



MIDWEST DENTAL CONFERENCE

**Kansas City, Missouri
April 11–14, 2024**

**REGISTRATION
BROCHURE**



GREETINGS FROM YOUR ALUMNI PRESIDENTS

WENDY REYNOLDS (D.D.S. '95), PRESIDENT, UMKC DENTAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
SAVANNA WEINER (D.H. '19), PRESIDENT, UMKC DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Last year, we celebrated 100 years of the Annual Alumni Meeting and the Midwest Dental Conference and now we are looking forward to the next 100 years! As this year's presidents of your UMKC Dental and Dental Hygienists' Alumni Associations, we are honored to invite you to the **2024 Midwest Dental Conference**.

Your conference organizers continue to recruit the best and brightest speakers. The conference, Friday through Sunday, includes more than 28 sessions on topics including medical emergencies, digital dentistry, team development, ethics in dentistry, esthetics and more, presented by a line-up of renowned speakers. These speakers include Dr. David Rothman, Dr. Gerald Kugel, Dr. John Comisi, Kelli Vrla and Amber Auger. You also won't want to miss our hands-on workshops planned on Saturday. If you are looking to dive in a little deeper or need additional C.E. hours, Thursday's pre-conference specialty lectures feature topics on perio, pedo, prosth and oral surgery. You can register just for Thursday or add it on top of your MDC registration.

Be sure to take time to tour the Exhibit Hall, where you will find innovative ideas and practical solutions. With friendly exhibitors dispensing expert advice on any and all of your practice needs, you can learn about the latest advancements in dental materials, equipment and services. We've also arranged a multitude of social events and activities to help you reconnect with your friends and colleagues. Start your weekend at the annual Pouring from the Heart Gala and have fun while supporting students and patients. Sip and shop the Exhibit Hall during our Friday night Exhibit Hall Happy Hour and then continue the fun at our all-attendee Welcome Party. And, if you're a member of a graduating class whose year ends with a "4" or "9," you can probably count on some good times at your class reunion activities.

We look forward to seeing you in April at the 2024 Midwest Dental Conference in Kansas City!

ATTENDEE BADGES AND PACKETS WILL NOT BE MAILED AHEAD OF TIME. PLEASE PICK UP MATERIALS FOR PRE-REGISTERED ATTENDEES ON SITE.

Location:

Courses, Exhibit Hall and conference activities will take place at Crown Center Kansas City hotels. Activities are easily accessible between hotels with the pedestrian skywalk.

SHERATON HOTEL AT CROWN CENTER

2345 McGee St.
 Kansas City, MO 64108

WESTIN CROWN CENTER

1 E. Pershing Rd.
 Kansas City, MO 64108

Registration Desk Hours

Thursday, April 11	7 a.m.–5 p.m.
Friday, April 12	7 a.m.–5 p.m.
Saturday, April 13	7 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sunday, April 14	8–10 a.m.

Exhibit Hall

Come check out the newest in dental equipment, materials and services in our Exhibit Hall, located in the Crown Center Exhibit Hall, attached to the northwest corner of the Sheraton Kansas City Crown Center. This centerpiece of the conference is a fun, friendly and convenient way to stay up to date on the latest dental trends.

Exhibit Hall Hours

Friday, April 12	10 a.m.–6 p.m. 5–6 p.m. <i>Exhibit Hall Happy Hour (Drink ticket included with attendee registration.)</i>
Saturday, April 13	8 a.m.–4 p.m. 8–9:30 a.m. <i>Complimentary coffee sponsored by the UMKC School of Dentistry Dental Hygienists' Alumni Association.</i>

Statement Regarding Course Content

The UMKC Dental and Dental Hygienists' Alumni Associations feel an obligation to disseminate new knowledge in the dental field. However, the views expressed or the knowledge imparted by the speakers does not imply or reflect the endorsement of either the Alumni Associations or the UMKC School of Dentistry.

Conflict of Interest

The University of Missouri-Kansas City, an ADA CERP recognized provider, is responsible for disclosing to participants any monetary or other special interest instructors and course planners may have with any corporate organization, commercial entities or faculty positions. They are disclosed following the speakers' bios online at midwestdentalconference.org

Handouts

Downloadable handouts will be available for all courses for which we receive materials from the speaker.

Health and Safety Considerations

To keep fellow attendees and exhibitors healthy and safe, we ask that you follow recommended guidelines and best practices and do not attend if you have any symptoms or have come in close contact with someone with COVID-19 leading up to the **2024 Midwest Dental Conference**.

Conference Information and Updates

Visit the conference website at midwestdentalconference.org. You can also email us at mdc@umkc.edu.

HOW TO REGISTER FOR THURSDAY'S PRE-CONFERENCE SPECIALTY SESSIONS

Thursday pre-conference specialty programs are all-day sessions and are not included in the Friday–Sunday registration.

In order to receive six C.E. hours, you must attend the full day session of the lecture for which you registered. Because Thursday's pre-conference specialty sessions are offered independently from the Midwest Dental Conference (MDC), additional fees and restrictions apply.

