



# Continuing Education Seminar Series 2019



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# Third District Dental Society

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**Registration** Please register in advance online at [www.third-district.org/ce](http://www.third-district.org/ce) or by mailing check and utilizing the Course Registration Form.

**Confirmation and Handouts**  
Confirmation and Handouts distributed by email only.  
No printed handouts. You may use your smart devices or print prior to the course.

**Meals** Continental breakfast and plated or buffet lunch are included in the registration fee. Menu choice will be available at the course

**Locations** Day Time CE programs  
The Century House Inn  
997 New Loudon Road (Rt. 9) Latham NY  
Overnight room block rate by calling 1-855-285-4666

Risk Management  
Treviso at the Italian Center  
257 Washington Ave Ext, Albany

**Program Schedule**

8:00 - 8:30 am	Registration and Breakfast
8:30 - 12:00 pm	Lecture
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 - 4:30 pm	Lecture concludes

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## **General Information**

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**CE Credits** 7 hours M.C.E's  
Certificates must be returned at the conclusion of the course to receive credit.  
NYSDA CE Registry is notified of your attendance

**Tuition** \$260.00 ADA members\*  
\$335.00 Non-ADA dentists  
\$155.00 Hygienists and Auxiliaries

\*Third District Members receive a \$50.00 discount. Register and attend all 4 courses in the daytime ce seminar series.

Fourth District members, please register for the joint courses with the Fourth District to assure proper CE credit

**Refunds** Refunds only with a 24 hours prior notice unless cancelled by the Third or Fourth District in which case you will be notified by email and will receive a full refund.

*Dress comfortably as the meeting room temperatures can vary*

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***Their support enables us to  
provide this  
excellent Seminar Series.***

# What's New in Pediatric Dentistry for the General Practitioner: The Cutting Edge

Carla Cohn, DDS

Friday, February 1

*Dr. Cohn graduated from the University of Manitoba and then completed a post-graduate internship in Pediatric Dentistry. Her private practice is focused on prevention, the growth and development of a cavity-free generation. She maintains surgical privileges at Western Surgery Centre, a private surgical clinic. In addition to private practice, she is a part-time clinical instructor in Pediatric Dentistry at the College of Dentistry University of Manitoba. She is Past President and Board Member for the Manitoba Dental Association. She is a member of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry and a founding member of the Women's Dental Network in Winnipeg which provides continuing education and networking for women dentists. She is a member of the Pierre Fauchard Academy. She has published several articles, webinars and lectures on all aspects of children's dentistry for the general practitioner, nationally and internationally.*

This course will give you practical points on how to treat your little patients well. Restorative treatment options and their clinical indications will be presented. A variety of dental materials and procedures in anterior and posterior teeth will be demonstrated. Learn how your youngest patients will become the best part of your day. You've heard it before – treat your kids well and your practice will soar.

## **Course Objectives:**

- Use a variety of restorative materials
- Learn efficient restorative techniques
- Treat anterior and posterior decay aesthetically in the primary dentition
- Manage children...and their parents

# **Clinical Protocols for Full Arch Fixed Implant-Supported Protheses**

*Avinash S Bidra, D.D.S., M.S., F.A.C.P*

Friday, March 1

*Dr. Bidra is a board-certified maxillofacial prosthodontist and director of the Prosthodontics Residency Program at UConn School of Dental Medicine. He teaches advanced prosthodontics, subcrestal prosthodontics (implant surgery) and maxillofacial prosthodontics to post-graduate dental residents. He lectures on dental implants at regional, national and international meetings, as well as published extensively on implant surgery and prosthodontics in international scientific journals. He has developed diagnostic, treatment and maintenance protocols for full arch fixed implant protheses (hybrid prosthesis) that are used by many clinicians and prosthodontics programs in the United States. He has invented implant prosthetic components and is a co-inventor of an implant design.*

*Dr Bidra's practice is external to UConn and is limited to advanced prosthodontics and implant surgery (subcrestal prosthodontics) with an emphasis on esthetics and full arch fixed implant bridges.*

