Utilizing Coded Healing Abutments for Fabrication of Patient Specific Implant Abutments

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:
This program will focus on new techniques and digital technologies for the fabrication of implant-supported restorations, including data capture with the use of a coded healing abutment for fabrication of CAD/CAM abutments. Benefits and limitations of intraoral scanners currently available will be discussed, along with advanced design principles used in CAD/CAM abutment design. This program is indicated for all members of the implant team and will emphasize the requisite communication desired amongst the surgeon, restorative dentist, and laboratory technician to ensure optimal patient outcomes.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:
At the completion of the program, participants should be able to:

• Understand the new digital technologies available for fabricating implant abutments and restorations.
• Describe advanced techniques for custom abutment design.
• Have a working knowledge of capturing traditional impressions, as well as, the benefits and limitations of intraoral scanning (IOS) with the BellaTek® Encode® Impression System.
• Communicate effectively with the dental implant team to ensure optimal patient outcomes.

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