- ▶ If you are registering for a Thursday pre-conference specialty session and the entire Midwest Dental Conference, be sure to include payment for both with your registration. Thursday pre-conference specialty sessions have fees in addition to the Midwest Dental Conference Friday–Sunday registration fee.
- ▶ If you are registering only for a Thursday pre-conference specialty session, mark the session you plan to attend and include the corresponding program fee for that course in your payment. You do not need to also pay the MDC registration fee.

Note: To view complete course descriptions, visit the Midwest Dental Conference's website, midwestdentalconference.org.

THURSDAY SCHEDULE

Speaker	Course Title	Audience	Time	Fee
Mary Billings, M.S., C.C.C., COM®	The 24th Annual Dr. Arthur E. Iwersen Pediatrics Lecture Understanding Orofacial Myofunctional Disorders: Looking Beyond the Structure – Part 1	D.D.S., D.H., D.A.	9 a.m.–Noon	\$140/ \$165/ \$85
	The 24th Annual Dr. Arthur E. Iwersen Pediatrics Lecture Understanding Orofacial Myofunctional Disorders: Looking Beyond the Structure – Part 2		2–5 p.m.	
Miles Cone, D.M.D.	The 28th Annual Dr. Dan Cruz Memorial Prosthodontic Lecture Exposed: Prosthodontic Potpourri: The Methods, Materials and Mindset to Achieving and Documenting Uncommon Results for Everyday Cases	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9 a.m.–Noon	\$165
	The 28th Annual Dr. Dan Cruz Memorial Prosthodontic Lecture The Art of Presentation		2–5 p.m.	
Robert Levine, D.D.S., M.A.G.D.	The 33rd Annual Dr. Peter Fedi Periodontics Lecture The Use of the Periodontal Risk Score in Clinical Practice: Benefits in Achieving Long-Term Periodontal and Systemic Health for our Patients	D.D.S., D.H., D.A.	9–10:30 a.m.	\$140
	The 33rd Annual Dr. Peter Fedi Periodontics Lecture Prosthetically-Driven Implant Site Development: A Periodontal Plastic Surgeon’s Perspective		10:45 a.m. –12:15 p.m.	
	The 33rd Annual Dr. Peter Fedi Periodontics Lecture Treatment of the failed Maxillary Central Incisor Tooth: “10 Keys” for Providing Predictable Success and Happy Patients		2–5 p.m.	
Jasjit Dillon, M.B.B.S., D.D.S., FDSRCS, FACS	The 31st Annual Dr. Robert Allen Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Lecture Keep the Lawyers Away: A Potpourri of Hot Topics – Part 1	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9 a.m.–Noon	\$140
	The 31st Annual Dr. Robert Allen Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Lecture Keep the Lawyers Away: A Potpourri of Hot Topics – Part 2		2–5 p.m.	

The 24th Annual Dr. Arthur E. Iwersen Pediatrics Lecture

Understanding Orofacial Myofunctional Disorders: Looking Beyond the Structure – Part 1



Mary Billings, M.S., C.C.C., COM®
9 a.m.–Noon
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

D H A \$

Participants will develop a deeper understanding of the functional systems contained within the orofacial complex and how early developmental interruptions can negatively impact cranial and dentofacial development.


Understanding Orofacial Myofunctional Disorders: Looking Beyond the Structure – Part 2

2–5 p.m.
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

Participants will learn how to identify an orofacial myofunctional disorder in the dental office and how early intervention impacts healthy development of the mouth. Tools on how to screen for underlying O.M.D.s and how to identify ankyloglossia and sleep disordered breathing will be provided. There will be discussion on building a multi-disciplinary collaborative approach to intervention.

The 28th Annual Dr. Dan Cruz Memorial Prosthodontic Lecture

Exposed: Prosthodontic Potpourri: The Methods, Materials and Mindset to Achieving and Documenting Uncommon Results for Everyday Cases



Miles Cone, D.M.D.
9 a.m.–Noon
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

D H A X \$

This lecture will focus on the day-to-day treatment planning workflow for high-end aesthetic prosthetics as viewed through the lens of a dual-certified prosthodontist and laboratory technician. Specific topics will include photographic documentation for collaboration with colleagues and the laboratory, final impression techniques, provisionalization, material selection, digital dentistry applications, delivery and follow-up care of various real-world cases.

The Art of Presentation

2–5 p.m.
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

At some point in the career of every dentist, they will be asked to give a PowerPoint/Keynote presentation to their colleagues. For many of clinicians, public speaking causes panic and the lack of formal training on developing an engaging presentation leaves many feeling helpless. This lecture outlines scientific principles, as well as tried-and-true methods, for creating compelling content/imagery, managing contemporary slideshow technology and reducing personal anxiety while speaking in a meaningful way.

