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STRATEGIES FOR ACUTE PAIN MANAGEMENT

IN DENTISTRY



PRESENTED BY

DAVID M H LAMBERT, DDS

AND SEAN KURDYS, former lead investigator for the North Carolina Board of Dental Examiners



FEE: \$65

per person



The course given by David M H Lambert, DDS – a board certified oral and maxillofacial surgeon and former clinical pharmacist – and Sean Kurdys – former lead investigator for the North Carolina Board of Dental Examiners. This unique two hour course entails an overview of the opioid crisis as it exists today, including a review of the physiology of pain, the pharmacology of analgesics, strategies for managing acute pain, in addition to regulatory compliance issues as related to the NCBDE, closed case reviews, and tips for avoiding licensure pitfalls.



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COURSE TITLE: Strategies for Acute Pain Management in Dentistry

COURSE DIRECTOR: David M H Lambert, DDS

PRESENTER(S): David M H Lambert, DDS and Sean Kurdys

AUDIENCE: RDH, Dentists **CONTACT HOURS:** 2.0

MEDIUM: Webinar

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- 1. Identify and discuss the evolution of the opiate crisis as we now understand it today
- 2. Identify and discuss how the COVID-19 pandemic has impacted the opiate crisis
- 3. Identify and discuss the local and national opiate epidemic statistics
- 4. Identify and discuss specific opiate epidemic statistics as they relate to Dentistry
- 5. Identify and discuss patient variables as they relate to the opiate epidemic
- 6. Review basic pain pathophysiology
- 7. Review basic pharmacokinetic concepts with emphasis on general metabolic pathways
- 8. Review opiate pharmacology and discuss individual agents with emphasis on their relative potency, efficacy, and toxicity
- 9. Review non-opiate pharmacology and discuss individual agents with emphasis on their activities, efficacy, and toxicity.
- 10. Review non-opiate multi-modal therapy and its application in Dentistry
- 11. Discuss the role of prescription opioids when employed in multi-modal therapy
- 12. Identify and discuss the importance of obtaining a proper patient history
- 13. Identify and discuss typical scenarios where dental patients may require analgesic support and how their proper management can mitigate excessive opiate prescribing
- 14. Identify and discuss inappropriate and potentially illegal opioid prescribing behaviors
- 15. Identify and discuss the profile characteristics of the malingering dental patient including diversion and factitious injury
- 16. Identify and discuss closed case reviews of board investigations into practitioner diversion
- 17. Identify and discuss strategies to avoid triggering a pharmacy complaint to the a dental board





DATES & TIMES

Thursday, January 20, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, February 17, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, March 24, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, April 21, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, May 26, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, June 23, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, July 7, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, August 25, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, September 22, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, October 20, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, November 17, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

Thursday, December 22, 2022 @ 6:30PM EST

WHAT YOU NEED TO PARTICIPATE

- A Windows or Mac PC, Apple or Android tablet or even smartphone
- Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Apple Safari or MS Edge web browser
- Zoom App Optional
- Register for the event
- Pay your registration fee

Upon registration, you will be invoiced by email to pay the event fee of \$65.00. In order to receive CE credit and certification fo participation for re-licensure you must pay the event fee. Full refund within 48 hours for the event.



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