Fixed implant-supported protheses have gained tremendous popularity over the years. It is necessary to treat each patient uniquely and avoid using a generic or a similar design of fixed prosthesis for all patients. This presentation will focus on a systematic method of diagnosis and treatment planning that helps to categorize patients seeking fixed protheses into 4 classes based on the amount of tissue loss, position of anterior teeth in relation to residual ridge, type of smile, need for lip support and need for gingival prosthesis. Additional practical considerations related to surgeries, choice of bio-material, treatment cost, practice overheads, professional and at-home maintenance will be presented.

## Course Objectives

- To clinically differentiate various types of patients seeking implant supported fixed prosthesis using the 4 keys to treatment planning- bone, smile, lips and gums
- To understand when lip support is required and when it does not make a difference.
- To clinically differentiate when gingival prosthesis is needed and not needed.
- To understand management of edentulous gummy smile patients seeking maxillary fixed prosthesis.
- To understand professional and at-home maintenance protocols for patients with implant-supported fixed prosthesis

**Speaker Sponsor: Nobel Biocare**

***This course is held in conjunction with the Fourth District***

## **Risk Management**

*Dr. Fred Wetsel and John Vandenburg*

Wednesday, April 3 @ 6:00 pm

Treviso at the Italian Community Center  
Washington Ave Ext, Albany

This course was developed according to New York State laws and regulations by dentists and attorneys whose experience extends to the fields of malpractice insurance and risk management in the dental environment. (Dentists, dental hygienists, and dental assistants would all benefit from the information in this course).

New York State Dentists who complete this course will be entitled to a 10% discount on their liability premiums for a three (3) year period from the Medical Liability Mutual Insurance Company. Other companies also accept this course for a discount. You are encouraged to check with your carrier concerning the availability of any discount.

### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

At the end of this course you will have a better understanding of:

- What information is included in good medical and dental history;
- How to protect your practice and personal assets;
- How to maintain accurate record keeping;
- Who gives informed consent and what does it include;
- Who owns dental records and how long must they be kept;
- What are the dentist's obligations concerning confidentiality;
- When should a patient be referred;
- What are the benefits and mechanism for peer review.

**This course is being offered at *NO CHARGE* to Third District Members.**

All other NYSDA and Non member dentists and staff attending are at the CE tuition listed on the registration form.

# **A Sound Recession Proof Restorative/Hygiene Practice: Integrating the Team and Creating the Value**

*Lou Graham, DDS*

Friday, April 12

For the Dentist, Hygienist and any interested Auxiliary

The foundation of this course is based upon: **Practice Growth is equated directly to Hygiene Growth.** With such, the hygiene appointment has to be far more than “just a cleaning” and gone are the days of diagnostics with just a probe, an explorer and 2D x- rays! “Value” equates to customized treatment plans, in office dental plans and so much more. Adding data analytics and other essential technologies all streamline the office into 2018 and beyond. This course is recommended for the entire team. Doctors, bring your team or should I say, teams...bring your doctors!

## **Highlights of the Course:**

Why the outlook on dentistry has changed and your office must be ready for these changes and this means efficiency both clinically and business savvy. You're running a business, do you know your Key Performance Numbers that can predict growth or the opposite, a practice in decline. This will fascinate you as to what “we need to know” and equally, what to do with this information! Understanding the “WHEEL” which will define consistency and communication between the doctor, hygienist, and patient. Understanding the latest in diagnostics for the hygienist/doctor team and why these new technologies provide you with so much more information and equally, allow you to show and deliver far more diagnostically driven outcomes. The explorer...really. Running a time efficient HUDDLE, why this essential before every day Customizing Home Care: Unique approaches to achieve oral periodontal health with emphasis on our geriatric patients The value of Oxygenation, a game changer in our approach to refractory periodontal patients and so much more! Instant growth for your practice and a MUST HAVE.

