

# CONTINUING DENTAL EDUCATION

Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University



## Moderate Conscious Sedation: Nitrous Oxide and Oral Sedation (Category 2), includes Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office (Are You Ready?) (Category 1)

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**LECTURES:**  
October 24 & 25, 2019  
**HANDS ON:**  
October 26, 2019

### PROGRAM OUTLINE

There are a number of stress reduction techniques in dentistry available to us today. Few, if any, carry the advantages that nitrous oxide and benzodiazepines do. Dentists will leave this course with the knowledge of how to safely and effectively incorporate nitrous oxide and oxygen into their practice, as well as, oral benzodiazepines alone or in combination with nitrous oxide. In addition, as a requirement of the RCDSO, participants enrolled in this course must review the more-common and the more-dangerous emergencies that we might face. A review of office set-ups, as well as, treatment steps (including emergency drugs) and strategies that will make the dental team more competent and more comfortable. There is a written examination for certification with the RCDSO. This is a limited enrollment course.

### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Course content includes a review of:

- RCDSO standard of practice; patient monitoring requirements; respiratory and cardiovascular system physiology; pharmacology of nitrous oxide and benzodiazepines; conscious sedation armamentarium; oral sedation regimens; nitrous oxide administration; medical emergencies and airway management; incorporation of moderate conscious sedation into your practice;
- Patient health history review;
- The incidence of medical emergencies and how to anticipate and recognize them;
- Emergency airway management;
- Pharmacology and use of medical emergency drugs; Medical emergency kit review;
- How to treat the treatable medical emergencies (scenarios and algorithms), and when to get help;
- How to organize your team and your office to ensure the best possible outcomes.

### TIMES AND LOCATIONS

#### LECTURES:

**Thursday, October 24, 2019**

**Registration:** 8:30 a.m.

**Lectures:** 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Location:** Toronto Skating Cricket & Curling Club

141 Wilson Avenue

North York, ON M5M 3A3

**Friday, October 25, 2019**

**Registration:** 8:00 a.m.

**Lectures:** 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

#### HANDS-ON:

**Saturday, October 26, 2019**

**Registration:** 8:00 a.m.

**Hands-On:** 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**Location:** Sleep for Dentistry

4800 Leslie Street, Suite 111

Toronto, ON M2J 2K9



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**TUITION:** \$2,195 After SEPT 20: \$2,495

#### CREDITS:

Category 1: 6 points; AGD Code: 130

Category 2: 18 points; AGD Code : 340

MCDE 24; 20 hours

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