Safer Implant Treatment by Design and Protocol

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Frustrated with implant treatment complications that you can’t seem to solve?

Gain the skills and understanding to confidently treat, or better yet, prevent peri-implantitis by making prosthesis installation safer.

The incidence of prostheses related peri-implant disease is troubling. Dr. Svoboda has identified two important root causes of prostheses installation related complications and proposes solutions that have promise to prevent *60% of related peri-implant disease.

In this course, participants will discover how the first root cause of complications, Prosthesis Dimensional Error, exposes patients to problems related to open and tight contacts, hyperocclusion, the implant-abutment misfit, poor prosthesis margin fit and residual subgingival cement. The participants will also learn about the second root cause of complications, the Gingival Effects. Dr. Svoboda has discovered the Gingival Effects and how they can exacerbate problems related to prosthesis fit and residual excess cement.

Dr. Svoboda shows participants how he solves these problems by including a safer intra-oral cementation step into the prosthesis installation process. He will discuss how specific design features in the abutment and prosthesis help build the necessary tolerance for Prostheses Dimensional Error and how they also mitigate the Gingival Effects. These concepts will help clinicians understand and reduce complications that have eluded dentists for over 100 years. His solutions are relevant to both the current screw-in and cement-in prostheses installation techniques and almost all implant and abutment systems.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Identify how current prosthesis installation techniques can contribute to the incidence of complications and related peri-implant disease
- Learn how to use well-designed abutments and prostheses to mitigate complications related to both root causes of current prosthesis installation techniques
- Understand why a safer intra-oral cementation step is still a necessary part of an installation protocol
- Discover why some peri-implantitis cases can be successfully treated while others cannot
- Prevent the conditions that result in a poor long-term prognosis for the patient’s implant treatment

Current research places peri-implant disease rates between 45 – 65%, whether prosthetics are cemented-in or screwed-in.

Suggested Audience: General Dentists, Prosthodontists and all those involved in the placement, restoration or maintenance of dental implants and prosthetics. Presentation can be modified for Dental Team Members.

Suggested Formats: Full or Partial Day Lecture, Keynote

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Can you imagine reducing peri-implantitis by 60%?

By preventing two of the root causes related to prostheses installation technique, we can significantly reduce peri-implant disease and make implant treatment safer. For the dentist, treatment complications are bad for business and reducing complications make for a less stressful, more profitable practice.

Dr. Emil LA Svoboda has placed and restored thousands of implants and has dedicated much of his current professional life to understanding the causes of prosthetic related peri-implant disease. His designs and protocols are adaptive screw-in and cement-in prosthesis installation techniques which address the two root causes of the disease: abutment-implant misfit and residual subgingival cement. These designs and protocols are directed at preventing complications and are available for all dentists to use in practice today. In short, The Svoboda Way supports Safer Implant Treatment.

Dr. Svoboda has presented his work across North America. His prosthetic lecture is officially part of the AAID Maxicourse resource material for 10 programs worldwide. As a practicing dentist he earned Fellowship with the Academy of General Dentistry, Fellowship with the American Academy of Implant Dentistry and Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Implantology / Implant Dentistry.

Dr. Svoboda was awarded Honored Fellow Status by the American Academy of Implant Dentistry for his contributions to Implant Dentistry. He has also won First Prize for his Table Presentations at AAID Meetings: Orlando 2016, Vancouver 2017, and Dallas 2018. Additionally, he was awarded Second Place by AAID for his ePoster: Dallas 2018. He also received The Award of Merit from the Ontario Dental Association for contributions to Organized Dentistry.

“This course is a breath of fresh air!”