

Webinars and Resources for Oral Health

6/16/20



****If you do not wish to receive these learning activities or resources, just send a note to:**

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****You also can send information on oral health webinars our way too and we will add to this list!**

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The Oral Health Program at the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services has tried to keep track of webinars and resources related to the COVID-19 crisis and oral health that we felt might be of interest to Michigan oral health professionals and others interested in oral health.

Some of these training opportunities do offer dental CEs so please scan the information below for anything that you might wish to access.

We will keep any information on this list if the webcast has not happened yet. We also will try and send out any new information that we come across a few times a week.... Stay safe!

CDC training resources

- The updated CDC Interim Reopening Guidance for Dental Settings includes this recommendation in the Education and Training section:
 - **Provide DHCP with job- or task-specific education and training on preventing transmission of infectious agents, including refresher training.**
 - **Training: Basic Expectations for Safe Care**
- The CDC guidance links to the training modules (PowerPoint presentations and scripts), however I wanted to remind you that the full presentation is available for viewing online at the New England Public Health Training Center. The Subject Matter Expert is Kathy Eklund, who presented on this afternoon's ADA webinar (COVID-19 Response: CDC Guidance for Dental Settings).
 - Here is a link to the free online training: <https://www.nephtc.org/enrol/index.php?id=114>

MI guidance from LARA

This guidance has been developed in collaboration with the Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity (LEO), the Michigan Occupational, Health and Safety Agency (MIOSHA), and the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) and supplements the requirements listed in EO 2020-97.

[○ Guidance for Dental](#)



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**On the following pages are some new
webinars and resources related to
oral health**

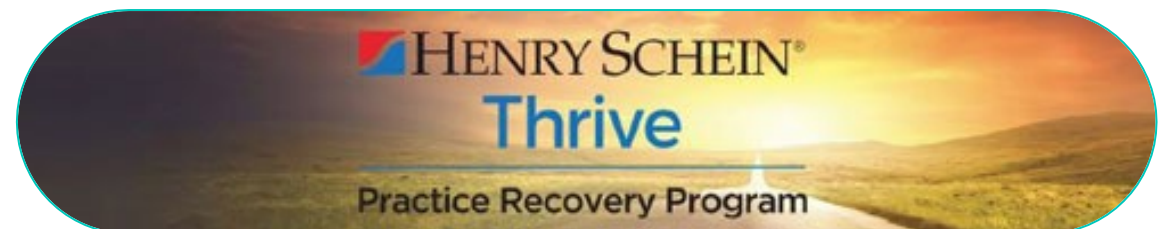


Additions since 6-11-20

The Henry Schein Thrive Practice Recovery Program helps practices reopen and realize their growth goals in a way that is safe for the dental team and patients

There are many new realities to navigate in a post-COVID dental environment—among them changing guidelines for infection control, balancing patient flow with social distancing, and communicating new office protocols with your patient base. So, wherever you are in the process of resuming normal patient care—you'll need a plan.

<http://www.henryscheindental.com/recoveryprogram>



June 16, 2020
6:00pm

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Live Webinar:
**The First Step in
Practice Safety:
Good Practice Design**

 Dr. Jeff Carter, DDS
& Pat Carter, IIDA

 June 16th, 6PM ET

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[Register Here](#)

Best Practices for Re-Opening Dental Clinics: Evolving and Adapting, a webinar from DentaQuest

- Date: **Thursday, June 18, 2020 - 01:00pm EST** / Duration: 1 hour / CE Credits: 1 Webinar
- Register Link:
<https://dentaquest.webex.com/dentaquest/k2/j.php?MTID=tfaffd9a12696d30b95856af9fa5fadd3>
- As offices turn the corner and look to the future there are still many questions that may need answers to ensure the workplace is safe for both workers and patients. **Best Practices for Re-Opening Dental Clinics** is the tool you need to operationalize guidance provided by the ADA, OSHA, the CDA and other dental associations.
- This webinar will introduce dental professionals to this important tool, walking them through the document to ensure successful implementation.
 - **Presenter: Karen Gregory, RN, Director of Compliance & Education, Total Medical Compliance**
 - **Learning Objectives: Identify resources to ensure your clinic remains current with the evolving COVID-19 pandemic**
 - **Discuss measures to reduce the likelihood of the spread of infection as patient care increases**
- Recording will be made available

Demystifying Oral Pathology for Person-Centric Care

Webinar — June 17, 2020

Speaker: Theodora Danciu, DMD, DMSc

Time: 7 – 8 p.m.

