

DIAGNOSE DISEASE FOR NSPT & HANDS-ON ADVANCED INSTRUMENTATION WORKSHOP

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is designed for dental providers and will offer critically appraised, evidence-based information to help them effectively diagnose periodontal disease. The course will provide chronological information on the assessment phase of care to develop steps in identifying, treating, and stabilizing periodontitis utilizing non-surgical periodontal therapy.

The course will integrate a comprehensive hands-on review of advanced instruments to avoid burnishing and effectively remove calculus during non-surgical periodontal therapy. The content will discuss dental anatomy and periodontal assessment to determine the best options for advanced instruments. Emphasis will be placed on reviewing different types of advanced instruments for safe and effective calculus removal during patient care.

COURSE OUTLINE

1. Intro to EBDM
2. Study Designs
3. Assessment Phase Components
4. Treatment Planning
5. Dental Anatomy
6. Ultrasonic Tips
7. Advanced Sickle Scalers
8. Advanced Universals
9. Advanced Area Specifics
10. Files and Other Specialty Instruments

COURSE OUTLINE

- Explain the different levels of evidence.
- Explain the role of biofilm in periodontal destruction.
- Discuss the components of a comprehensive periodontal assessment.
- Explain when to diagnose SRP
- Review dental anatomy related to periodontal instrumentation for NSPT.
- Identify the most effective ways to control oral biofilm.
- Discuss the designs of advanced instruments.
- Identify various advanced instruments and ultrasonic tips to remove calculus efficiently.
- Identify various hand instruments to remove burnished calculus.



EVENT DETAILS

DATE & TIME

October 24, 2025
8:30 AM - 5:00 PM CST
Registration - 7.45 am

CEU Credits:

8 CEUS
Prerequisites: None
AGD Subject Code: 490

Cancellation:

A full refund, minus a \$50 non-refundable deposit per registrant is available with written notice received by Oct 23rd, 2025. No refund after Oct 23rd.

LOCATION

Holiday Inn
4 Tower Center Blvd
East Brunswick
New Jersey 08816

COST

RDH: \$349
Dentist: \$449
DA & AUX: \$349
Includes continental breakfast, coffee, lunch, desserts and course materials.

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SPEAKERS



Dr. Silky Sharma
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Dr. Silky Sharma, RDH, Ed.D, is an Associate Professor at Harper College in Palatine, Illinois, teaching since 2010. She holds a master's degree from the University of Illinois and a Doctorate in Education from Grand Canyon University. With 20 years of dental hygiene experience, she practices patient-centered care in a perio-focused office.

As a clinic coordinator, Dr. Sharma teaches courses on Periodontology, Advanced Perio Instrumentation, Pain Management, and Oral Pathology. She presents continuing education programs nationally and internationally, serves as a CDCA dental hygiene examiner, and has published in peer-reviewed journals.



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