About the programs

Rescue of the Ailing Implant

Unfortunately, implant failures happen. The AAD Northeast and Southern Districts have brought together a stellar faculty to address a topic that too often gets ignored: How to rescue the ailing implant.

Leading off on Friday, June 11, 2011 will be Alfred “Duke” Heller, DDS, MS, and Robert L. Heller, DDS, who will present a full-day program entitled “Digging Out of Problems,” covering the following:

- Handling loose and broken screws
- When and how to charge for implant failure
- Which tissue barriers to use in implant repair
- Identifying failed implants that cannot be repaired
- Which bone grafting materials to use in implant repair
- When to remove an implant that has lost bone support
- When to remove a compromised tooth and replace with an implant
- When to do socket preservation with immediate implant placement

Bring your own challenging cases for interactive discussion with Drs. Heller.

On Saturday, we turn our attention to the question of whether failing implants are preventable as well as a discussion of one common result of failing implants.

David M. Vassos, DDS, will present “Minimal Stress, Maximum Success,” examining whether ailing, failing implants are really preventable and we will discuss if we are really doing everything we can to minimize failures.

Dr. Vassos’ lectures will show you ways to simplify implant surgery from a single tooth to full arch reconstruction regardless of the degree of bone loss. You will achieve complete patient satisfaction and shorten the time to completion.

Edgar El Chaar, DDS, MS, will present “Peri-implant Environment: Peri-implantitis Diagnosis and Treatment and Optimization of Soft Management around Dental Implants.”

The etiology and treatment options for peri-implantitis have been established over the past two decades. Recently, the subject is becoming more critical as dental implant therapy is more involved and practitioners are taking implant therapy further into new modalities unimaginable five to ten years ago. The factors that lead to peri-implantitis and the way to manage and prevent them in order to preserve a healthy and stable result over the long run will be covered.

Speakers

Alfred “Duke” Heller, DDS, MS
- Fellow, American Academy of Oral Implantology
- Diplomat, American Board of Oral Implantology
- Faculty member, Midwest Implant Institute
- Staff member, Grady Memorial Hospital

Robert L. Heller, DDS
- Associate Fellow, American Academy of Oral Implantology
- Faculty member, Midwest Implant Institute
- Staff member, Grady Memorial Hospital

David Vassos, DDS
- Fellow, American Academy of Oral Implantology
- Diplomat, American Board of Oral Implantology
- Honored Fellow, American Academy of Oral Implantology
- Fellow, Canadian Academy of Oral Implantology
- Private practice limited to dental implants

Edgar El Chaar, DDS, MS
- Diplomate, American Board of Oral Implantology
- Diplomate, American Board of Periodontology
- Associate Professor, Periodontics and Implant Dentistry, New York University, College of Dentistry

Friday, June 10, 2011

7:30-8:00 am Registration
8:00-8:20 am Continental Breakfast
8:20-10:00 am "Digging out of problems"
- Handling loose and broken screws
- How to recognize a failing, ailing implant
- Protocol for removing a failing implant
- Protocol for repairing a failing implant

10:00-10:30 am Networking break with exhibitors and colleagues

10:30-Noon "Digging out of problems" (continued)
- Which bone grafting materials to use when repairing an implant

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Saturday, June 11

7:30-8:00 am Continental Breakfast
8:00-10:00 am Minimal Stress, Maximum Success

10:00-10:30 am Networking break with exhibitors and colleagues

10:30-Noon "Digging out of Problems" (continued)
- Which bone grafting materials to use when repairing an implant
- How to recognize a failing, ailing implant
- Protocol for removing a failing implant
- Protocol for repairing a failing implant

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