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Coronal Polishing: Earn 11.5 hours for participation in this program

Fluoride Application: Earn 15.5 hours for participation in this program

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CORONAL POLISHING & FLUORIDE APPLICATION



Certification Courses for
Dental Assistants

FALL 2017

CORONAL POLISHING

The Indiana State Board of Dentistry has recently added coronal tooth polishing as a permitted function of a trained Dental Assistant. This course will provide the required didactic and laboratory training required for certification.

Course Requirement:

Graduate of a Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association approved program or a practicing dental assistant for a minimum of one (1) year.

Course Objectives:

- Module 1 - Overview of Ethics, Laws and Infection Control
- Module 2 - Understand plaque and materia alba
- Module 3 - Recognize intrinsic and extrinsic stains
- Module 4 - Learn the types of abrasive agents used when performing coronal polishing
- Module 5 - Learn proper handpiece use and armamentarium

How it works

All didactic instruction will be completed online. Once registered, participants will receive instructions that will allow them access to Indiana University's Oncourse system. All lecture material will be available online 24 hours a day. There are five modules with corresponding quizzes that must be completed prior to advancing to the laboratory training.

Upon completing all the didactic assignments online and passing all of the quizzes, participants will enroll in one of the available Saturday laboratory sessions. Laboratory sessions will consist of two (2) hours of laboratory work, including working with a mannequin and two (2) live patients (fellow participants), in the use of a slow speed hand piece, prophylaxis cup, and occlusal polishing brush and hand dexterity.

Once the didactic and laboratory requirements are fulfilled, each participant must demonstrate clinical competency on a minimum of five (5) patients under the direct observation of their current employer. A form will be provided to employers for them to certify competency and completion of required clinical cases. The form must be signed by the employer and submitted to Indiana University School of Dentistry's Office of Continuing Education. Upon receipt, IUSD will issue a certificate of completion to be publicly displayed in the dental office. Once the certificate is received, participants will be able to legally polish the coronal surfaces of dentition under the supervision of a licensed dentist.

FLUORIDE APPLICATION

This board approved course will instruct Dental Assistants how to deliver evidence-based fluoride interventions to patients. This course will provide the required didactic and laboratory training required for certification.

Course Requirement:

Graduate of a Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association approved program or a practicing dental assistant for a minimum of one (1) year.

Course Objectives:

- Module 1 - Overview of Ethics, Laws and Infection Control
- Module 2 - Learn effects & benefits of fluoridation
- Module 3 - Understand the caries process
- Module 4 - Recognize systemic fluoride
- Module 5 - Learn the benefits and contraindications of topical fluoride
- Module 6 - Learn appropriate types of fluoride for patients and the appropriate delivery mechanisms

How it works

This course will work in the same fashion as the Coronal Polishing course. All didactic instruction will be completed online. There are six modules with corresponding quizzes that must be completed prior to advancing to the laboratory training.

Upon completing all the didactic assignments online and passing all of the quizzes, participants will enroll in one of the available Saturday laboratory sessions. Laboratory sessions will consist of two (2) hours of laboratory work, including working with a mannequin and two (2) live patients (fellow participants), in topical fluoride application.

Once the didactic and laboratory requirements are fulfilled, each participant must demonstrate clinical competency on a minimum of five (5) patients under the direct observation of their current employer. A form will be provided to employers for them to certify competency and completion of required clinical cases. The form must be signed by the employer and submitted to Indiana University School of Dentistry's Office of Continuing Education. Upon receipt, IUSD will issue a certificate of completion to be publicly displayed in the dental office. Once the certificate is received, participants will be able to legally apply fluoride medicaments for the control or prevention of dental caries under the direct supervision of a licensed dentist.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Faculty:

All classes are taught under the direction of Michelle Priest and Sheri Alderson, IUSD Dental Assisting Faculty.

Michelle Priest is Clinical Director and Lecturer for Dental Assisting in the Department of Periodontics and Allied Dental Programs. **Sheri Alderson** is Clinical Lecturer for Dental Assisting in the Department of Periodontics and Allied Dental Programs.

Registration

Register online - Create an account, complete the registration process and pay by credit card.

Please go to:

<http://go.iu.edu/1AuU>

(Case Sensitive)

Tuition:

\$495 for each course. If registering for both, save and pay \$850. Tuition for enrollment in this program will cover the didactic and laboratory fees. It will be up to each participant to ensure the required clinical experience to comply with the rule set by the Indiana State Board of Dentistry. In case of questions, please contact the CE office at 317-278-9000 or e-mail dsce@iupui.edu

No refunds if online material has been accessed. \$50 cancellation fee if online material has not been accessed.

Fall 2017 Laboratory Sessions:

August 5, 2017

September 23, 2017

November 4, 2017

December 9, 2017

Lab sessions are from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Laboratory Location:

Saturday laboratory sessions will be held at the Indiana University School of Dentistry, 1121 W Michigan St., Indianapolis, IN

Participants must complete online didactic instruction and pass all online quizzes before signing up to attend a lab session on Saturday. Available lab dates are posted online in Oncourse and on the IUSD CE website: <http://ce.dentistry.iu.edu>