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Full/Half Day Programs

Making Dentistry Better, Faster, Easier, and Higher in Quality

Dental Implants for the General Practitioner: This Can All Be Much Simpler!

The Digital Dentist: Harnessing the Power of Technology in Your Practice

About Dr. Glenn

Dr. Glenn graduated from University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Dentistry. Following graduation, he went on to complete the Lutheran Medical Center’s advanced education in general dentistry residency at the UT Memphis branch. He is a graduate of the Georgia Maxi Course in Implant Dentistry as well as the American Orthodontic Society’s Comprehensive Ortho Program. He is the current Chairman of Continuing Education for both the TN AGD and the Middle TN Dental Study Club. Dr. Glenn operates a private practice in Winchester, TN where he performs all disciplines of dentistry with a particular focus on utilizing technology and innovative techniques to provide treatment in an efficient and cost effective manner while still maintaining the highest level of quality. He has spoken on numerous occasions on the topics of CAD/CAM, dental implants, dental photography/PowerPoint, complete dentures, and complex restorative cases.
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Introduction
Modern general dentistry is not for the faint of heart. General dentists must possess an incredible amount of knowledge of different products, materials, and clinical techniques while also having the clinical skills to utilize them effectively. Add to this a flat economy and decreasing reimbursement and today’s dentist finds themselves having to do more with less. Despite this, dentists shouldn’t feel they have to choose between being affordable or providing high quality care. This full day course is packed with real world cases demonstrating that dentists can be efficient and profitable while still maintaining the highest level of quality.

Course Objectives

- Learn to create predictable complete dentures in 2 to 3 visits utilizing duplicate dentures
- Discover techniques for rapid and profound anesthesia
- Discuss techniques and products that aid in restoring severely compromised teeth
- Learn to perform full mouth rehabilitations on any budget and how to stage treatment for comprehensive cases
- Explore cost effective methods for planning and placing dental implants
- Develop a system to efficiently deliver class II restorations with ideal anatomy and minimal stress
- Harness the power of digital photography, PowerPoint, and Photoshop to increase case acceptance and set the stage for successful clinical results
- Learn the various advantages to having CAD/CAM and CBCT and how to determine if it makes sense for your practice
- Explore several template techniques for producing highly detailed and beautiful composite restorations
Case examples from course

Staged Porcelain Reconstruction

Full Mouth Rehab in Composite

Predictable Class II Composites

3 Appointment Complete Dentures
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Introduction

The explosion of dental implants in recent years has had a profound impact in dentistry. More than 30 million Americans are missing teeth and could benefit from implants and yet only 10% of all US dentists are placing them. This rapidly evolving field can be intimidating to dentists who weren’t formally trained in placing implants. However, most dentists already possess the surgical skills necessary for basic implant placement. This practical half day course is designed to show that placing and restoring dental implants can be simple procedures that any dentist can perform in their office. It will explore techniques from the most basic single tooth implant placement and restoration all the way to complex full arch rehabilitation. Particularly, it will show how to carry out these treatments in an efficient and cost effective manner.

Course Objectives

- Learn simple methods to place implants and deliver the final restorations in only 2 visits
- Learn how to stage full arch implant therapy for predictable results
- Develop treatment planning methods that result in precise implant placement every time
- Explore numerous model based and digital methods for surgical guide fabrication
- Learn cost effective strategies for placing and restoring dental implants
- Learn how to duplicate dentures and use them in case planning and execution
- Explore minimally invasive sinus augmentation techniques
- Learn how cad cam technology can increase profitability on implant cases
- Learn cost effective methods for socket grafting
Case Examples from Course

Upper Arch Implant Rehab

Quick and Easy Model Based Guide Fabrication

Affordable “Screwmentable” Restorations

CT Fully Guided Surgery for Under $50 Using a Single Drill Protocol
The Digital Dentist: Harnessing the Power of Technology in Your Practice

Introduction

Dentistry is in the midst of a digital revolution. CAD/CAM dentistry, cone beam computed tomography, 3D printing, and digital photography are rapidly changing the way that we do dentistry. These exciting developments can open amazing new options to the dentist who is willing to embrace them but they are not without challenges also. Jumping into the digital world can have significant clinical and financial ramifications that must be understood if we are to integrate these technologies successfully. This half day course is designed to show how dental technology can improve our outcomes through greater precision and efficiency. It will also provide a framework to evaluate whether technology will fit your desired practice model.

Course Objectives

- Compare the various digital impression systems on the market
- Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of open vs. closed architecture
- Explore the possibilities that in house milling and same day dentistry can bring to your practice
- Discover the “break-even point” for a given piece of technology to evaluate whether it can provide a positive return on investment
- Discuss the benefits and limitations of CBCT technology
- Discuss fully guided implantology: costs, accuracy, and workflow
- Discover the advantages of merging CAD/CAM and CBCT data
- Explore how digital photography can improve case acceptance and simplify case planning
- Learn to use PowerPoint and the “digital facebow” to enhance lab communication
- Discover how Photoshop can be used to create lifelike smile simulations
- Discuss marketing your practice through technology and social media
Case Examples from Course

Using Photography and Powerpoint to Guide an Esthetic Rehab

DIY Smile Simulation in Minutes Using Photoshop

Before

FMR Simulation
Same Day Treatment Utilizing CAD/CAM

Successfully Staging Full Arch Implant Therapy Using Conebeam and CAD/CAM Data
Recent presentations

- “Adventures In My First Three Years of Private Practice”. Middle TN Dental Study Club, Lakeside Club, Tullahoma, TN. Feb 21, 2012
- “MacGyver Dentistry”. Middle TN Dental Study Club, Lakeside Club, Tullahoma, TN. Nov 12
- “Clinical Potpourri”. Middle TN Dental Study Club, Lakeside Club, Tullahoma, TN. Jan 14, 2014
- “MacGyver Dentistry”. TN Academy of General Dentistry Regional Meeting, Cookeville, TN March 21 2014

In addition to live presentations, Dr. Glenn is actively involved in several online dental communities where his work is showcased. The following are links to cases that have been featured in the Dentaltown eNewsletter.

- Occlusal Stamp Technique for an MOD Composite
- Making Class II Composites Easy and Enjoyable
- Tough Denture Case Utilizing Duplicate Dentures
- Predictable Full Arch Treatment
- Tight Guided Case Using Blue Sky Plan and Model Based Surgery
- An Alternative to Full Coverage Crowns
- 2 Visit Implant and Restoration Using Modified Cast Technique
- Maxillary Arch Staged Implant Rehab