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Physical disease and social phenomena create new epidemics that transform how we practice. Toss out the myths and learn how a variety of problems can have similar impacts on oral health, delivery of care and treatment outcomes. Identify effective ways to work with some of this century’s most complicated patients. Get down to basics with news you can use on Monday.

- ◆ Working in pain? Playing victim or surviving your circumstances
- ◆ Can you hear me now? Maximizing moments with hard-of-hearing patients
- ◆ Autism—Unlocking the doors, connecting and communicating
- ◆ Soft drink junkies—Teeth, bones and body fat
- ◆ Meth mouth—The addiction that melts teeth and destroys lives
- ◆ Body art and piercings—Non-judgmental straight talk
- ◆ Oral lesion detection—Failing to see reality
- ◆ Xerostomia—The ultimate *desert storm* battle
- ◆ Sickening facts—Tobacco, diabetes, obesity, osteoporosis and celiac disease
- ◆ Working with senior patients. Is your grandmother going to college or forgetting what she ate five minutes ago?

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of this workshop, you will be able to:

- ◆ Discover how demographics and social changes are affecting oral and total health.
- ◆ Understand the role of soft drinks in caries, obesity, diabetes and osteoporosis.
- ◆ Recognize how tobacco, lack of physical activity, sleep apnea and eating disorders increased disease risks.
- ◆ Describe how dry mouth contributes to hypersensitivity, caries and periodontal disease.
- ◆ Improve diagnostic skills and develop non-judgmental communication tactics.
- ◆ Select appropriate remineralization protocols.
- ◆ Appreciate the role of the dental professional in helping patients achieve whole body wellness.





QUESTIONS???

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