The 33rd Annual Dr. Peter Fedi Periodontics Lecture

The Use of the Periodontal Risk Score in Clinical Practice: Benefits in Achieving Long-Term Periodontal and Systemic Health for Our Patients



Robert Levine, D.D.S., M.A.G.D.
9–10:30 a.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS

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The Periodontal Risk Score (PRS) combines seven factors to provide a score that gives a patient a percentage of the likelihood they will keep their teeth for 15 and 30 years and not lose them to periodontal disease. As “physicians of the mouth,” Dr. Robert Levine uses the PRS for all his patients and believes it significantly motivates patients to accept treatment and to take responsibility as an active participant/co-therapist in planning their treatment, resulting in the “achievement of their long-term periodontal and systemic health.” Levine believes the PRS should be considered the standard of care.

Prosthetically-Driven Implant Site Development: A Periodontal Plastic Surgeon’s Perspective

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS

There are many surgical choices a clinician may have to discuss with their patients regarding the goal of Implant Site Development using the principles of Guided Bone Regeneration (GBR). The techniques and clinical situations can vary from straightforward, single tooth to complex (ITI SAC), multiple teeth, when there is lack of bone in either a horizontal, vertical or in both dimensions. Dr. Robert Levine will cover Implant Site Development techniques with well-documented cases with long-term CBCT follow-up. Levine will also discuss the importance of both analog and virtually planned/fabricated surgical guide templates. Practice management “pearls” will be shared for improving case acceptance and how the “team approach” can make this process seamless, successful and personally rewarding.

Treatment of the Failed Maxillary Central Incisor Tooth: ‘10 Keys’ for Providing Predictable Success and Happy Patients


2–5 p.m.
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

This presentation will describe and identify 10 essential “keys” for performing immediate single tooth replacement of hopeless maxillary central incisor teeth. The “Updated 10 Keys Checklist” published in the Academy of Osseointegration News (2022) will provide high predictability in preventing esthetic complications and offers guidelines to ensure high success based on published studies by Dr. Robert Levine and his clinical research group. Patient-reported outcomes and practice “pearls” will be shared to make this complex treatment a seamless experience for the whole team.

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The 31st Annual Dr. Robert Allen Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Lecture

Keep the Lawyers Away: A Potpourri of Hot Topics – Part 1



Jasjit Dillon, M.B.B.S., D.D.S., FDSRCS, FACS
9 a.m.–Noon
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

D H A X \$

Being sued is stressful and time consuming. This one day lecture series will cover four critical areas where there is increased medicolegal and/or media scrutiny. The format will be interactive and case-based with discussion.

The topics covered in the morning include:

- “65 F on Zolendronate referred for implant #19” – Whether to proceed and a comprehensive review and update of MRONJ.
- Do we really need antibiotics for what we do?

Keep the Lawyers Away: A Potpourri of Hot Topics – Part 2

2–5 p.m.
3 C.D.E. CREDITS

The topics covered in this part of the lecture series will include:

- Everything you need to know about trigeminal nerve injuries.
- What you might not already know about red and white lesions.

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Audience Key

A Dental Assistant **D** Dentist **\$** Paid Session
H Dental Hygienist **X** Office/Auxiliary Staff

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

Speaker	Course Title	Audience	Time
Lora Hooper, B.S.D.H., R.D.H., E.F.D.A.	Airway to Pathogens to Plaques: Decoding the Intricate Connection	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9–10:30 a.m.
Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.	What Does Diet and Nutrition Have to Do with Dentistry?	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9–10:30 a.m.
Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP	Stress Busting with Humor: Focus Pocus to Stay Productive	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9–10:30 a.m.
Amber Auger, M.P.H., R.D.H.	It's Not You. It's Your Saliva.	D.D.S., D.H., D.A.	9 a.m.–Noon
Joshua Austin, D.D.S., M.A.G.D.	The True Value of Digital Dentistry: A Four Step Revolution for Your Practice	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9 a.m.–Noon
Gerard Kugel, D.M.D., M.S., Ph.D.	Updates in Esthetic Dentistry	D.D.S., D.A.	9 a.m.–Noon
David Rothman, D.D.S., FAAPD, DABP, FACD, FICD	The Myths of Pediatric Dentistry: Fact and Fantasy	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9 a.m.–Noon
Lora Hooper, B.S.D.H., R.D.H., E.F.D.A.	Breaking up with Biofilms: Exploring their Impact on Oral Health	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.	Life Saving P.P.E. Essentials: Diet, Exercise and Self-Care	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP	Communication Excellence: It's All in HOW we Say It	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
Amber Auger, M.P.H., R.D.H.	Donuts, Diabetes and Dentistry: The Vital Role of the Dental Professional	D.D.S., D.H., D.A.	2–3:30 p.m.
Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.	Sugar and Sugar Alternatives: The Bittersweet Truth	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	2–3:30 p.m.
Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP	How to Handle Change Before Change Handles You, Your Team and Your Patients: Cool Amidst the Chaos	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	2–3:30 p.m.
Joshua Austin, D.D.S., M.A.G.D.	What's New? Materials and Tech that Expedite Excellence	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	2–5 p.m.
Gerard Kugel, D.M.D., M.S., Ph.D.	Dos and Don'ts of Porcelain Laminate Veneers	D.D.S., D.A.	2–5 p.m.
David Rothman, D.D.S., FAAPD, DABP, FACD, FICD	Not Another Emergency: Triaging and Treating Dental Emergencies in Children	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	2–5 p.m.
Kandra Sellers, R.D.H., B.A.	Medical Billing: Get Paid as a Medical Specialist	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	2–5 p.m.
Amber Auger, M.P.H., R.D.H.	The RDH Toolkit: A Modern Approach to Progressive Prevention	D.H.	3:45–5:15 p.m.
Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.	Live Your Best Life: Aging Happily and Healthfully	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	3:45–5:15 p.m.
Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP	Superior Recovery Techniques with Difficult and Demanding Patients	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	3:45–5:15 p.m.

