

Challenging Clinical Situations: Implant and Restorative Considerations to Maximize Long-Term Success



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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

Clinicians face many challenges which may compromise successful implant outcomes. Systemic conditions, various medications, and nicotine use may create situations which decrease implant success. Examples include the effects of diabetes upon the periodontium, and the detrimental effects of smoking on implant healing and osseointegration. Sites where implants have previously failed may be particularly problematic. Selection of the proper implant in these conditions is crucial to achieving a positive result for patients.

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

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

- Understand the effects of diabetes upon the periodontium and success of dental implant placement.
- Describe the increased failure rate and complications of implant placement in patients with a history of periodontitis.
- Comprehend the magnitude of implant failures in the United States and the historic success of second implant attempts.
- Understand the attributes of an implant which may be beneficial in these challenging clinical situations.



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