

ORAL CANCER AND ORAL HEALTH IN PORTUGAL

PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN FDI WORLD DENTAL FEDERATION AND OMD PORTUGUESE DENTAL ASSOCIATION

Venue: Hotel VIP Executive Art's Auditorium

Address: Av. D. João II, Lote 1.18 (the hotel is located in front of "Parque das Nações")



PROGRAMME

09.00: Opening of the Secretariat

Opening remarks and welcome by Prof. Paulo Melo, OMD General-Secretary

09.30 – 11.00: Prof. Llodra Calvo: "Oral Cancer as a Public Health problem: the role of the Spanish Dental Association"

Moderator: Dr. Pedro Ferreira Trancoso

11.00 – 12.30: Dr. Gerhard Seeberger:

"Role of the profession in cancer detection"

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12.30 – 13.00: Dr. Francisco George, Portuguese Health General-Director: "Oral Cancer in Portugal"

13.00 – 14.30: Break for lunch

14.30 – 16.00: Prof. Elmar Reich: "The preventive practice / Periimplantitis – prevention and treatment"

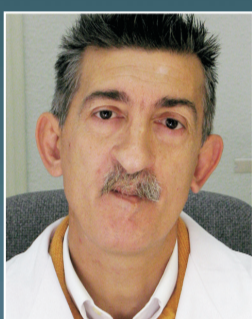
Moderator: Prof. Doutor Ricardo Faria Almeida

16.00 – 17.30: Dr. Sally Hewett: "Oral Health Volunteering – Sharing Global Resources"

Moderator: Dr. José Frias Bulhosa

17.30: Closing remarks by Dr. Orlando Monteiro da Silva, OMD and FDI President

SPEAKERS



PROF. LLODRA CALVO

- Professor of Preventive and Community Dentistry at Granada University (Spain)
- Medical education, specifically in Public Health before specializing in Dentistry
- Advisor for various Health Programs in Spain and different countries of Latin America
- Member of the World Dental Development and Health Promotion Committee at FDI Delegate for Foreigners Affairs of the Spanish Dental Council (Consejo General de Odontólogos y Estomatólogos de España)

09.30 - 11.00

ORAL CANCER AS A PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM: THE ROLE OF THE SPANISH DENTAL ASSOCIATION

Index priority for public health problems depends directly on the following criterions: magnitude, sereness, importance for the community, possibility of prevention and trends. Conversely, this is inversely proportional to the cost of intervention. During this conference I will develop this aspects, focusing in oral cancer and describe an Oral Cancer Campaign promoted by the Spanish Dental Association over the last 6 years. I will analyze the results and the barriers of this campaign.



PROF. ELMAR REICH

Elmar Reich

- Exam University of Tübingen /Germany in 1979
- Graduate program at the University of Ann Arbor/ Michigan 1980/81 in Restorative Dentistry and Periodontology
- Chairman of the Department for Periodontology and Conservative Dentistry at the University of the Saarland, Homburg, Germany, 1994 to 2000
- In various committees of the FDI World Dental Federation since 1988:
 - Chairman of the FDI Science Commission, 1997 to 2003
 - Head of the WHO-Centre for Standardisation in Dentistry, 1997 to 2000
 - Head of New Technologies, business unit of KaVo Co., October 2000 to December 2003
 - Since January 2004 in private dental practice in Biberach / Germany

14.30 - 16.00

THE PREVENTIVE PRACTICE / PERIIMPLANTITIS – PREVENTION AND TREATMENT

Most patients see prevention positive and look for practices, who can deliver that service. In order to make prevention successful for patients the dentist has to diagnose caries according to the severity and the risk factors. With this information a preventive program can be set up for the patient and executed by trained auxiliaries. Periimplantitis is a growing problem for patients with implants. After an implant is successfully placed the prevention and treatment of periimplantitis must be the goal. That follows the same line as periodontal therapy, but the implant surface and the gingival situation are more complicated than a natural tooth. A periimplantitis treatment program is presented.



DR. GERHARD SEEBERGER

- Graduated from the Julius Maximilian Universität in Würzburg, Germany
- Private practitioner
- Assistant professor of clinical periodontology and periodontal surgery at the Università di Cagliari, Italy
- Member of different national and international societies and international speaker
- Author and co-author in implant surgery and organization of dentistry
- Immediate Past-president and Delegate for International Affairs of the Italian Dental Association
- Councilor of the FDI World Dental Federation and President of its European Regional Organization
- Member of the Disciplinary Board in Dentistry of the Italian Ministry of Health
- Vice-president for International Affairs of the Academy of Dentistry and honorary member of several dental societies

11.00 - 12.30

ROLE OF THE PROFESSION IN CANCER DETECTION

Early detection and diagnosis of premalignant transformations is a fundamental key to survival rates. Dentists do benefit from the organization of a recall system in order to regularly visit apparently healthy patients. The majority of the dental profession is adequately trained in extra- and intraoral examination methods allowing the contemporary detection of malignant lesions. This might not be the case for early detection of cancer. An implementation of educational programs could improve examination skills. Besides inspection, different approaches for cancer detection, as salivary analysis, open a way to cost-effective early revelation. Dentists may play a determinant role in the detection of premalignant lesions and therefore improve patient's outcome.



DR. SALLY HEWETT

- Graduated from the University of Washington School of Dentistry in 1984
- Practiced general dentistry on Bainbridge Island Washington for 26 years.
- Served in multiple dental organizations including the following:
 - FDI Education Committee, 2010 – present
 - American Dental Association Council on Annual Sessions and International Programs – 1997- 2002
 - Committee on International Programs and Development, American Dental Association, Member, 2007-2011
 - ADA International Development Subcommittee – Chair – 2009 – present
 - Health Volunteers Overseas, Dentistry Overseas, 2001-present, Chair, 2008-2010
 - Health Volunteers Overseas Laos Dental Program Director, 2007 – present

16.30 - 17.30

ORAL HEALTH VOLUNTEERING – SHARING GLOBAL RESOURCES

This program aims to support the success of international oral health volunteers in underserved developing nations, where the help is most needed and resources are scarce. An overview of global oral health problems, creating sustainable development projects that fulfill needs, understanding the importance of cross-cultural communications, evaluating existing volunteer programs, and implementing primary health care programs using health promotion methods are topics that will be covered.

Registration information:

Registration should be done only on OMD website: <http://www.omid.pt/formacao/2012/seminariofdi>

Registration should be done at least seven days prior of the event. The conference will be held in English and/ or Spanish.

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