

A Radiographic and Clinical Review of Oral Pathological Lesions

Saturday, October 7, 2017

8:30 am – 4:30 pm (Registration 8:00 am)

7 CEU

(Includes continental breakfast & lunch)

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SYNOPSIS:

The purpose of this seven hour lecture and case review course is to provide the dental health care practitioner with information concerning patient history gathering and physical and radiographic examination regarding the identification and diagnosis of oral hard and soft tissue lesions. Emphasis will be placed on the importance of LOCATION, SURFACE and PATTERN RECOGNITION terminology regarding the differential diagnosis of oral hard and soft tissue lesions.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

At the end of this course, participants should:

- Build a foundational knowledge of the etiology of hard and soft tissue lesions of the head and neck and oral cavity.
- Understand the relationship between the SOAP-P approach to the clinical evaluation of pathologic problems and clinical and radiographic patterns of pathology.
- Know the importance of LOCATION in the differential diagnosis of hard and soft tissue lesions of the oral cavity.
- Know the importance of SURFACE features in the differential diagnosis of soft tissue lesions of the oral mucosa.
- Describe the terminology associated with PATTERN RECOGNITION of radiographic anomalies and surface descriptors of mucosal soft tissue lesions.
- Appreciate the importance of early diagnosis of oral hard and soft tissue lesions.
- Critically evaluate relevant oral and maxillofacial pathologic, radiographic and dermatologic scientific literature regarding hard and soft tissue lesions.

SPEAKERS:

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Dr. Herschaft received a DDS from West Virginia University School of Dentistry, a certificate in oral and maxillofacial pathology from the Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC). He is Professor Emeritus - MUSC College of Dental Medicine, Professor of Biomedical Sciences - University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV) School of Dental Medicine, and Guest Professor - Medical School of Nankai University in Tianjin, China. Dr. Herschaft is one of the quality assurance officers for the UNLV School of Dental Medicine. He is a Diplomate of the American Boards of Oral Medicine and Forensic Odontology and Fellow of the American and International Colleges of Dentists, AAFS and Pierre Fauchard Academy.

Robert Danforth, DDS



Dr. Robert A. Danforth is a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and is a Clinical Professor in Residence at the UNLV School of Dental Medicine. He has taught oral and maxillofacial radiology since 1979 and has been in the dental x-ray laboratory business since 1982. He is one of the early users of CBCT imaging beginning in 2002 and has been providing interpretative CBCT reports since that time.

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