It's Not You. It's Your Saliva.



Amber Auger, M.P.H., R.D.H.

9 a.m.–Noon
3 C.D.E. CREDITS



It can be highly discouraging when patients continue to have cavities despite improvements in their oral health. This can disrupt their oral health philosophy and create the belief that cavities are normal for them. Dental hygienists have the unique opportunity to identify each patient's specific risks and provide treatment recommendations accordingly. The best way to do this is through salivary pH testing, specifically because the pH of our patient's saliva plays a vital role in their oral cavity's hard and soft tissue health status.

Donuts, Diabetes and Dentistry: The Vital Role of the Dental Professional

Amber Auger, M.P.H., R.D.H.

2–3:30 p.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



There is no shortage of patients with diabetes; 34.2 million Americans have the disease and nearly 88 million are considered pre-diabetic. This means three out of five people experience some form of insulin resistance and may not know. Insulin resistance contributes to a patient's overall health and the body's ability to have symbiosis. This course will equip dental professionals with the knowledge they need to identify signs and symptoms of insulin resistance and the latest approaches to collaborative diabetic preventive oral care

The RDH Toolkit: A Modern Approach to Progressive Prevention

Amber Auger, M.P.H., R.D.H.

3:45–5:15 p.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



How we decontaminate the oral cavity matters. The demands of fast-paced lifestyles have increased our patient's oral diseases. To be effective in our chairside treatments, having updated technology is required. This course is designed to review the newest technology and its techniques and discuss how to improve patient care while reducing stress on the clinician.

The True Value of Digital Dentistry: A Four Step Revolution for Your Practice



Joshua Austin, D.D.S., M.A.G.D.

9 a.m.–Noon
3 C.D.E. CREDITS



Dentists buy an intraoral scanner and expect it to change their practice, but it doesn't because they aren't using it in the best ways. This course will demonstrate how dental practices can get the best ROI on an intraoral scanner and actually change their practice. In this course, participants will learn how innovations and enhancements in intraoral scanning contribute to improved practice workflows and an enhanced patient experience. You'll also realize the true power of digital for your practice and how it can help you work smarter, not harder.

What's New? Materials and Tech that Expedite Excellence

Joshua Austin, D.D.S., M.A.G.D.

2–5 p.m.
3 C.D.E. CREDITS



With a constant stream of new products that claim to be bigger, better and faster flooding the industry, it is challenging to know which are effective and efficient. As editorial director with Dental Economics magazine, Dr. Joshua Austin authors the column "Pearls for Your Practice" and has personally worked with most new products and technologies that have entered the market. In this course, he shares the current trends in dental materials and technologies. Learn how materials have changed over the past few years and how those changes can affect your procedures and practice.

Airway to Pathogens to Plaques: Decoding the Intricate Connection



Lora Hooper, B.S.D.H., R.D.H., E.F.D.A.

9–10:30 a.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Join us for a comprehensive exploration of the intricate connections between the airway, pathogens, and plaques. This course will empower attendees with knowledge about the processes at play, from pathogen invasion to plaque formation, while emphasizing the importance of maintaining optimal airway health. Don't miss this opportunity to decode the in-depth relationship between the airway, pathogen and plaques, and gain a deeper understanding of how they collectively impact our health and well-being.

Breaking Up With Biofilms: Exploring the Impact on Oral Health

Lora Hooper, B.S.D.H., R.D.H., E.F.D.A.

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Let's break up with biofilms and redefine the way we approach oral health. From debunking myths to exploring innovative treatments, this session promises to empower you with insights that can transform your practice and impact your patients' lives. We will explore the fascinating realm of biofilms — complex communities of bacteria that play a significant role in periodontal disease — and examine how they can be both helpful and harmful.

Updates in Esthetic Dentistry



Gerard Kugel, D.M.D., M.S., Ph.D.

9 a.m.–Noon
3 C.D.E. CREDITS



Failures in dentistry are often blamed on materials. In reality, user error is often the culprit. In this seminar, Dr. Gerald Kugel will discuss common mistakes and pitfalls. He will also highlight the latest information and evidence on a variety of esthetic dentistry related topics and clinical procedures, including: all-ceramic options and cementation for indirect anterior and posterior restorations; digital impressions and

3D Printing; advances in adhesive and bioactive dentistry; and a comprehensive review of core principles of esthetic dentistry related to tooth form and function.

Dos and Don'ts of Porcelain Laminate Veneers

Gerard Kugel, D.M.D., M.S., Ph.D.

