants will learn clinical tips applicable in their daily practice to create highly aesthetic and durable composite restorations in a consistent and predictable manner.

Porcelain Laminate Veneers
• Preparation
• Impression making
• Temporization
• Dental Lab: Script Writing and communication

Dr. Bobby Baig & Dr. Mario Romero

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

**Lecture**

All Ceramic Crowns and Laminate Porcelain Veneers, treatment planning considerations, material properties and composition, indications, cementation techniques, surface treatments, Indications and contraindications

**Hands-on**

Porcelain Laminate Veneers
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