Small Diameter Implant Overdentures and Alternative Overdenture Solutions

6 CE Credits

Location: Incisal Edge Dental Studio
15 Ararat Street, Worcester, MA 01606 / 508-853-6244

Date/Time: Friday, September 25, 2009, 9:00 - 4:00 pm
8:30 - 9:00 am Registration (Continental Breakfast)
9:00 - 12:30 / Including viewing of previously recorded surgery / 12:30 - 1:30 Lunch
1:30 - 4:00 pm

Lecture:

Hands-On:

Surgical placement of small diameter implants in a plastic mandible. You will also perform the overdenture prosthetic steps using a model and denture. These steps will include angle correction and an innovative chairside technique for attachment pickup.

Speaker: James T. Ellison, CDT
Jim has a Bachelors Degree in Biology and an Associates Degree in Chemical Technology. He earned the title of Certified Dental Technician during 20 years of at-the-bench experience in all phases of dental technology. In addition to a year as Director of Technical Services for Belle de St. Claire, he has spent the past twenty-four years with Sterngold as the head of the technical and educational departments and is also in charge of product development. Jim has authored numerous articles on attachments, implants, milling, and the proper use of dental alloys. He is the author of the Sterngold Procedure Manual and is a contributing author to Dr. Hamid Shafie’s book, Clinical & Laboratory Manual of Implant Overdentures. He has designed several attachments, including the ERA, and holds two patents on the ERA Implant. Jim has presented to both dental laboratory and dentist groups throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, and Central and South America. He has taught the popular attachment, implant, and milling courses at Sterngold as well as advanced waxing courses. Jim’s present position is Director of Technical and Educational Services for Sterngold.

Previously Recorded Surgery
Michael A. Smith, DMD
Third generation dentist in Phoenix Dr. Mike Smith graduated from the University of Louisville School of Dentistry and pursued extensive post graduate education in dental rehabilitation in the field of occlusion, full mouth rehabilitation, TMJ disorders, sleep apnea and conscious sedation. His private practice in Phoenix, Arizona is dedicated to aesthetic, contemporary restorative and cosmetic rehabilitation. Dr. Smith instructs other dentists nationally and internationally as a lecturer and mentor for the prestigious Hornbrook Group and other companies involved in advanced dental treatment and diagnosis. He is actively involved in numerous organizations and associations dedicated to the pursuit of providing patients with extraordinary care.

Topics Covered:
- Mini and Small Diameter Implants
- Traditional Implant Overdenture Abutments
- Attachment Pickup Procedure
- Angle Correction Technique
- Flap Design Technique / Punch Technique for Small Diameter Implants
- CT Scan Technology
- Increasing Practice Revenue
- Marketing to the Consumer
- A Brief History of Mini Dental Implants

Educational Objectives:
- Learn the design differences between various mini implant systems.
- Study the biomechanical considerations of the implant retained overdenture.
- Compare the pros and cons between immediate vs. delayed loading of mini dental implants.
- Discuss the chairside procedure for attachment pickup into an overdenture.
- Lab processing procedure for attachments will be explained.

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