2–5 p.m.
3 C.D.E. CREDITS



Are you currently providing porcelain laminate veneers in your practice? This course will provide a review of case selection, treatment planning, preparation options, temporization and cementation techniques. Clinical cases will be reviewed and discussed. From planning and consideration of alternative approaches to execution, the necessary steps are presented, and practice tips are provided to help participants efficiently achieve desired clinical results.

What Does Diet and Nutrition Have To Do With Dentistry?



Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.

9–10:30 a.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



As dental professionals, we are in a unique position to provide our patients with the highest degree of preventive health care. The dental visit isn't "just about the mouth"—it's about the whole patient! By applying the basic principles of cariology with ongoing research and emerging information on diet and nutrition as it relates to oral and systemic health, we can confidently provide comprehensive care for our patients.

Life Saving P.P.E. Essentials: Diet, Exercise, Self-Care

Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



As dental professionals, we are in a unique position to provide our patients with the highest degree of preventive health care. There has been a dramatic shift in lifestyle habits. Masks, face shields, gloves, glasses and expensive air filtration systems in our dental offices help guard/protect us at work, but what we do outside of our dental operatories to maintain our bodies and health should be a key priority in each of our lives.

Sugar and Sugar Alternatives: The Bittersweet Truth

Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.

2–3:30 p.m.
1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Sugar is in almost all foods and even medicines. Consumption of too much sugar is linked not only to tooth decay, but heart disease, diabetes and other systemic conditions. Ciphering through all the information about sugar substitutes can be overwhelming. Alternatives help us cut sugar out of the diet, but do they provide benefit or add risks? This course will provide an overview of sweeteners on the market, current evidence about sugar and sugar alternative intake and the practical application to dentistry and whole-body health.

Live YOUR Best Life: Aging Happily and Healthfully

Lisa Mallonee, M.P.H., R.D.H., R.D., L.D.

3:45–5:15 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Age doesn't define us. We can actually define our aging process. The lifestyle choices we make can add or subtract years from our lives. Genetics can definitely play a role, but learning how to play the hand of cards we are dealt can help us positively redefine our health. In the wise words of Jimmy Buffett, "Wrinkles will only go where the smiles have been!"

The Myths of Pediatric Dentistry: Fact and Fantasy



David Rothman, D.D.S., FAAPD, DABP, FACD, FICD

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



This seminar will look at commonly-held, but maybe not scientifically-based, myths in kid's dentistry. We'll talk about local anesthesia, restorations and crowns, pulp therapy, preventive dentistry, growth and development (including the tempestuous frenum and teething) and behavior management. By the end of the seminar, those in attendance should be able to evaluate literature and apply sound scientific practice to the treatment of children.

Not Another Emergency: Triage and Treating Dental Emergencies in Children

David Rothman, D.D.S., FAAPD, DABP, FACD, FICD

2–5 p.m.

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



We will review the most common dental emergencies and their treatment in children, including triaging. You'll learn rapid neurological assessment, treatment and follow-up protocols for not only what you think is an emergency, but more importantly, what parents think is an emergency. A look at common oral pathology will also be included.

Medical Billing: Get Paid As A Medical Specialist



Kandra Sellers, R.D.H., B.A.

2–5 p.m.

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



We all know there is a link between oral health and the rest of your body. If that is the reality, we should be billing many procedures as a medical specialist to medical insurance carriers. Learn which procedures you perform every day could be billed as medical. Grasp the difference between dental and medical insurance, how they differ and how you can collect up to your full fee, decreasing write-offs. This course explains the ROI and value medical billing can bring to a practice, as well as the increased case acceptance it can bring by giving patients another way to pay for the treatment they need and want.

Stress Busting With Humor: Focus Pocus to Stay Productive



Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP

9–10:30 a.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Stress diminishes effectiveness. Most of us have reached a breaking point, and we've had enough. Kelli Vrla's "Stress Busting With Humor" can help end the balancing act and increase focus on moving over, under, around and through daily challenges. This festive delivery of "do-it-now" skills will help dental teams "have more fun and get more done."

Communication Excellence: It's All in HOW We Say It

Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Talking to yourself in your car? Wish you had used your "inside voice"? Communication glitches cause more than 85% of frustrating problems at work. Ever answered the same question, to the same person, in the same day, more than once... within a few minutes? Great communication increases productivity and morale. Learn how to overcome obstacles with tips for tuning in instead of out. Have communication success with both your team and with patients!

How to Handle Change Before Change Handles You, Your Team and Your Patients: Cool Amidst the Chaos

Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP

2–3:30 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Changes are constant. Some are good and some are really challenging. Having a smooth transition when change occurs is important in any situation, and participants will gain some valuable skills through this workshop. The Change Management course will give attendees the skills to implement changes more smoothly and have those changes be better accepted.

