

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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AAOMP LAPEL PINS

The Academy has made arrangements for the AAOMP membership to purchase a recently designed 10K gold lapel pin which is a replica of The AAOMP shield. Raised polished letters and outlines encompass a textured matte

background with a pin stud attachment.

Pins will be available at the annual meeting in Williamsburg for inspection and purchase at a cost of \$50. Proceeds will be directed toward the AAOMP Endowment Fund

SHARING THE NEWS

If you or an AAOMP member colleague have received outstanding recognition and would like to share information about it with other AAOMP members, please be sure to contact the AAOMP office so we can include it in upcoming issues of the AAOMP newsletter.

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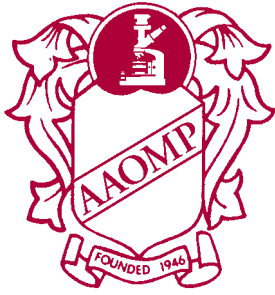
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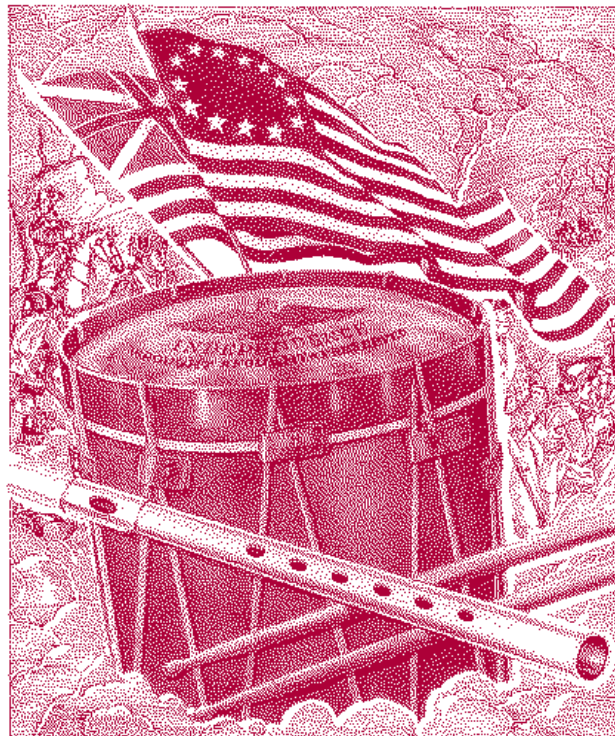
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ANNUAL MEETING & CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM

APRIL 28 - MAY 3, 2000
WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA

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CONTINUING EDUCATION RECOGNITION PROGRAM

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

John M. Wright, D.D.S., M.S.



Plans are being finalized for the Williamsburg meeting. It promises to be an exciting venue and I'm looking forward to seeing everyone. Please register early and often.

You may recall that I reported earlier that the Council on Dental Education and Licensure, under a 1992 ADA House of Delegates mandate, initiated a re-recognition process for the dental specialties. The documentation required was excessive and the deadline unreasonable. I wrote the CDEL on behalf of the academy and protested the process and timeframe. Most of the other specialties responded similarly and the eight specialties followed-up with a collective letter to the CDEL who apparently was listening. They have abandoned the original proposed process. While they will still require a re-recognition process, the new proposal is reasonable and considerably more specialty-friendly than the original. I believe this is a major victory and it demonstrates that the ADA can be receptive when we respond appropriately and collectively. We are currently organizing our re-recognition response for a due date of August 1, 2000.

The American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons asked the Academy to respond to the first draft of Parameters and Pathways 2000: Clinical Practice Guidelines for Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. The initial draft included no mention of oral and maxillofacial pathology. I worked with the chair of the subcommittee that drafted the parameters dealing with "The diagnosis and management of pathologic conditions." We were able to negotiate the addition of language which acknowledged the value of oral and maxillofacial pathology and the importance of establishing a definitive diagnosis through pathologic analysis of surgical specimens or biopsies. Although the addition is still in draft form and their members will have an opportunity to respond, I believe this is another significant victory for our specialty.

