Queens County Dental Society

Dentistry Beyond Drill and Fill 2022



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Why Save Teeth:

We spent the majority of our formative years in dentistry learning the value of teeth and how to restore them. Today's philosophy seems to be shifting to a model that any tooth with a questionable prognosis should be removed and replaced with a dental implant. However, implants are not the ideal solution. Peri-implantitis has become an increasingly important area of concern for periodontists, restorative dentists and patients alike. New treatment algorithms continue to emerge proving that this is a challenging issue to treat. Therefore, why not extend the life of the dentition with predictable therapy?

Learning Objectives:
-When does a tooth have a hopeless prognosis?
-What treatment options are available?
-What is the rationale for the use of periodontal therapy?

Dental considerations for cardiovascular patients: A practical perspective

Upon the completion of this course, the dental professional should be able to 1. Identify prevalent cardiovascular diseases, understand risk factors and common co-morbidities

2. Understand procedural precautions that need to be taken in the dental office due to a patient's cardiovascular disease

3. Understand the current drug therapies for cardiovascular treatment and the implications of these

medications for dental office treatment

4. Review of current guidelines for anti coagulation therapy
5. Understand novel anticoagulants and how they differ from older anti
coagulation therapies

6. Develop an approach for patients taking anticoagulants for dental procedures.

Prosthodontic Pitfalls:

"Pitfalls in prosthodontic treatments and what to avoid" with examples of patients' presentations. Discussion will include what to watch for and avoid most common problems. Some misconceptions will be discussed. Candidates will be familiar on attending, how to identify and avoid "Pitfall" for prosthodontic treatment of patients.