Superior Recovery Techniques with Difficult and Demanding Patients

Kelli Vrla, B.B.A., B.A., C-CSP

3:45–5:15 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Most patients, around 96%, won't tell you when they're unhappy – they'll tell everyone else via Yelp, Facebook, etc. If only 4% of unhappy patients do bring a matter to your attention, treat it like a precious gift. Superior service recovery sends them out the door feeling as if they've just done business with the greatest dental practice on earth. This session will help attendees learn how best to handle difficult situations (face-to-face, via phone or virtual), which can be an intimidating or challenging – especially if they are charged with emotion.

SATURDAY SCHEDULE

Speaker	Course Title	Audience	Time	Price
John Comisi, D.D.S., M.A.G.D., C-ACSD, DASBA	Airway – Is Your Sleep Affecting Your Oral Microbiome?	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9–10:30 a.m.	
Mary Govoni, MBA, R.D.H., C.D.A.	What's New with OSHA, CDC and Infection Prevention and Control?	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	9–10:30 a.m.	
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Shannon Nanne, R.D.H.	Become a Hero of Dentistry and Solve the Dry Mouth Mystery	D.H.	2–3:30 p.m.	
Steve Anderson, CIG	Ethics in Dentistry (Repeated)	D.D.S., D.H., D.A., AUX	2–5 p.m.	
Daniel Pompa, B.A., D.D.S., OMFS	To Pull or Not to Pull	D.D.S., D.H., D.A.	2–5 p.m.	
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Shannon Nanne, R.D.H.	The RDH Detective Files: Oral Manifestations of Systemic Disease	D.H.	3:45–5:15 p.m.	

Airway – Is Your Sleep Affecting Your Oral Microbiome?



John Comisi, D.D.S., M.A.G.D., C-ACSD, DASBA

9–10:30 a.m., Repeats 2–3:30 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



We require sleep each evening to repair and regenerate, but perhaps without beneficial and effective sleep, our bodies and our mouths may be under attack and we don't even know it. We fix teeth and prescribe things to overcome the oral and physical challenges, but are we missing the underlying causality?

The Bacterial "Secret Invasion": Dentistry's Hidden Challenges and Potential Solutions

John Comisi, D.D.S., M.A.G.D., C-ACSD, DASBA

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m., Repeats 3:45–5:15 p.m.

1.5 C.E. CREDITS



We have, for so many years, endeavored to find ways of helping put teeth "back together." Lights, materials and adjuncts are all available to solve this problem. But perhaps, even without best defenses and "solutions," we have been missing the secret invasion happening right under everything we do.

What's New With OSHA, CDC and Infection Prevention and Control?



Mary Govoni, MBA, C.D.A., R.D.H.

9–10:30 a.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



OSHA requires employees in dental practices to participate in annual safety training, which includes general workplace safety, bloodborne pathogens, hazard communication, hazardous waste compliance requirements and any additional information pertinent to current infection prevention recommendations. This course will enable participants to review their safety protocols and make any necessary updates.

Is Your Practice Truly HIPAA Compliant – and Your Patient Data Secure?

Mary Govoni, MBA, C.D.A., R.D.H.

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

1.5 CE CREDITS



HIPAA regulations involve much more than posting a Notice of Privacy Practices and having patients sign an acknowledgement form. This course will review all HIPAA documentation requirements, including privacy and security policies, breach notification protocols, employee acknowledgements, security breach assessments, security risk assessments and much more. Digital security, including software and hardware requirements to protect from unauthorized access and hacking/ransomware attacks, will also be discussed.

Ergonomics in Dentistry – Self Care for the Dental Team

Mary Govoni, MBA, C.D.A., R.D.H.

2–3:30 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



We talk to our patients about the importance of preventing oral disease, and yet we don't take enough time to put our own words into practice when it comes to prevention of ergonomic injuries. Pain, numbness and the eventual physical toll of working chairside can end careers prematurely, but it doesn't have to be this way. Putting ergonomic principles into practice can protect your body today and your livelihood tomorrow. This course offers the entire dental team an introduction to ergonomics and the risk factors that may cause work-related musculoskeletal injuries.

If You Want Successful, Productive and Long-term Employees – Onboard them Effectively

Mary Govoni, MBA, C.D.A., R.D.H.

3:45–5:15 p.m.

1.5 C.E. CREDITS



In today's complex work environment, new employees need a thorough orientation to the dental practice and training in specific practice protocols. This process, known as onboarding, helps to ensure new team members can be effective and productive when performing their job functions. Learn what should be included in the onboarding process, how to develop an efficient one and standard operating procedures for job tasks and competency evaluations.

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP: Porcelain Laminate Veneers*



Gerard Kugel, D.M.D., M.S., Ph.D.

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



In this hands-on workshop, participants will learn to prepare teeth for veneers using three different preparation designs. Fabrication of a reduction guide as well as a temporary shell will be performed. A simple technique for direct temporization will be done following preparations along with a review of cementation techniques. This lecture and hands-on course series will provide a comprehensive and practical demonstration of how to execute porcelain laminate veneers, including the most common problems and how to avoid these mistakes in your dental office.

*If attending workshop, you must attend Dos and Don'ts of Porcelain Laminate Veneers lecture on Friday.

Enhancing Your Hygiene Career: Recognizing Deadly Skin Cancers



Shannon Nanne, R.D.H.

