



Snohomish County

DENTAL SOCIETY

Save the Date: VIRTUAL Member Meeting, Wed. November 15

Intimate Partner Violence Post COVID Lockdown & the Role of Dentistry



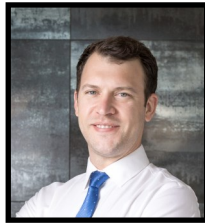
Our presenter is Dr. Barbara J. Steinberg. Her class looks at how in the COVID-era, marital, partner and familial stressors have gone from normal tensions to intimate partner violence (IPV).

The stay-at-home restrictions increased these incidents of IPV. IPV can happen to anyone, affecting people across all socioeconomic groups. It has been shown that physical trauma to the orofacial, head and neck region is very common among victims of IPV. In light of this, members of the dental team are in a position to help identify these patients and refer them for help. This course will discuss all aspects of IPV and offer communication techniques for members of the dental team to help identify these victims and refer them to local resources for desperately needed help - perhaps even saving their lives! Members of the dental team will learn:

- The incidence, risk factors and manifestations of IPV
- Identify oro-facial, head and neck findings caused by physical abuse
- Communication techniques to approach patients with suspected trauma secondary to IPV.

Dr. Steinberg received her DDS from the University of Maryland School of Dentistry. She is Clinical Professor of Surgery at Drexel University College of Medicine, as well as Adjunct Associate Professor of Oral Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine.

Register for this free virtual class online on the SCDS website at www.scdentists.org. All dental staff members are welcome to participate.



PRESIDENT'S LETTER, Dr. Nick Conley

Greetings esteemed colleagues.

This month I want to focus on you, our members. I can't tell you how many times I have heard from presenters, sponsors and new members that our society is one of the best around. All are impressed with the turnout and vibrancy of our monthly meetings and social events. We just finished up with the annual Gala which was a great success thanks to all of you who participated. Your generous donations in support of our society and the Snohomish County Dental Foundation will go a long way in helping provide access to oral health care to the underserved in our community. In case you missed it, at this year's Gala we recognized two of our outstanding members, Drs. Sonu Lamba and Paul Kahlon, for their contributions to the people of Snohomish County and beyond. I would like to extend a huge thank you to them and all of you who give so generously of your time and talents to provide for those most in need. I believe our county's residents are benefited by the existence of our society not only in access to care, but also through the collegiality of our members. It is true for me, and I think for all of us, that participation in the society makes us all better providers. Currently, less than 50% of dentists in our county are members. One way to bolster our presence in the county would be to gain membership. If you enjoy the benefits of being a part of this society please reach out to your colleagues and invite them to join us for an upcoming meeting. We would love to show them what we are all about.

Warmly, Nicholas J. Conley, DDS

GALA 2023 — JAZZ BY THE WATERFRONT

On October 20th, over 120 attendees had a fantastic time raising money for our Foundation and celebrating Drs. Sonu Lamba and Dr. Paul Kahlon. Drs. Lamba and Kahlon were the 2023 recipients of the SCDS Special Recognition Award for volunteerism. See more photos on our Facebook page. Pictured below, left to right: Past Executive Director Judy Bangs and her husband Pete Bangs—winners of the Bourbon raffle item! Drs. Brittany Dean, Paul Kahlon and David Dean. Dr. Stephen Lee, Foundation Board President, and his wife Cheryl Sorenson.



Annual Seminar: Great CDE Close to Home

Take advantage of earning 7 CE right in your own backyard. Drs. Gillespie and Brown will present an all-day lecture and demonstration on **Anterior Aesthetics: Minimally Invasive for Maximum Impact**, Friday, March 1, 2024 at the Lynnwood Event Center.



come from all over western Washington. This topic is relevant for both dentists and hygienists, so bring your team. To register and see a full class description please use the following link:

<https://www.skcds.org/meetings-events/2024/03/01/general/anterior-aesthetics-minimally-invasive-for-maximum-impact>

This all-day seminar is presented cooperatively by the University of Washington School of Dentistry, the Seattle-King County Dental Society and SCDS.

Anterior Aesthetics is an evolving landscape of ways to approach treatment planning and workflow. Digital technology has advanced the options for planning capabilities between patients, doctors, and laboratories. Drs. Brown and Gillespie will highlight how to maximize these digital tools to enhance treatment planning options to make esthetic restorations as minimally invasive as possible, including the incorporation of clear aligner therapy.

Your registration will include continental breakfast and lunch, as well as a vendor fair with over 20 dental industry representatives. This event is great for both social and educational growth. Attendees

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