## **Objectives:**

- To present the latest approaches to running and growing your team and your business
- To update the team on the latest diagnostic approaches for a general dental practice
- The latest methodologies to compliment hygiene growth and how adjunctive therapies are bringing us far more success in treatment

# Discover the Best Methods to Expose Radiographs, Interpret Findings and Keep All Involved Safe

Nancy Bouchard, DDS, MHP

Friday, May 10

For the Hygienist, Dentist and any interested Auxiliary

*Nancy Bouchard's passion for dental education sprang from her own life, experiencing dentistry from many perspectives, and having worked in many roles of dentistry. As a result, she intentionally tailors her lectures and workshops to educate and appeal to all members of the dental team. Before becoming a dentist, she worked for many years as a hygienist. She personally experienced the frustrations of not being able to get diagnostic radiographs on the first attempt. As a result, she is passionate about sharing tips, tricks, and experience to build the skills and confidence of dental professionals. Dr. Bouchard taught as a faculty member at Forsyth School for Dental Hygienists and Boston University Dental School, where she instructed dental and dental hygiene students in radiation techniques, safety, and interpretation. As a graduate of the University of Maryland Dental School, she is currently a general dentist in Florida.*

With steady, near-daily advances in science and technology, the clinical uses of radiation have become monumentally safer since the earliest days of imaging, We will discuss the following areas to take the best radiographs, how to interpret all keeping you and the patient safe.

**Safety:** review the evidence and national guidelines to protect our patients and ourselves from the potential ill effects of radiation exposure in the dental office. Understand the science of radiation exposure | Review the methods taken to keep patients safe | Articulate the need to keep operators safe while exposing x-rays on patients | Describe accurate, reassuring, natural-language messages that can be used to address patient concerns about radiation from dental radiographs

**The Panoramic X-Ray:** The technology of the panoramic radiograph has progressed in the digital era, with exciting potential for clinical advances and increased diagnostic abilities. The panoramic machine now has more images to expose and reduces radiation exposure, especially for children. But studies of image quality obtained in panoramic images—especially in pediatric patients—reveal there is still room for improvement. A 2012 paper went so far as to suggest that only 11% of sampled panoramic radiographs were free of positioning errors that compromised image quality. The most common reasons for low quality panoramic images have been identified—and what is known can be prevented and corrected. In this course, we will discuss all things panoramic, from patient positioning to interpretation, as well as up-to-the-minute information on radiation safety for the practitioner and patient.

**The Perfect Image:** during this lecture, you will decipher the significance behind many of the various “shadows” on dental radiographs, teasing out shades of meaning from the grays. This informative, engaging, comprehensive lecture shows and explains the clinical implications of a wide array of images, covering normal anatomic landmarks as well as the typical markers and appearance of decay and periodontal disease. Intriguing cases will also be reviewed

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## Registration Form

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**\*\*Required for confirmation and course handouts\*\***

### Tuition

ADA Members \_\_\_\_\_ # courses x \$260.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Non ADA Dentist \_\_\_\_\_ # courses x \$335.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Auxiliaries \_\_\_\_\_ # courses x \$155.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Risk Management \_\_\_\_\_ No Charge Third District members  
(all others at tuition fees above)

### *Third District Dental Society Member Only Discount*

\_\_\_\_\_ Register for all 4 courses in the daytime ce series and deduct  
\$50 from your total tuition

Registration:

Register online with your credit or debit card at [www.third-district.org](http://www.third-district.org)

### **OR**

Mail form and check to Third District Dental Society

Amount of check: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Indicate course choices on the back of this form**

**Attendee 1**

**Dentists' ADA #**

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Feb 1 \_\_\_\_ Mar 1 \_\_\_\_ Apr 12 \_\_\_\_ May 10 \_\_\_\_ Risk Management \_\_\_\_

**Attendee 2**

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**Attendee 3**

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**Attendee 4**

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**Attendee 5**

**Dentists' ADA #**

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**Locations:**

**Daytime CE Courses:**

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