Fee: FREE

CE Credits: 1

Registration Instructions

STEP 1: [Click here to register through the MDA.](#)

STEP 2: Click the Zoom link found in the MDA email confirmation you receive to register for the Zoom webinar. **NOTE: The email confirmation from the MDA may go into your spam folder, to help avert this, please add jmarquardt@michigandental.org to your safe sender list.**

You will then receive a link to join the webinar. Save it for joining the live webinar on the date it occurs

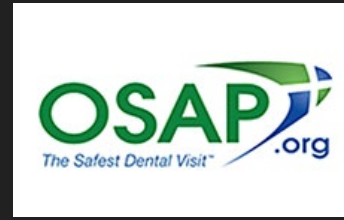
The presentation is designed for general dentists, dental hygienists, and dental specialists.



Webinar June 18, 1-2 pm ET

Best Practices for Re-Opening Dental Clinics: Evolving and Adapting

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Join a joint webinar from the DentaQuest Partnership and the Organization for Safety Asepsis and Prevention (OSAP), focusing on the guidance provided by the ADA, OSHA, the CDA and other dental associations to re-open dental practices.

This webinar will introduce dental professionals to a tool that will help with successful re-opening implementation.

Speaker:

Karen Gregory, RN, Director of Compliance and Education for Total Medical Compliance

- Karen has over 20 years of experience working in the outpatient environment, both at the front line delivering patient care and in the management arena. She is a frequent speaker for professional organizations and at conferences nationwide on OSHA, HIPAA and Infection Control and serves on the OSAP Board of Directors.

Protecting Medicaid Adult Dental Coverage

- Community Catalyst and Families USA are excited to partner on an upcoming webinar: [Protecting Medicaid Adult Dental Coverage](#)
- **June 19, 2020 at 2:00pm EST**

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PRESENT

**PROTECTING MEDICAID
ADULT DENTAL COVERAGE**

JUNE 19 | 2:00 PM EST

IN THIS WEBINAR, YOU WILL HEAR FROM STATE AND NATIONAL EXPERTS ON LOOMING THREATS TO MEDICAID DENTAL COVERAGE, THE IMPORTANCE OF PRESERVING THIS COVERAGE, AND THE CRITICAL ROLE OF FEDERAL SUPPORT IN STABILIZING STATE MEDICAID PROGRAMS

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Click [here](#) to register for Protecting Medicaid Adult Dental Coverage.

Practical Solutions to Boost Employee Performance During COVID-19



- This is where practice management consultant and trainer, Owen Dahl, MBA, LFACHE, CHBC, LSSMBB, can help you and your staff.
- During a 90-minute complimentary online training session on Tuesday, June 23rd at 3 pm ET, you can receive step-by-step guidance to help your employees give their best during both these troubling times and beyond.
- **IMPORTANT:** This training session is offered at NO COST to you (normally \$227). It will help your practice get back up to speed post-COVID-19. This free online roundtable will provide you with proven strategies you can use to ramp up your practice more quickly and successfully.