The Executive Council approved, with minor modification, an official American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology policy on tissue submission of specimens, drafted by Susan Zunt and Craig Fowler. The policy has been submitted to the Laboratory Service Committee and should be finalized for presentation to the Fellowship in Williamsburg.

I would like to acknowledge and thank several of our members who have served the academy this year. Mike Rohrer represented the academy at the dental specialty group meeting at the ADA annual session in Hawaii in October. Susan Zunt was our representative to the ADA's Oral/Systemic Interaction Planning Committee in Chicago in September. Susan Muller represented us in Atlanta at the CDC Oral Cancer Workshop. Jim Adrian has been appointed to represent us on the American Registry of Pathology at the AFIP. The Executive Council nominated Jim, after Russ Corio submitted his resignation as our representative, having served in that capacity since 1984. Ron Baughman represented the AAOMP on a subcommittee of the dental specialty group in February in Chicago, dealing with the recruitment and retention of faculty. The following day, Ron, Jeanette and I served as representatives at the general dental specialty group meeting.

This will be my last official written communication to you as President. It has been a busy but rewarding year. It has been a pleasure and an honor to serve our profession and I sincerely appreciate this opportunity. See you in Williamsburg.



TOURS

galleries, seeing original artifacts and exhibits from Settlers and Indians alike. Once everyone has toured the museum, our group will move to the Outdoor Living Museum, where costumed interpreters share the struggles, challenges, and accomplishments of these early settlers. See the woodland world of the Powhatan Indians and a re-creation of Fort James. Replicas of the three ships (the Susan Constant, the Discovery, and the Godspeed) that brought settlers to this land are docked at the Settlement. You are encouraged to “climb aboard” and imagine the living conditions experienced by these settlers.

Tour 5: Monday, May 1, 2000
Evening At Historic King’s Arms Tavern in Colonial Williamsburg w/Candlelight Tour

Departure: 6:30 p.m.
Return: 10:00 p.m.
Cost: \$55.75 per person

Our group will be met by professional tour escorts at the east gallery in the Williamsburg Lodge for our evening of colonial history, music and fare. We will walk to King’s Arms Tavern for wonderful 18th century fare and music. One of the original taverns located on Duke of Gloucester Street, Colonial Williamsburg brings to life colonial times in a very magical way. Costumed servers will explain each dish and how it was made and served in the 18th century. Strolling balladeer’s will entertain us with songs and stories of times ago. You may even be asked to join in! An evening to long remember. After dinner you will be guided on a candlelight tour.

Tour 6: Tuesday, May 2, 2000
Tour of Historic James River Plantations

Departure: 9:00 a.m.
Return: 1:00 p.m.
Cost: \$56.00 per person

Professional tour guides will meet our group in the lobby of the hotel and will escort you onto the awaiting motorcoach. We will then travel along the picturesque John Tyler Highway to Shirley Plantation.

Shirley Plantation was founded in 1613, only six years after the first settlers arrived in Jamestown. Shirley was granted to Edward Hill in 1660. The present mansion, begun in 1723 by the third Edward Hill, has been host to many famous Americans including George

Washington, Thomas Jefferson, John Tyler and Theodore Roosevelt. This home is recognized as an architectural treasure with its famous “floating staircase” (being the only one of its kind in America). The grounds at Shirley feature four brick outbuildings that form a Queen Anne forecourt. The buildings include a large two-story kitchen house, and two L-shaped barns (one with an ice cellar beneath it). Once you have completed your tour of this beautiful plantation, you will reboard the motorcoach and travel to Evelynton Plantation.

Evelynton Plantation, the most gracious of all the plantations, sits majestically at the end of a tree-lined drive. The manor house overlooks Herring Creek and the James River. The estate with its 2500 acres of waterfront property offers a vast array of relaxing with fun activities. There are hammocks, swings, a formal boxwood garden, and a boat dock.

This plantation was originally part of William Byrd’s massive Westover Plantation, and was named for his daughter, Evelyn. In 1847, the Ruffin family bought this property. Edmund Ruffin, the family’s patriarch, is accredited with firing the first shot of the Civil War at Fort Sumter. Mr. Ruffin is also credited for agricultural developments that led Virginia out of a declining economy after the war.