9–10:30 a.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Dental hygienists are trained to recognize abnormalities, provide patient education, teach prevention techniques, screen for early detection and provide prompt treatment. This all sounds good intra-orally, but what happens when we see a mole on a patient that gets bigger every time we see them? Between two and three million non-melanoma skin cancers and 132,000 melanoma skin cancers occur globally each year. This course will make you comfortable understanding the differences between normal and what could be abnormal.

Prevention vs. Prosecution – How This Life Could Have Been Saved

Shannon Nanne, R.D.H.

10:45 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



This educational event will highlight oral melanoma case presentations, including one featured at the International Symposium in Dental Hygiene in Switzerland in 2016. Many people have abnormal sores in their mouths, the great majority being noncancerous, making screening techniques even more important. Any person with a history of tobacco and alcohol use or prior head and neck malignancy has a significant risk of developing an oral, head and neck cancer. Learn how to teach patients the reasons they suffer from radiation-induced Xerostomia, intra-oral problems associated with it and the symptom management options available.

Become a Hero of Dentistry and Solve the Dry Mouth Mystery

Shannon Nanne, R.D.H.

2–3:30 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



We know that Xerostomia is not a disease, but it is often not discussed or masked by the next dry-mouth product. However, Xerostomia is a serious condition that is annoying and uncomfortable and usually caused by a disease or underlying condition. It affects your patient's quality of life while speaking, eating or even trying to sleep. Hypo-salivation can damage the hard and soft tissues of the mouth while presenting a clinical challenge in the operator. The course will show participants how to teach patients why they suffer from dry mouth, intra-oral problems associated with it and the symptom-management options available.

The RDH Detective Files: Oral Manifestations of Systemic Disease

Shannon Nanne, R.D.H.

3:45–5:15 p.m.

1.5 C.D.E. CREDITS



Careful examination of the oral cavity may allow for early diagnosis and treatment indicative of an underlying systemic condition. This course will

focus on the many medical conditions and diseases that have oral side effects and complications associated with them. Participants will return to their practices ready to implement specific strategies in order to help improve the lives of patients suffering from these conditions and will be able to recognize what they may be suffering from within the oral-cavity window.

Actions and Algorithms for Medical Emergencies



Daniel Pompa, B.A., D.D.S., OMFS

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



A crisis situation can, and likely will, occur at some time in a practice. Many potential medical emergencies can be prevented. Dr. Daniel Pompa discusses the prevention, preparation, recognition, and management of medical emergencies. A step-by-step medical approach using basic physical diagnostic methods is reviewed, giving the attendee a clear understanding of these medical findings. We will explore the "Conversational History" and how it will uncover medical issues not revealed by the standard health history form. Attendees will receive and review instructional cards depicting the most common life-threatening situations with an easy to follow action plan for both dentist and team members.

To Pull or Not to Pull

Daniel Pompa, B.A., D.D.S., OMFS

2–5 p.m.

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



What alternative treatment options should be considered when the "initial" endodontic (surgical or non-surgical) failure occurs? With the introduction of new techniques and a systemic approach for the diagnosis and treatment of compromised teeth, the attendee will be able to more accurately determine the long term prognosis with multiple treatment options. Advancements in both surgical and non-surgical procedures have resulted in success rates that can be equivalent to the success rates for an implant replacement.

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP: Pulp and What?: Treatment Options for the Primary Molar



David Rothman, D.D.S., FAAPD, DABP, FACD, FICD

2–5 p.m.

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



When confronted with a bombed-out primary tooth, which way to turn: ext or resto? This workshop reviews and practices skills in pulp therapy, esthetic restorations and, if all else fails, space maintenance. Treatment is performed on typodonts with primary teeth with pulps. A chairside band and loop space maintainer will also be practiced.

Digital Dentures Lecture: Denture Making in the 21st Century



Stephen Wagner, D.D.S.

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



Dr. Stephen Wagner will demonstrate several cutting edge digital clinical workflows that takes full advantage of the new materials and processes available to dentists today. Based on the solid time-tested principles of the past, this technique takes denture fabrication solidly into the 21st century.

HANDS-ON WORKSHOP: Digital Dentures*

Stephen Wagner, D.D.S.

2–5 p.m.

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



Join us for an interactive, hands-on program dedicated to improving clinical skills in crafting digital dentures. In this session, participants will do practical exercises showcasing a distinctive, one-appointment impression-making technique, the process of intraoral scanning for edentulous arches and the utilization of digitally-fabricated trial dentures.

*If attending workshop, you must attend Digital Dentures Lecture.

Ethics in Dentistry



Steven Anderson, Certified Inspector General

9 a.m.–Noon, Repeats 2–5 p.m.

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



Everyone benefits from developing an ability to recognize and promote ethical behaviors in the workplace. This training presentation will cover concepts of ethics with examples of how ethics applies to our daily activities, personally and professionally. The primary goal of this training is to teach participants how to make ethical choices in situations where decisions, behaviors or outcomes could be considered right or wrong. An emphasis will be placed on how to act ethically, demonstrate integrity, and the need to accept our own mistakes.

