

Oxfordshire LDC and BDA Oxford Section

Restorative dentistry, periodontology and oral cancer screening study day

Thursday 3 October 2024

**DoubleTree by Hilton Oxford Belfry Hotel
Milton Common, Thame, Oxfordshire OX9 2JW**

Programme

5 hours 15 minutes CPD

09:00 Registration

09:25 **Introduction and welcome** - **Laurie Powell**, Chair, Oxfordshire LDC

09:30 **Demystifying the new S3 guidelines on the management of periodontal disease**
Joel Thomas, Specialist Periodontist, Cheltenham

Aims

To clarify the GDPs role in the management of periodontal disease following the publication of the most recent guidelines on its stepwise treatment.

Learning objectives

- Gain a better understanding of the new periodontal classification
- Have an improved understanding of appropriate steps in managing periodontal disease
- Be able to describe the role of each clinician in the management of periodontal disease.

Learning content

The presentation will discuss the role of the dentist and the specialist in the management of periodontal disease.

Development outcomes

A C and D

10:15 **What your LDC can do for you?**

Don McGrath, Don McGrath, Chair, Manchester LDC and Member, GDPC

Aims

Aims to highlight the many interfaces between the LDC and the various bodies who commission and regulate dentistry, the local authority, communities, the 3rd Sector, both locally and nationally.

Learning objectives

By the end of this presentation the participant should be able to identify

- The full range of representation provided by LDCs
- The services and support provided by LDCs
- The opportunities the LDC provides to influence local and national policy
- The many ways in which their professional lives may be enhanced by joining their LDC.

Learning content

The lecture will explore how the LDCs interface with health scrutiny/health and wellbeing boards, charities/action groups eg: Healthwatch; MPs and local councillors, ICBs. And they also consult with CQC, GDC, local authority and other allied professions.

It will also identify how the LDC can plug the CPD gaps and represents the profession at NHS disciplinary committees (PAG, PLDP) and provides pastoral support through the PASS scheme.

Development outcomes

C and D

10:45 Question and answer session

11:00 Refreshment break

11:30 **Concepts and highlights of adhesive dentistry - Part 1: Foundations in adhesive dentistry**
Raj Virdi

Aims

This lecture will aim to provide candidates with an overview and the foundational knowledge required in provision of adhesive dentistry.

Learning objectives

- Demonstrate an understanding of the dental material science of resin technology
- Appreciate the material science and generations of bonding technology
- Appreciate the available armamentarium to achieve predictable outcomes with adhesive dentistry
- Have an understanding of the anterior and posterior anatomy when restoring teeth.

Learning content

The lecture will cover:

- The dental material science of resin technology
- Provide an overview of bonding technology and the bonding generations
- Cover the instruments and materials available to enhance outcomes
- Provide an overview of anterior and posterior dental anatomy to achieve predictable outcomes when restoring teeth.

Development outcome

C

12:15 **Concepts and highlights of adhesive dentistry - Part 2: Practical overview of adhesive dentistry**
Raj Virdi

Aims

This lecture will aim to provide participants with an overview of the various adhesive techniques used to restore teeth, highlight the treatment planning considerations and discussions to strengthen the consent process, and lastly provide an overview of Resin Bonded Bridge designs to influence outcomes.

Learning objectives

- Appreciate the various adhesive technique available to restore the anterior and posterior dentition
- Appreciate the treatment planning considerations and pre-operative discussions prior to embarking on treatment
- Develop confidence with Resin Bonded Bridge design to impact positive outcomes.

Learning content

The lecture will aim to cover:

- An overview of the techniques and strategies available to build up teeth using composite resin
- Highlight considerations if embarking on Injection Moulding
- Discuss the treatment planning stages, considerations of challenges during active treatment, and long-term maintenance needs
- Raise awareness of Resin Bonded Bridge design and concepts to enhance outcomes.

Development outcomes

A and C

13:00 Question and answer session

13:15 Lunch

14:00 **Periodontal surgery - What can be achieved?**

Joel Thomas, Specialist Periodontist, Cheltenham

Aims

To clarify what the surgical options are for the management of periodontal disease by a specialist.

Learning objectives

- Understand the surgical options for managing periodontal disease
- Recognise the indications / contraindications for periodontal surgery
- Be able to describe the range of surgical techniques offered by a Periodontist.

Learning content

The presentation will discuss the role of surgery in the management of periodontal disease and help the practitioner in explaining “whether surgery is an option for their patients or not.

Development outcomes

A C and D

14:45 **Wicked issues in dentistry - how the BDA can help**

John Milne MBE, Immediate Past-President, BDA

Aims

To consider the current issues in dentistry and understand how the BDA as the professional body for dentists can make a difference.

Learning objectives

- Understand how the BDA works on behalf of dentists
- Explore the pressing issues in dentistry in the UK

- Understand how the main regulators in dentistry impact on our professional life and how we can minimise risk.

Learning content

The lecture will demonstrate from John's unique experiences with dentistry both as a practitioner, past-President of the BDA and dental adviser to the CQC, how we can cope with the regulators, understand what really matters for the future of dentistry in the UK and appreciate how the BDA works on behalf of all dentistry.

Development outcomes

C and D

15:30 Question and answer session

15:45 Refreshment break

16:15 **Oral cancer screening and the urgent suspected cancer referral pathway**
Jennifer Graystone, Clinical Director, Thames Valley Cancer Alliance

Aims

To recap on the GDP's role in oral cancer screening and prevention and a recap of what constitutes an urgent suspected cancer referral.

Learning objectives

- Understand the role they play in management of oral cancer
- Understand when an urgent suspected cancer referral is appropriate
- Understand how the system works to provide a good patient experience.

Learning content

The presentation will discuss the role dentist play in the prevention and detection of oral cancer. It will look at the logistics of the urgent cancer pathway and how to use it to best effect and what other options exist for referrals. It will then consider the red flag signs and symptoms for oral cancer and when this should be the pathway of choice.

Development outcomes

A, C and D

17:15 Closing remarks

17:30 Close