[online session](#)

COVID-19 and the Problem with Dental Aerosols



- Presenter: Katrina Sanders, RDH, BSDH, MEd
- Provider: AEGIS Publications, LLC
- Cost: \$0.00
- CDE Credits: 1 Interactive
- **June 29, 2020 @ 7 PM ET**
- Learning Objectives:
 - Review the types of aerosol-generating dental procedures and the risks of airborne infection transmission
 - Discuss best practices and protocols for safe delivery of care in the COVID-19 pandemic era
 - Review technologies and products that can optimize safety for practitioners and patients

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- This webinar will discuss the rationale for continuing to place sealants in health centers and the evidence base for dental sealants. GC America will discuss how to place glass ionomer sealants without producing aerosols so that children can continue to receive the benefit of dental sealants in the COVID-19 world. 1 CDE will be offered.
- SPEAKERS: Irene Hilton, DDS, MPH (NNOHA), Michelle Wright, RDH (GC America, Inc.), and Bill Maas, DDS, MS, MPH (NNOHA Sealant Improvement Collaborative faculty)
- OBJECTIVES:
- Understand the rationale for sealants in the COVID world.
- Review the evidence base for applying dental sealants.
- Present a technique for applying glass ionomer sealants without aerosol generation.

National Network for Oral Health Access Dental Sealants in the COVID-19 World Webcast

July 6, 2020 at 2pm ET

To register: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5334278870436249613>

ADA Symposium on Fluoride and Fluoridation



- Link to ADA Symposium: ada.org/fluoride4health75 (requires ADA Log-in) or use separate link for each:
- [July 7](#), The Power of Safe Drinking Water and Caries Prevention
- [July 14](#), Fluoridation Advocacy: How to Share Evidence-Based Findings to Lay Audiences
- [July 27](#), Mom's Guide to Fluoride
- [July 29](#), Fluoridation Public Hearings and Grassroots Campaigns

Resources of Interest:

The American Academy of Pediatrics Campaign for Dental Health and the National Indian Health Board Tribal Oral Health Initiative are excited to share four tip sheets for Native American (NA) and Alaska Native (AN) babies, kids, adults, and elders. Each offer age-appropriate guidance for a variety of ways to keep teeth and mouths healthy. Access them on the Campaign's Share page.



Here are Some Steps You Can Take to Care for Your Child

- It starts in pregnancy!**
When you're pregnant, you may be more prone to cavities and gum disease. A woman needs to see her dentist. Make an appointment early in the pregnancy. (You'll be busy afterwards!)
- Once your baby arrives...**
 - Wipe your baby's gums after each feeding and before bedtime.
 - Ask your baby's doctor to check inside their mouth.
 - Your doctor should recommend that you take your baby to the dentist.
 - Breastfeed infants during the first year of life and beyond as long as possible.



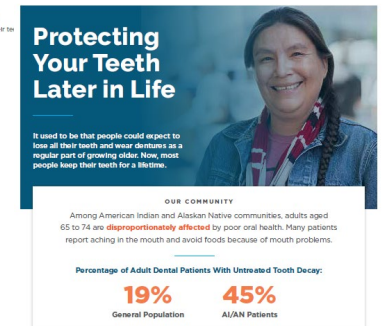
Here are Some Steps You Can Take to Care for Your Teeth and Mouth:

- Drink water with fluoride your first choice.** Most tap water has fluoride, but most bottled water does not.
- Replace sugary drinks like soda pop, juice, sweet tea, energy drinks, and sports drinks with water.** The whole family benefits from drinking water with fluoride, a mineral that helps prevent cavities.
- Eat a healthy diet that includes fruits and vegetables.** Avoid candy and snack foods as much as possible.
- Avoid non-creatural use of tobacco products of all kinds including cigarettes, chewing tobacco, vapes (e-cigarettes), cigars, and pipes.**
- Don't wait until you have a problem.** See the dentist 2 times a year for checkups.



Here are Some Steps You Can Take to Care for Your Child's Teeth and Mouth:

- Begin with their baby (primary) teeth!**
Your kids need healthy teeth! Grow up healthy, your kids need healthy teeth! Make brushing teeth part of the morning and bedtime routine. Use fluoride toothpaste. As kids get older, let them use their own toothbrush. You should squeeze the toothpaste and help brush until they are 6-8 years old. Make an appointment for your child to see the dentist every 6 months.
- Get (permanent) teeth!**
Baby teeth begin to fall out around 6 years old. Brush twice every day with fluoride toothpaste and floss teeth. Ask your child's doctor or dentist to put fluoride varnish on their teeth. Ask the dentist about sealants once molars come in.



