

What is it? How do I use it? Today's Dental Products and Treatment Options

Saturday, February 20, 2016

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Tuition: \$85

Audience: Dental Hygienists, Dentists, Dental Assistants

Location: 5850 E Still Circle Mesa, AZ

Registration begins at 7:15 a.m.

Course Description: Today's dental sessions require an exhaustive knowledge of products, instruments, and equipment. Our profession has changed and grown to a level that continually challenges us to recognize new advances in technology and their use in dentistry. The process of care (assessment, diagnosis, treatment planning, implementation and evaluation) requires us to understand what these products are, how to use them, contemporary treatment options, how to implement the procedures, and evaluate what is and what is not working for us as individuals and clinicians. We will discuss communication styles and motivational hints to bring acceptance of the challenges of the new era of dental hygiene therapy and dental treatment to our patients and team members.

Learning Objectives:

- Recognize improvements to products used by dental professionals
- Select materials and products for dental hygiene therapy, oral cancer screening, patient communication, and instrumentation
- Discuss diagnosis assistance with employers and rationale for changes in assessment forms and diagnostic tools
- Recognize various ergonomic options available to provide increased quality of care
- Communicate effectively with patients and assist in the business of the dental practice
- Recognize and evaluate changes to implement in the dental office
- Discuss strategies to incorporate efficiency in patient treatment for a more productive dental hygiene schedule

Meet the Instructor:



Tricia Osuna, RDH, BSDH, FAADH is a USC graduate, Past President of the American Academy of Dental Hygiene and California Dental Hygienists' Association. Tricia has more than 37 years of dental hygiene experience to share with her audience in a humorous and enlightening presentation. Tricia is a lifelong CDHA/ADHA member and a previous Member of the Dental Board of California as well as a Founding Member of the American Board of Facial Esthetics. Tricia received the 2015 ADHA Alfred C. Fones award for dedication through education and leadership to the dental hygiene profession. Her professional experiences traverse the dental hygiene arena in a very unique way spanning a variety of roles including Consultant, Clinician, Educator, International Presenter, Author, and Mentor as well as owner of Professional Insights, Inc.

General Information

Registration: All registrations are completed online and processed in the order in which they are received. Registrations will not be processed without full payment.

Course Location: The course will be held in the Saguaro B room on the campus of A. T. Still University, 5850 E. Still Circle, Mesa, AZ 85206. Ample free parking is available adjacent to the building.

Day of Course: Registration begins 45 minutes prior to course start time. Continental breakfast will be provided.

Continuing Education Credit: Arizona School of Dentistry & Oral Health is an ADA CERP recognized provider. Continuing education credits are awarded on an hour-for-hour basis. Course attendees will receive 4 credit hours of continuing dental education.

Refund and Cancellation Policy: A tuition refund, less a \$50 cancellation fee, will be issued for notice of cancellation up to seven days prior to the course. Refunds cannot be given for missed courses.

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