Porcelain Veneers: Optimizing Long-Term Esthetic Outcome Using DFED and Managing Occlusal Disease

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Dr. Ruiz is Clinical Instructor at the USC School of Dentistry and Course Director of the USC Advanced Esthetic Dentistry Continuum. He was named as one of the “Top 100 clinicians in CE” by Dentistry Today in 2006 and 2007. He is a Fellow of the Academy of General Dentistry, Associate Instructor and Mentor at PCC Utah, teaching with Dr. Gordon Christensen, and an independent evaluator of dental products for CRA. Dr. Ruiz has been practicing General Dentistry in the Film Studio District of Los Angeles for over 16 years, where he treats many stars and entertainers. Dr. Ruiz’s esthetic makeovers have been featured on a number of television shows including NBC Channel 4 News, ABC 7 Vista LA and Channel 52 Telemundo, and he is regularly consulted on Esthetic Dentistry. Dr. Ruiz lectures nationally and internationally and has published multiple papers on Cosmetic Dentistry and Team Leadership.

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Dr. Ibsen is a graduate of both the USC School of Dentistry and the Southern California College of Optometry. Co-author of the first textbook on adhesive restorative dentistry in 1974, Dr. Ibsen has led projects resulting in numerous U.S. and international patents. A practicing dentist as well as Founder and President of Den-Mat Corporation, he is the inventor of the revolutionary LUMINEERS™ BY CERINATE® porcelain veneers.

SYNOPSIS
Porcelain veneers have become a popular procedure for many clinicians to conservatively restore of esthetically compromised anterior teeth. The superb esthetic results coupled with minimal adverse effects have resulted in enhanced patient acceptance and satisfaction. However, without a comprehensive and sequential esthetic evaluation, diagnosis, material selection, treatment plan and execution, the successful outcome of porcelain veneers is difficult to predict.

To predictably achieve esthetic results and patient satisfaction, it is imperative to have a thorough understanding of the 25 parameters of dental-facial esthetics. Furthermore, achieving consistent patient satisfaction requires more than just Dento-facial diagnosis. Excellent communication with the patient are paramount to understand their unique aesthetic perspective and goals and subsequently implement a system to record this information and blend it with the operator’s esthetic preferences and goals.

It is also essential to consider the longevity of restorations. Before any case is initiated it is imperative to properly diagnose the etiology of the condition requiring the esthetic treatment. It is imperative to diagnose “occlusal disease” as it is often a major cause of a shorter life span of restorations. In this course Dr. Ruiz will be presenting a practical clinical approach for diagnosis and treatment of the different stages and types of occlusal disease. A special one-hour presentation on restoration longevity by Dr. Robert Ibsen will also be included.

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Upon completion participants will:

- Understand how proper diagnosis allows for proper restorative material selection
- Recognize the importance of diagnosis of occlusal disease and its correlation with long lasting restorations
- Know how to treat occlusion-associated pathosis
- Recognize the symptoms of occlusal disease and their relationship with longevity of porcelain veneers
- Understand when to use a CR to restore anterior teeth
- Know what substrate is most suitable for long term bonding stability
- Be able to select bonding systems and techniques that yield better long-term results

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