

Toronto Crown & Bridge Study Club

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Dear Study Club Member,

As President of the Toronto Crown and Bridge Study Club, I am pleased to announce our speakers for the upcoming year. We welcome Dr. Marga Ree, Dr. Frank Spear, Dr. Luiz Gonzaga, Dr. Robert Margeas, and Dr. Aviv Ouanounou to the Toronto Crown and Bridge Study Club podium.

Our five full day meetings are the best educational experience in the GTA and among the best in North America. Our catered breakfast, coffee breaks and lunches provide an excellent opportunity to interact with like-minded colleagues and to meet with old friends. We pride ourselves on being an inclusive rather than an exclusive club. Please encourage your colleagues to submit an application for membership as soon as possible so that we can accommodate them as room permits. Come join us for what is sure to be an exceptional year at the Toronto Crown and Bridge Study Club.

Your completed online registration and payment of \$650 must be received no later than Friday, July 13, 2018.

Due to the popularity of our club we continue to maintain a waiting list. Your renewal must be received by the deadline date or your name will be removed from active membership and the next person on the waiting list will fill your place as a member. Any late registrations received after the deadline date will be placed on the waiting list in priority sequence according to the date it was received.

I look forward to seeing you in September. Have a wonderful summer.

Dr. Jonathan Tai President, Toronto Crown and Bridge Study Club





Program Highlights 2018-19

Dilemmas in treatment planning: retreatment versus implant placement & Contemporary restoration of endodontically treated teeth | Morning Seminar

Problem Solving in Endodontics | Afternoon Seminar

Sept 21, 2018 | Dr. Marga Ree DDS, MSc



Marga Ree, DDS, MSc obtained her degree in dentistry from the University of Amsterdam in 1979. For the next five years she was a part-time staff member of the department of Cariology Endodontology Pedodontology, as well as being a clinical instructor in the central dental clinic of the University of Amsterdam. In 1998 she entered a postgraduate programme in endodontics, which she completed in 2001 with a Master of Science degree. She is a popular speaker for dental and endodontic conferences, and has given over 200 presentations and hands-on courses in 30 countries all over the world. She is the primary author of several articles published in national and international journals and has contributed to several books on endodontics and restorative dentistry. Since 1980 she has had a private practice in Purmerend, which for the past nineteen years has been dedicated to endodontics.

Minimally invasive management of complex dental problems

Nov 2, 2018 | Dr. Frank Spear DDS, MSD



Dr. Spear attained his DDS at the University of Washington School of Dentistry in 1979. He then attended the Perio-Prosthodontic Program at the University of Washington, where he received a Master of Science in Dentistry. Founder and director of Spear Education at Scottsdale Center, he holds lectures, seminars and workshops when he is not at his private practice in Seattle that focuses on aesthetics and fixed prosthodontics.

Guidelines on managing failing implants

Jan 25, 2019 | Dr. Luiz Gonzaga DDS, MS



Dr. Gonzaga obtained his dental degree from the Catholic University of Brasilia in 2004. He has been a member of the American College of Prosthodontics since 2011, speaker and member of the International Team for Implantology since 2004, and member of the Academy of Osseointegration since 2011. Dr. Gonzaga is presently a clinical assistant professor in the Centre for Implant Dentistry at the University of Florida.

Using simple composite resins to create beautiful smiles

Mar 1, 2019 | Dr. Robert Margeas DDS FAGD



Dr. Margeas graduated from the University of Iowa College of Dentistry in 1986. He is currently an adjunct professor in the department of Operative Dentistry at the University of Iowa. He is Board Certified by the American Board of Operative Dentistry and is a Fellow of the Academy of General Dentistry. Dr. Margeas has lectured and written numerous articles on aesthetic and implant dentistry and maintains a private practice focusing on comprehensive restorative and implant dentistry in Des Moines, Iowa.