Once everyone has had the opportunity to tour the manor house, grounds and gift shop you will be escorted onto the motorcoach for the return trip to Williamsburg.

SCHEDULED TOURS

If you are interested in attending one of the six scheduled tours, please advise us **no later than Monday, April 3rd**. At that time it will be decided whether or not we have enough people signed up for each tour to go ahead as planned. If we do not have enough people signed up for a particular tour, it will have to be cancelled and your money will be refunded.

Thank You.

TOURS

The Academy is pleased to offer six exciting tours of the Williamsburg area. Tour size is limited so please register early. There is a minimum number required for all tours and if the minimum is not met, we must unfortunately cancel the tour.

Tour 1: Saturday, April 29, 2000
Tour of Historic Colonial Williamsburg

Departure: 1:00 p.m.
Return: 5:00 p.m.
Cost: \$48.00 per person

You will walk through Colonial Williamsburg and get a glimpse into the life of 18th Century America. This tour will highlight the history of the restoration of Williamsburg and the lifestyles of its people in Colonial America. Established as a living museum, Colonial Williamsburg was restored in the 1930's with the help of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Reverend Godwin at the Burton Parish Church. At that time, Williamsburg had become a failing city, with all the commerce and business moving to the new capital, Richmond. It was Rockefeller and Godwin's dream to restore Williamsburg to its splendor of the 18th Century.

This tour will also explore the creation and development of organized religion in the original colonies. You can speak to colonial characters and get a first hand impression on what religion meant to the colonist as well as the Royal Families that governed the city of Williamsburg.

Tour 2: Saturday, April 30, 2000
Mystery Dinner Playhouse

Departure: 7:00 p.m.
Return: 10:00 p.m.
Cost: \$60.00 per person

Solve a comedy murder mystery while enjoying a delicious four course dinner. The dinner is served to you by the characters in the show, who all the while are providing clues to help you solve the evening's crime. You're given bribe money to entice the "suspects" to give you better clues, and a clue dossier which contains riddles and puzzles that you'll need to decipher in order to be eligible for our "Super Sleuth" prize.

Tour 3: Sunday, April 31, 2000
A Day at Busch Gardens

Departure: 9:00 a.m.
Return: 5:00 p.m.
Cost: \$62.00 per person

If you choose Busch Gardens, Beware! We hope you will survive the five monster roller coasters that await you: the Drachen Fire, the Loch Ness Monster, the Big Bad Wolf, the Alpenggeist and Apollo's Chariot. Don't forget about the white water thrills of the Roman Rapids or the Quest for the Sword and the Stone and the coveted Excalibur in the Castle of Dread. For those of you wanting something a little tamer, Busch Gardens offers many alternatives. You can savor the flavor of Oktoberfest in Das Festhaus, and go shopping in England, Italy, Germany and France. All in the same day! Busch Gardens has truly something for everyone!

Discover how adventurous learning can be at Busch Gardens. You and your family can experience the gentleness of world-famous Clydesdales, the majesty of an American Bald Eagle at Eagle Canyon and the magnificence of rare raptors and exotic birds.

If you are searching for a more relaxing environment, cruise along the Rhine River and immerse yourself in the park's award winning landscape. The Le Mans Raceway also provides a leisurely tour through beautifully manicured lawns and breathtaking sites.

You can enjoy the freedom to choose the length of the fun-filled day by utilizing a shuttle both to and from the park on thirty-five minute intervals. This shuttle would begin with transportation to the park between 9-11 a.m. and return transportation to the hotel will be from 3-5 p.m.

