Porcelain Veneers: Optimizing Results Using Supra-Gingival Principles, and Understanding Adhesion and Occlusion

USC School of Dentistry
Friday, February 26, 2010
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
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Registration Fees
Before February 1, 2010
Dentist: $165
Auxiliary: $125

After February 1, 2010
Dentist: $195
Auxiliary: $145

On-Site Registration
Dentist: $210
Auxiliary: $165

Fees include course material, continental breakfast and refreshments during breaks.

Refunds are granted only if a written cancellation notification is received at least 14 days before the course. 50% of the tuition minus processing fee will be refunded if cancellation occurs within 7 days before the course. No refund is granted afterwards. A $60 fee is withheld for processing. For additional registrations, copy this form and send.

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Upcoming Events

35TH ANNUAL USC PERIODONTAL AND IMPLANT SYMPOSIUM
Hands-On & Cadaver Workshop I: Thursday, January 28, 2010
Symposium: Friday - Saturday, January 29 - 30, 2010
Dental Hygiene Forum: Saturday, January 30, 2010
Hands-On & Cadaver Workshop II: Sunday, January 31, 2010

MASTERING MOLAR ENDODONTICS
Friday - Saturday, February 5 - 6, 2010

BASIC PROTOCOLS IN IMPLANT SURGERY AND RESTORATION
Thursday - Sunday, February 18 - 21, 2010

CHRONIC DROFACIAL, DRODENTAL AND HEADACHE PAINS FOR THE DENTIST
Friday - Saturday, February 19 - 20, 2010

EMERGING DISEASES, INFECTION CONTROL AND CALIFORNIA DENTAL PRACTICE ACT
Saturday, February 27, 2010

APPLIED HYPNOSIS: TREAT PAIN, TMD & OTHER DENTAL CONDITIONS
Saturday - Sunday, February 27 - 28, 2010

ORAL SURGERY FOR THE GENERAL PRACTITIONER
Saturday, March 6, 2010

USC RUTH RAGLAND 24TH DENTAL HYGIENE SYMPOSIUM: LECTURE AND HANDS-ON
Saturday - Sunday, March 6 - 7, 2010

IMPLANT THERAPY IN THE ESTHETIC ZONE
Friday - Sunday, March 12 - 14, 2010

ESTHETIC FULL-MOUTH IMPLANT RECONSTRUCTION: FROM TREATMENT PLANNING TO FIXED RESTORATION
Module I - Lecture: Friday, March 19, 2010
Module II - Lecture: Saturday, March 20, 2010
Module III - Hands-On Workshop: Sunday, March 21, 2010

MASTERING BONE GRAFTING FOR ESTHETIC IMPLANT SITE DEVELOPMENT
Module I - Lecture & Hands-On Workshop: Friday, March 26, 2010
Module II - Cadaver Workshop: Saturday, March 27, 2010

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Porcelain veneers have become a popular procedure for many clinicians to conservatively restore esthetically compromised anterior teeth. However, without a comprehensive and sequential esthetic evaluation, diagnosis, material selection, treatment plan and execution, the successful outcome of porcelain veneers is hard to predict.

Supra-gingival dentistry techniques have made this procedure easier and more predictable than ever before. Dr. Ruiz will explain how correct preparation technique affects the selection of the restorative porcelain material, based on the specific case needs, and how to achieve adequate balance of translucency and strength needed for excellent margin blending for supra-gingival or para-gingival margins. A logical approach for choosing the correct cement and bonding systems for predictable results will also be presented.

In addition, to predictably achieve patient satisfaction, it is imperative to have excellent communication with the patients, understand their unique esthetic perspective and goals, and subsequently implement a system to record this information and blend it with the operator’s esthetic preferences and goals. Also, before any case is initiated, it is imperative to properly diagnose the etiology of the condition requiring the esthetic treatment. It is crucial 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 to implement smile design and occlusion to the diagnosis and treatment planning or porcelain veneers.

Upon Completion of the Course Participants Will:

- Learn how to restore the severely worn out incisal edges
- Recognize the importance of diagnosis of occlusal disease and its correlation with long lasting restorations
- Understand supra-gingival veneer preparation techniques
- Recognize the symptoms of occlusal disease and their relationship with longevity of porcelain veneers
- Understand how to choose the correct restorative porcelain material for each specific case.
- Know what substrate is most suitable for long term bonding stability and how to better bond to each substrate.
- Be able to select bonding systems and techniques that yield better long-term results
- Learn the 25 parameters of dento-facial of smile design