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Pharmacology for the Dental Practitioner: An Overview | Morning Seminar Anti-infectives in the Dental Ofice: What's new? | Afternoon Seminar

Catergory 1 Core Course

Apr 12, 2019 | Dr. Aviv Ouanounou BSc, MSc, DDS, FICD, FICO



Pharmacology for the Dental Practitioner: An Overview

Clinical pharmacology studies the effects of drugs and their use for preventive, diagnostic and therapeutic purposes. In this lecture I will review the various pharmacological agents commonly used in the daily dental practice. We will discuss local anaesthetics, its mechanism of action, onset and duration of action and adverse effects and potential complications associated with its use. Also, we will review the analgesics most commonly used in dentistry namely, acetaminophen, NSAIDs and opioids. In this section, I will discuss the adverse effects, common drug interactions and recommended dosages. Moreover, anti-infectives most commonly used will be discussed. Also, since the use of herbal medications has significantly increased in the last few years, a discussion on the most common herbal medications will be provided and its effects on dental treatment. Finally, in this lecture we will review special topics such as geriatrics, pregnancy, kidney failure and liver disease, all situations requiring special caution on the part of the clinician when prescribing or administering drugs in the daily dental practice.

Learning Objectives:

1. Understand basic concepts of pharmacology namely pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics.

2. Understand the mechanism of action of local anaesthetics, the factors that a^r ect their onset and duration of action and the common complication associated with their administration.

3. Be informed of the analgesics currently used in dentistry. Understand the various adverse e' ects and drug interactions relevant to dentistry.

4. Understand the rational use of anti-infective agents in dentistry, both in terms of the management of existing orofacial infections and for prophylaxis against the development of bacterial endocarditis or other infection post treatment.

Anti-infectives in the Dental Office: What's new?

Clinical dental practice is immersed in the primary treatment and corrective management of infectious diseases of the oral and peri-oral region. Dental practitioners are faced daily with bacterial, fungal and viral infections. It has been estimated that 10% of all anti-infectives prescriptions are related with dental infections. All antimicrobial agents may cause adverse reactions of varying degrees of severity. Oral fungal infections can occur from alterations in oral flora as a result of the extensive use of broad spectrum antibiotics, steroids, chemotherapy, immunosuppression, and inadequate oral hygiene and nutrition. Understanding the interplay of host, microorganism, and antimicrobials fosters advances in therapeutic choices and delivery systems when treating oral diseases. Understanding the rational use of anti-infective agents in dentistry,



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both in terms of the management of existing orofacial infections and for prophylaxis against the development of bacterial endocarditis or other infection post treatment is crucial. In this lecture I will discuss the common antibiotics, antifungals and antivirals drugs used in the dental office. The common adverse Drug Reactions and Drug Interactions associated with these agents will be discussed. Also in this lecture we will review special topics such as Geriatrics, pregnancy, kidney failure and liver disease, all situations requiring special caution on the part of the clinician when indicating antibiotic treatment.

1. Recognize the prevalence of the various bacterial, fungal and viral infections in the daily dental practice.

2. Understand the rational use of anti-infective agents in dentistry, both in terms of the management of existing or orofacial infections and for prophylaxis against the development of bacterial endocarditis or other infection post treatment.

3. Be informed as to potentially problematic adverse drug reactions and drug interactions arise between medications the patient may be taking for acute or chronic medical conditions and antimicrobial prescribed by the dental practionner.

4. Understand the importance of organ function/disease status in altering the absorption, distribution, metabolism, and therapeutic action of dentally used antimicrobials and be able to appropriately modify usage and dosing of standard drugs or substitute alternative medications.

Dr. Aviv Ouanounou is an assistant professor of pharmacology at the faculty of dentistry, University of Toronto. He received both his DDS and MSc at the University of Toronto. He teaches pharmacology to undergraduate and graduate students and is also a clinical instructor and Treatment Plan Coordinator. Dr. Ouanounou won numerous teaching awards including "Best Teacher of the Year Award" in 2013 and 2015. Also, Dr. Ouanounou is the recipient of the 2014-2015 prestigious Dr. Bruce Hord Master Teacher Award for excellence in teaching at the Faculty of Dentistry at the University of Toronto. Dr. Ouanounou is a Fellow of the International College of Dentists. He is a member of the American Academy of Pain Management and the American College of Clinical Pharmacology. He has published and authored numerous articles in peer-reviewed journals. He also maintains a general private practice in Toronto.

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