Tour 4: Monday, May 1, 2000
Tour of Jamestown Settlement

Departure: 9:00 a.m.
Return: 12:00 noon
Cost: \$34.00 per person

Upon arrival at Jamestown you will experience 17th century America as you travel back to the historic landing of the first settlers onto the beaches of the "New World". You will tour the Settlement's indoor

ABOUT COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG AND THE WILLIAMSBURG LODGE

In Colonial Williamsburg, our founding fathers laid the groundwork for a great nation. You are completely submerged in the 18th-century experience, and that era had quite an agenda. Colonial Williamsburg is filled with hundreds of exhibitions and programs, and they change daily, monthly and seasonally. The museums and their internationally acclaimed exhibits, taverns serving 18th-century fare, and more than 500 restored and reconstructed buildings. All in a town where history is touchable and interactive.

This town is a living breathing history lesson. Sheep graze around Market Square as the merchants hawk their wares. Shopkeepers peddle an 18th century inventory, and Martha Washington fields questions from a crowd. Townspeople are gathering at shops, tradesmen are putting in a hard days work. Pose for photos with your head in the stocks, debate with a founding father, or play golf at one of the championship courses.

This is 1775. Virginia is part of the British Empire, but folks like Thomas Jefferson, Patrick Henry and George Washington are hanging around in the taverns plotting a free country. There's even a witch trial, and you can sit on the jury! You can march in the colonial militia, listening to gossip and whispering rumors about war against England!

The deadline for the block of rooms reserved by AAOMP is thirty days (March 29, 2000) prior to arrival. All rooms not secured with a one night's deposit will be released to Colonial Williamsburg's reservation office for resale. Reservation requests made after the cut-off date will be confirmed on a space available basis at the conference rate. Rates are as follows: Williamsburg Lodge Standard single/double occupancy at \$195 and Williamsburg Lodge Deluxe single/double occupancy at \$226. The special guest room rate will apply three days before and after the official dates of the Group's meeting. All reservations must be accompanied by one night's deposit for room and tax.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

REGISTRATION

Individuals are encouraged to register by mail as soon as possible to avoid delays on-site. Registration Forms postmarked on or after March 31, 2000 and individuals registering on-site will be charged an additional \$25.00 fee. A registration fee for spouses attending the meeting is being charged to offset a portion of the cost of the services which the academy provides them. You must register to attend any portion of the meeting. To register, fill out the enclosed Registration Form, attach your check payable in U.S. funds to American Academy of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology (AAOMP), and mail both to:

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FELLOWSHIP EXAMINATIONS

The examination will be held Saturday, April 29, 2000 from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm for approved candidates.

MICROSCOPES AVAILABLE

A formal WCTB will not be scheduled. However, microscopes will be available for slide review and informal consultations in the WCTB/CCA Room.

CONTINUED COMPETENCY ASSURANCE PROGRAM

The Academy is again sponsoring a Continued Competency Assurance Program for any Diplomate, especially those who do not participate in one of the other approved CCA programs. The AAOMP CCA is in a self-assessment format. The CCA cases will be available for review in the microscope room throughout the meeting. Registration is required at a cost of \$50.00. See the enclosed CCA Registration Form.

WILLIAMSBURG SCHEDULE

Friday, April 28

2:00 pm Executive Council Meeting

Saturday, April 29

8:00 - 5:00 pm Fellowship Exam

8:00 - 5:00 pm Fellowship Committee

8:30 - 11:30 am CE #1 21st Annual AFIP Seminar

1:00 - 5:00 pm Symposium

1:00 - 5:00 pm Tour 1 - Historic Tour of Williamsburg

7:00 - 10:00 pm Tour 2 - Mystery Dinner Playhouse

Sunday, April 30

8:30 - 11:30 am CE #2 - Dr. Helm

CE #3 - Dr. Baker

CE #4 - Dr. Murphey

9:00 - 5:00 pm Tour 3 – Busch Gardens

12:00 - 1:00 pm ABOMP Past President's Luncheon

2:00 - 5:00 pm CE #5 - Dr. Wenig

CE #6 - Dr. Eisen

CE #7 - Dr. Miller

6:00 - 8:00 pm Welcome Reception

Monday, May 1

7:00 - 8:00 am Editors' Breakfast

8:00 - 12:30 pm Essay I

9:00 - 12:00 pm Tour 4 - Tour of Jamestown

12:00 - 1:00 pm Program Directors' Lunch

12:30 - 1:30 pm Army, Navy & Air Force Luncheons

2:00 - 5:00 pm Fellows' Business Meeting

3:00 - 4:30 pm Spouses' Champagne Reception

6:30 - 10:00 pm Tour 5 - Evening at Historic King's Arms Tavern in Colonial Williamsburg with Candlelight Tour

