Hampshire Endodontic Study Club

Meeting No 4  Wednesday 2nd September 2015

The Perio-Endo interface.

Speakers:  Elisa Agudo
+ Riccardo Zambon.

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The Hampshire Endodontic Study Club is once again lucky enough to have two highly qualified experts coming to speak to us – this time on the Perio-endo interface. The periodontium and dental pulp are so closely associated - by proximity and by presence of apical and lateral canal communications - that one is tempted to put aside the notion of two distinct anatomical structures. Interconnections at the interface allow for passage of pathogens between the two areas which can give rise to confusion in determining true disease aetiology. Following this lecture attendees will better be able to diagnose disease and better understand differences in treatment approaches.

Riccardo and Elisa are both Eastman trained Specialist Periodontists and they are also husband and wife! Riccardo qualified in Milan whilst Elisa attended Madrid. In addition to their status as Specialist Periodontists both hold numerous additional qualifications in areas as varied as endodontics and occlusion. This breadth of knowledge and clinical experience makes them ideally suited to the sleuthing role of determining confusing diagnoses in complicated cases. Together they set up their Specialist Practice – Perio Solutions – in 2014 which now operate out of clinics in Brighton, Eastbourne and London.

This event would suit Dentists, Hygienists and Therapists.

When:  Wed 2nd September 6.30 – 8.30pm. Light refreshment served at the start.
2hrs verifiable CPD.

Where:  The Ballroom, University of Portsmouth Dental Academy, Hampshire Terrace, Portsmouth, PO1 2QG. 023 9284 5285. Hampshire Terrace has ample metered on-street parking – bring plenty of small change!

Booking:  Places are £12. Booking details at www.rafteryendodontics.com/hampshire-endodontic-study-club or call Peter @ Raftery Endodontics 02392 811363.

Aim:  It is intended that after the discussion delegates will have better understanding of the relationship between periodontal and endodontic infections and be able to outline the treatment strategy.

Objectives

- To briefly review the anatomy of the periodontal tissues and the root canal system.
- To review the clinical diagnostic procedures and classification of perio-Endo lesions.
- To discuss the influence of endodontic status on periodontal healing.
- To understand the effect of periodontal disease and therapy on the pulp.
- To discuss the treatment and prognosis of perio-endo lesions.
Quality controls of verifiable CPD include linking content to the GDC Standards.

Principle 7 – Maintain, develop and work within your professional knowledge and skills

States that Patients expect that all members of the dental team keep their skills up to date.

7.1 You must provide good quality care based on current evidence and authoritative guidance. You must find out about current evidence and best practice which affect your work, premises, equipment and business and follow them. You must work within your knowledge, skills, professional competence and abilities

7.2 You should only deliver treatment and care if you are confident that you have had the necessary training and are competent to do so. If you are not confident to provide treatment, you must refer the patient to an appropriately trained colleague.

7.3 You must update and develop your professional knowledge and skills throughout your working life. You should take part in activities that maintain update or develop your knowledge and skills. Your continuing professional development (CPD) activity should improve your practice.