Note

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Speaker	Course Title	Audience	Time
Kenneth Abramovitch, B.S., D.D.S., C-DS, M.S.	CBCT – It’s Multi-D not 3-D (includes HSI – the Hardware, the Software, the Imaging)	D.D.S., D.H., D.A.	9 a.m.–Noon
Stuart Dexter, D.D.S.	A Dying Art: Removable Partial Dentures	D.D.S., AUX	9 a.m.–Noon
Angie Stone, B.S., R.D.H., B.L.S.	You and Your Patient’s Brain Health: What You Can Be Doing Now	D.H.	9 a.m.–Noon

CBCT – It’s Multi-D not 3-D (includes HSI – the Hardware, the Software, the Imaging)



Kenneth Abramovitch, B.S., D.D.S., C-DS, M.S.

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



This presentation will include a brief history of the machine hardware development of the current CBCT technology. It will simplify the theory of image acquisition and then expand on the multiple diagnostic utilities of CBCT imaging, including panoramic modes, arch sectioning, multiplanar sectioning and high-resolution scanning. There will also be a brief discussion on the biologic risks associated with X radiation exposure from CBCT imaging.

A Dying Art: Removable Partial Dentures



Stuart Dexter, D.D.S.

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



This course will help participants understand the benefits of an RPD, including their components, design process, and current trends.



You and Your Patient’s Brain Health: What You Can Be Doing Now



Angie Stone, B.S., R.D.H., B.L.S.

9 a.m.–Noon

3 C.D.E. CREDITS



The brain is the most complex organ in the body. Without an adequately functioning brain, people become a shell of a human. Environment, lifestyle choices and genetics are directly correlated with brain health. What is not being taught is how making choices and taking action can assist with the maintenance of brain function, as well as increased quality of life, health span and longevity. As the medical professional who likely sees and spends the greatest amount of time with patients, dental hygienists have an obligation to provide information regarding the causation relationship poor oral health has to brain health.



Note

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Kansas City, MO 64108

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Win Dinner for Two and A Room With A View

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THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 2024

This annual “party with a purpose” provides crucial funding for our students and patients at the UMKC School of Dentistry. Proceeds raised fund student-patient clinical experiences that not only give our students crucial hands-on experience towards graduation, but also provide our patients with necessary treatments.

Enjoy an evening of fine food, fine pairings and fine company, all while supporting the students and patients of the UMKC School of Dentistry. The night wouldn't be complete without an auction and a few fun antics.

You can include your individual reservations on your Midwest Dental Conference registration form or call 816-235-2022 for an invitation.



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FRIDAY, APRIL 12 • 5:30–7 P.M.
 Presented By the UMKC Dental and Dental Hygienists' Alumni Associations
All registered attendees are welcome to attend!



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FRIDAY, APRIL 12 • 5–6 P.M.
 Enjoy a happy hour while shopping the latest innovations and services. Each attendee will receive one (1) drink ticket to use during the Happy Hour in the Exhibit Hall.



CLASS REUNIONS
 Classes whose graduation year ends in a “4” or “9” will be celebrating reunions at MDC 2024.
 Watch your mail for additional information, contact your class rep or call the Alumni Office at 816-235-2022.



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FRIDAY • APRIL 12 • NOON
 COST: \$40
 Advanced registration required by March 21. Mark your registration form.



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FRIDAY, APRIL 12 • NOON
 COST: \$40
 Reservations Required by March 21. Onsite registrations will not be taken.
All dental hygiene alumni and friends are invited!

Join us for this celebration of Dental Hygienists. We will have a brief annual business meeting, followed by recognizing reunion years, honoring awardees and connecting with colleagues, classmates and friends.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 13 • NOON
 COST: \$40
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SATURDAY, APRIL 13 • 3:45–5:15 P.M.
 COST: NONE
 Bring your cases and questions. This is your opportunity to hear from a panel of experts on specific cases that might be stumping you. Refreshments provided.
Please RSVP when registering.



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SATURDAY, APRIL 13 • 5:30 P.M.
 SHERATON HOTEL
 Hosted by the Student National Dental Association/Hispanic Student Dental Association and UMKC Dentistry Office of the Dean
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All SNDA/HSDA members, alumni and friends are welcome to attend.

Join us for live music, games, door prizes, appetizers and drinks.
For questions:
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Lecture.....\$ 140
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- CRUZ PROSTHODONTICS LECTURE
Lecture.....\$ 165
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Pediatric Dentist\$ 140
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ALUMNI AND FRIENDS DENTAL HYGIENIST CELEBRATION LUNCHEON
Alumni, Friend or Guest of Alumni\$ 40

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- RINEHART RECOGNITION LUNCHEON:
Donor/Spouse/Guest (\$250+ in 2023)No Fee
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HANDS-ON WORKSHOP — PORCELAIN LAMINATE VENEERS
9 a.m.—Noon (Limited Enrollment)\$ 300
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2-5 p.m. (Limited Enrollment)\$ 300
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