9:00 - 10:30 pm Residents' Reception

Tuesday, May 2

7:00 - 8:00 am Educational Committee Breakfast

8:00 - 10:00 am Clinical Pathology Conference

9:00 - 1:00 pm Tour 6 – Plantation Tour

11:30 - 1:00 pm AAOMP Past Presidents Luncheon

1:00 - 5:30 pm Essay II

6:00 - 9:00 pm President's Reception & Banquet

Wednesday, May 3

8:30 - 12:00 pm Founder's Memorial Seminar

DISTANCE-DRIVING TIMES FROM VARIOUS AIRPORTS TO COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG

Starting from: Newport News, VA
Destination: 310 England St.
Williamsburg, VA 23185
Distance: 19.7 miles
Approx.
Travel Time: 33 minutes

Starting from: Norfolk, VA
Destination: 310 England St.
Williamsburg, VA 23185
Distance: 44.6 miles
Approx.
Travel Time: 67 minutes

Starting from: Washington, DC
Destination: 310 England St.
Williamsburg, VA 23185
Distance: 167.1 miles
Approx.
Travel Time: 238 minutes

Starting from: Richmond, VA
Destination: 310 England St.
Williamsburg, VA 23185
Distance: 46.1 miles
Approx.
Travel Time: 68 minutes

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bones presents numerous problems. Among these are difficulties associated with terminology and the infrequency of the disease. Fibro-osseous lesions are often diagnosed based on radiologic appearance, i.e., factors such as circumscription and relation to teeth, rather than on histologic appearance. In addition, fibro-osseous lesions that occur in bones that are unrelated to the maxilla or mandible, such as the ethmoid, frontal or extragnatic skeleton receive have other names despite the similar histologic appearance.

Benign and malignant neoplasms of bone origin are rare in the maxilla and mandible and are seen mostly at major cancer centers.

Of these osteosarcoma and chondrosarcoma are the most commonly seen but osteoblastoma, aneurysmal bone cyst and giant cell reparative granuloma also occur. Desmoplastic fibroma of the maxilla and mandible is a unique locally recurrent disease that often requires major surgery.

The discussion of each of the lesions and their differential diagnoses will be presented at this

seminar emphasizing histopathologic and radiologic features, and, when applicable, the current management of the disease.

At the conclusion of this seminar, the attendees should better comprehend the histologic common denominators of some of the fibro-osseous lesions. These common elements include key diagnostic factors such as bone formation through connective tissue; lamellated versus woven bone patterns; and osteoblastic rimming. The attendees should also better understand benign and malignant bone tumors including desmoplastic fibroma osteoblastoma, osteosarcoma, and chondrosarcoma.



Objectives:

1. Appreciate the pathologic spectrum of benign fibro-osseous lesions.
2. Recognize the major malignant bone tumors.
3. Recognize reactive lesions of the maxilla and mandible.
4. Learn about desmoplastic fibroma affecting the maxilla and mandible in children.

TRANSPORTATION TO & FROM WILLIAMSBURG LODGE

If you are flying into Norfolk Airport the best means of transportation is through Groom Transportation. They are located at the airport right outside of baggage claim. You do not need to call ahead. The rates are as follows:

One Way

One Person - \$29

Two or more people - \$19 each

Round Trip

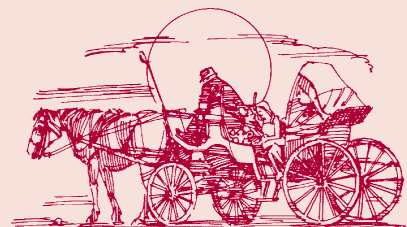
One Person - \$50.50

Two People - \$72.00

Three People - \$108.00

Four or more people - \$36 each

**If you have further questions,
you can contact
Groom Transportation
at 757/857-1231.**



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of the IRB, the significance of institutional review and the need for protection standards - especially in perceived non-risk situations. In addition, new issues involving DNA technology, fetal tissue, use of minors in research, and student participation have emerged. Issues relevant to research in oral pathology will be emphasized.

