

DHAS Conference

Saturday, April 5th

SK Polytechnic - Wascana Parkway

LECTURE PRESENTATIONS

Improving the Maintenance Recall Visit Protocol - 8:30 to 9:45 am

Everyone says and does something different during the typical maintenance visit. There is a preferred amount of information to collect, appropriate decisions to make and specific messages to deliver to patients.

This improved, effective protocol will be simple to implement after this presentation. Break out of the rut and energize your patients and yourself.



DR. TIM DONLEY



X-ray Quality Assurance and Safety Code 30 - 10 to 10:45 am

Learn more about Health Canada's update to Safety Code 30 and its implications for X-ray Quality Assurance requirements in Saskatchewan.

KERRY BABCOCK



Care Begins with a Conversation: Understanding and Meeting Patient Expectations - 10:45 am to 12 pm

Embracing person-centered care (PCC) delivers positive health outcomes and is valued by patients. PCC's involves clinicians considering each person's unique needs and concerns and crafting customized interventions beyond treatments to address social, mental, emotional, and spiritual aspects. The mission of this session, involves investing in communication and listening skills to understand the individuals' strengths, weaknesses, preferences, and values and to develop deeper connections between providers and clients to ensure a higher level of the continuum of care, elevating health, and wellness.

ANNA LOUISE TOLAN



Breakthrough Solutions for a Minimally Invasive Treatment of Dental Caries 1:30 to 3:00 pm

This evidence-based presentation will explore how a minimally invasive treatment protocol for dental caries—combining innovative in-office solutions with patient-centered home-care strategies—can empower your dental team to drive practice growth by enhancing patient satisfaction, loyalty, and referrals. A key highlight of this session is the introduction of a groundbreaking enzymatic technology that utilizes natural papaya-derived compounds to selectively target and soften carious dentin without affecting healthy tooth structure.



MARTHA SZCZEPULSKI



Periodontal Disease Management – The Surgical Side 3:15 to 4:30 pm



DR. MO JAVID

Periodontal disease affects about 50% of the adult population and is the leading cause of tooth loss in the elderly. Prevention and management of periodontal disease involve regular dental hygiene. However, in advanced cases, surgery may be necessary to manage the disease process. In this lecture, we will explore the surgical aspects of periodontal disease and examine how traditional flap surgery, in combination with bone grafts and soft tissue grafts, can be used to manage challenging cases. The focus will be on case presentations, connecting the scientific literature with clinical practice.