Here are Some Steps You Can Take to Care for Your Teeth and Mouth:

- Keep your teeth and mouth clean.** Brush your teeth twice a day with fluoride toothpaste. Clean between teeth with floss.
- If you have dentures or partials, clean them daily and continue to go to your dentist every six months.** You will receive an oral cancer screening during your visits.
- Drink water with fluoride your first choice.** Most tap water has fluoride, but most bottled water does not.
- Replace sugary drinks like soda pop, juice, sweet tea, energy drinks, and sports drinks with water.**
- Eat a healthy diet that includes fruits and vegetables.** Avoid candy and snack foods as much as possible.
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The graphic shows a checklist titled "COVID-19 Protection and Disinfection Checklist" with a photo of a healthcare worker. The checklist includes items like "PRE-SCREEN ALL EMPLOYEES" and "MAKE MASKS MANDATORY".

Stop COVID-19 Spread at Your Practice

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Resources of Interest:

Stop COVID-19 Spread at Your Practice

Beating the spread of COVID-19 at your practice doesn't have to be a daunting task. All you need is a well-thought-out plan with proven infection control strategies to make your practice ramp up a resounding success.

To make infection control easier, safer and less stressful for you, your staff and your patients use the expert strategies provided in this handy [COVID-19 Protection and Disinfection Checklist](#).

This must-have tool includes expert advice from infectious disease practitioner, **Javeed Siddiqui, MD**, and practice management consultant, **Owen Dahl, MBA, LFACHE, CHBC, LSSMBB**. Inside this tool you will find expert guidance for:

- Protecting Against **Person-to-Person** COVID-19 Contamination
 - **Disinfecting, Deep Cleaning, and Documenting** to COVID-19 Safety Standards
 - Using These Accepted COVID-19 Fighting **Disinfectants**
- [Download](#) your copy of this must-have **FREE COVID-19 Protection and Disinfection Checklist**. There is no cost to you whatsoever, and your free tool will be available for you to download immediately.

Resources of Interest:

The Pure Michigan Business Connect program through the Michigan Economic Development Corporation has developed a portal specifically designed to support the personal protective equipment (PPE) needs of Michigan businesses as they start the process of re-opening.



“We want to ensure we are opening up in a way that is safe, smart and does not undo the progress we have made in flattening the curve of COVID-19,” said Governor Whitmer. “Through the PMBC COVID-19 Procurement Platform we can help employers access the PPE they need to ensure their employees feel safe returning to work, while also supporting Michigan businesses that will be critical to economic recovery efforts.”

The online portal can be accessed at www.michiganbusiness.org/ppe and is open to companies of all sizes and industries and is available for all scales of PPE demand.



Resources of Interest:

At Concord Seminars, we provide a comprehensive and AGD PACE approved education experience for all members of the dental team. Through a wide selection of events on a spectrum of topics related to the dental industry, our seminars and webinars are designed to offer the latest scientific information. Head to our website to discover upcoming courses and expand your professional education.

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ADHA Releases Updated Interim Guidance on Return to Work

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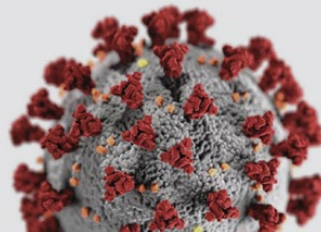
The ADHA Task Force on Return to Work has revised ADHA's Interim Guidance on Returning to Work, based on the recently updated Guidance for Dental Settings from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Be sure to use the helpful [Patient Screening Questionnaire](#) and [Readiness to Return to Work Checklist](#) that are also included.

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ADHA Updates on COVID-19

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