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Program Speaker - Dr. Dean Morton

Title
Contemporary Prosthodontic Protocols for Dental Implant Placement and Restoration

Abstract
Recent changes to Guidelines for Accreditation of Advanced Education Programs in Prosthodontics have broadened the scope of the specialty. Graduates of accredited programs are required, in addition to traditional prosthodontic interventions, to demonstrate competency in the placement of implants and associated surgical techniques.

This lecture will focus on contemporary surgical and prosthodontic procedures that might improve the quality and predictability of outcomes for patients. Discussion will include data acquisition, interpretation and utilization as well as clinical and laboratory options available for modern-day treatments of both partial and complete edentulism.

Learning Objectives
1. Understand the scope (inclusive of surgical interventions) of modern prosthodontic practice as it relates to dental implants
2. Identify contemporary options for data acquisition and utilization in prosthodontics
3. Identify evidence-based and current clinical and laboratory options that improve quality and predictability of treatment outcomes

Biography
DEAN MORTON, BDS, MS, FACP completed his dental program at the University of Sydney, before completing his training in Prosthodontics and Master of Science at the University of Iowa. He is the Indiana Dental Association Professor and Chair of the Department of Prosthodontics at the Indiana University School of Dentistry, serving concurrently as Assistant Dean for Strategic Partnerships and Innovation and Director of the Center for Implant, Esthetic and Innovative Dentistry. Dr. Morton is a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics and is a Fellow of the Academy of Prosthodontics, the American College of Prosthodontists, the GNYAP, the AAFP, the AARD, the ICD and the International Team for Implantology (ITI). He is a Director and Examiner for the American Board of Prosthodontics, and serves on the Board of Directors of the ITI. Dr. Morton is a member of several editorial boards and is Associate Editor of the International Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Implants. He has authored or co-authored more than 100 scientific articles and abstracts and lectures nationally and internationally on implants, prosthodontics and esthetic dentistry.