

2023



DENTAL THERAPY, HYGIENE & OHT SEMINARS

ALL DAY EVENT - FRIDAY 9 JUNE 2023
8.30AM - 5.00PM | 6.5 CPD HOURS | \$450 INC GST

Dr Mark Wotherspoon | Mobile Dentist, Inventor and Oral Health Activist
Ageing Population Part 1 - Talk the Talk

A review of the current state of oral health in our ageing population will be presented in addition to conditioning and preparing your existing patients for healthy ageing. Educating and upskilling aged carers and the introduction of a portable dental service provides best practice and continuity of care of this cohort.

The Ageing Population Part 2 - Walk the Walk

The establishment and introduction of a portable dental service will be discussed covering fees, governance, timing, portable equipment options, materials, and clinical techniques.

Case Studies that demonstrate clinical success and profitability from the implementation of a successful portable service will be presented.

Critical Chairside OHI for Removable Dental Appliances and becoming an Oral Health Activist

Why is it so critical we provide best practice OHI to our patients and what are the consequences if we don't? A review of the science, information, and misinformation currently available on patients' home care for their new and existing dental appliances. Learn why each Dental Professional needs move from advocate to activist.

Dr Caitlin Hurley | Paediatric Dental Registrar
Everything is Hypnosis - Communication for happy patients and happier OHT's

Well intentioned efforts to communicate openly and honestly with patients may carry undesired effects such as increased anxiety and hyperalgesia. This session will introduce principles of clinical hypnosis and positive communication strategies to improve patient comfort and compliance.

Meredith Blake | Associate Professor, Associate Dean, Learning and Teaching, Law School UWA
Ethical Issues and Legal Principles: Managing the Challenges of Modern Dental Practice

This lecture will focus upon the management of health information and the treatment of older clients who may be living with cognitive impairment. It will discuss key ethical issues, relevant legal frameworks, including the law relating to confidential information and consent processes.

Transfolk WA
A Guide to Gender and Identity

By using inclusive language and correct pronouns, you can become an ally of the LGBTIQ and transgender community while promoting best practice. This presentation will provide an understanding of some of the key concepts and common terms on addressing, receiving, and treating the transgender patient.



AFTERNOON SEMINAR - FRIDAY 11 AUGUST 2023
12.45PM - 5.00PM | 4 CPD HOURS | \$330 INC GST

Dr Fiona Cartwright | Clinical Psychologist & Manager, Eating Disorders Specialist Service
Eating Disorders: The Pivotal Role of the Oral Health Therapist

Eating disorders are serious and complex mental illnesses, with anorexia nervosa having the highest mortality rate of any psychiatric disorder having significant medical and dental sequelae. OHT's are in a unique position to detect its presence and support critical early intervention.

Dr Alissa Jacobs | Oral Medicine Specialist
Oral Manifestations of Nutritional Deficiencies | TMD without TMI

The oral signs and symptoms of nutritional deficiencies often seen in those with eating disorders will be presented including the investigations and overall considerations in the management of nutritional deficiencies. Common presentations of temporomandibular disorders and their management will also be discussed.

Dr Jacinta Vu | Oral Medicine Specialist
Oral Soft Tissue Examination | Evaluation of the Orofacial Pain Patient

A back to basics presentation on how to undertake a comprehensive oral soft tissue examination including the use of diagnostic aids, and how to evaluate a patient with orofacial pain - from history through to examination.



AFTERNOON SEMINAR - FRIDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2023

12.45PM - 5.00PM | 4 CPD HOURS | \$330 INC GST

Dr Robin Harvey OAM, MAPS | Educational and Developmental Psychologist
Children with anxiety: Understanding the issues and providing short term support in stressful environments

A small but increasing percentage of individuals find it very difficult to get their anxious feelings under control and when this type of reactivity is ongoing, an anxiety disorder develops.

This workshop will provide participants with an understanding of the cyclical nature of the anxiety reaction, the family context in which anxiety builds in children, and provide 'best practice' guidelines for short term management of the intense anxiety responses in the dental environment.

Dr Rebecca Williams | Specialist Paediatric Dentist
Management of Dental Trauma in Children

Dental trauma in children can be very challenging, when all involved might be anxious including the clinician if they are inexperienced in trauma management. Guidelines for the management of dental trauma in both the primary and permanent dentitions in children will be discussed including tips on performing an examination of an uncooperative child, essential equipment, and materials to keep in the clinic, review protocols and referral pathways in Western Australia.



AFTERNOON SEMINAR - FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER 2023

12.45PM - 5.00PM | 4 CPD HOURS | \$330 INC GST

Dr Mon Ohn | Paediatric Respiratory and Sleep Physician
Sleep and its Disorders in Children

Sleep problems are common in children and can greatly impact growth and development, behaviour, learning, social-emotional functioning, and quality of life. A range of sleep disorders can occur in children, however, before understanding what constitutes a 'problem', it is essential to understand what constitutes normal sleep.

Dr Chris Orloff | Orthodontist
Orthodontic Considerations of Sleep Disordered Breathing in the Growing Child

This presentation will discuss airway considerations in orthodontic treatment planning and the management of the child with sleep disordered breathing.

Kelly Milner & Julia Dekenah | Speech Pathologists
Anterior Swallow/ Tongue Thrust - a Speech Pathology perspective

A brief overview of the aetiology and history of "anterior swallow" or "tongue thrust" will be presented. Ways in which this condition is diagnosed and managed from a speech therapy perspective will be discussed and current research into the area will be shared.



ALL 2023 EVENTS WILL BE HELD AT ADA HOUSE - 54 HAVELOCK STREET, WEST PERTH WA 6005

Register online at www.edgepd.com.au

Payment Methods: Credit Card | Paypal | Bank Transfer - BSB: 016 268 Account: 248732301 | Cheque or Money Order

- For Afternoon Seminar, 12.30pm registration for a 12.45pm start. Afternoon tea provided.
- For All Day Event, 8.15am registration for a 8.30am start. Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided.
- Refund Policy: Refunds must be requested in writing no later than seven (7) days before the event.
- An administration fee of \$50 will be deducted from each refund.
- See website for registration information and other conditions.



FACILITATOR - JUDITH OTTAWAY

Jude's broad range of experience across many facets of dentistry enables her to present another season of seminars dedicated to the Oral Health Practitioner. Edge PD seminars are designed to deliver current and practical information that will benefit the entire dental team.

Edge Professional Development Pty Ltd
PO Box 97, Applecross 6953, Western Australia
M: 0409 882 370 | E: info@edgepd.com.au | W: www.edgepd.com.au



About Edge Professional Development -
Edge PD provides access to current, innovative and relevant professional development events for the whole dental community.