

Definitive Diagnosis and Treatment of TMD



If you've ever felt the frustration of unpredictable results in splint therapy, you're not alone. Join Dr. Jesek for this eye-opening course as we zero in on the dentist's role in diagnosis and treatment of TMJ conditions as they relate to occlusion.

Dr. Jesek illuminates concepts and techniques regarding non-directive splint design, delivery, adjustment and clarification of the principles of occlusion and equilibration of the natural dentition and restorations. As an alumnus of both Pankey and Dawson Institutes, Past-President of the American Equilibration Society, and drawing upon his 40 years' experience in treating complex restorative cases, Dr. Jesek is uniquely qualified to help you improve the diagnosis and treatment of occlusomuscle/TMJ disorders within your practice.

Hands-on Workshops are available upon request and are designed to fit your needs. Participants will learn delivery and adjustment protocols that will enhance the effectiveness of conservative TMD treatment.

Learning Objectives:

- Review TMJ anatomy and muscles of mastication function.
- Understand how to use bimanual guidance to determine temporomandibular joint health.
- Explore the diagnostic benefit of palpation of the muscles of mastication.
- Recognize the role of occlusomuscle disorders in TMD.
- Illuminate the dentist's role in successful rehabilitation of the temporomandibular joint.
- Recognize when occlusal treatment will work predictably.
- Identify how precision occlusal appliances make restorative dentistry easier.
- Explore the use of TMJ imaging, panoramic, CT, CBCT, and MRI.
- Review how to use emergency appliances to eliminate acute occlusomuscle pain.
- Discover how to eliminate the need for excessive adjustment of crowns at delivery.

SUGGESTED FORMATS: Partial or Full Day; Lecture, Workshop, Keynote

SUGGESTED ATTENDEES: Dentist and Team



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