Dr. Miller is an oral pathologist who has been active in the ethics of human research for more than 25 years. He currently serves as chair and medical director of the University Human Studies Committee, an IRB with oversight over all University of Louisville, University of Louisville Hospital, Brown Cancer Center, and Norton Healthcare hospitals. This oversight includes studies involving p53 genetic therapy, chimeric bone marrow/solid organ transplantation, artificial heart, transmyocardial revascularization, allogeneic hand transplantation, DNA marker and emergency waiver of consent studies.

Objectives:

1. List several classic examples of non-protection of humans in research.
2. Cite general federal standards which regulate human subject protections in research.
3. Discuss the role and authority of an IRB.
4. Distinguish exemption studies from expedited and full committee review studies.
5. Discuss protection of confidentiality in record studies and specimen studies.
6. List "hot" issues impacting on human subject protections such as subject identification, fetal research, and genetic engineering.
7. List the basic elements of informed consent.
8. Describe the need for human subject protection standards in all research.

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Welcome Reception

Monday, May 1

7:00 am - 8:00 am

Editor's Breakfast

8:00 am - 12:30 pm

Essay 1

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Tour 4: Tour of Jamestown

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Program Directors' Lunch

12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

Army, Navy & Air Force Luncheons

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Fellows' Business Meeting

3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

Spouses' Champagne Reception

6:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Tour 5: Evening at Historic King's Arms Tavern in Colonial Williamsburg with Candlelight tour.

9:00 pm - 10:30 pm

Resident's Reception

Tuesday, May 2

7:00 am - 8:00 am

Education Committee Breakfast

8:00 am - 10:00 am

Clinical Pathology Conference

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Tour 6: Plantation Tour

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

AAOMP Past President's Luncheon

1:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Essay II

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

President's Reception & Banquet

Wednesday, May 3

8:30 am - 12:00 pm

Founder's Memorial Seminar

Dr. Alberto Ayala

"Benign Fibro-osseous Lesions and Bone Neoplasms of the Craniofacial Bones"

Lesions of the skeleton are distinctly rare; lesions of the craniofacial bones are even rarer. The diagnosis of benign fibro-osseous lesions of the craniofacial

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2:00 pm

Executive Council Meeting

Saturday, April 29, 2000

8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Fellowship Examination and
Fellowship Committee Meeting

8:30 am - 11:30 am

CE Program #1

21st Annual AFIP Seminar

CLOSED only without slides is available

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Symposium

Sara A. Hook, MLS, MBA, JD, AHIP

"Legal Issues in Dental Informatics"

Michael W. Finkelstein, DDS, MS

*"Informatics and Technology in Oral and
Maxillofacial Pathology Education"*

Louis M. Abbey, DMD

*"Interactive Multimedia Patient Simulation
Using IMPACT"*

Peter J. Chauvin, DDS

*"Use of Information Technology in the teaching of
Oral Pathology and General Pathology"*

The speakers will address issues critical to the explosion in the use of the internet and other informatics systems in dental education including copyright and confidentiality issues and trends in informatics useful to dental and oral and maxillofacial pathology education. There will be panel discussions.

Combined Objectives:

1. Give examples of development, implementation, and evaluation of courseware products.
2. List current problems with web-based education: locating information and listing quality of information on the web.
3. Current uses of web-based education: information and instructional databases and administrative



support tools.

4. Future issues involving web-based education: enhanced interactive applications, role of instructional designers, development of instructional standards, sharing of educational material and shifting role of faculty.
5. To demonstrate an interactive multimedia patient simulation program with which anyone can author cases in oral pathology or a number of other dental disciplines. The system we have developed is called IMPACT (Interactive Multimedia Patient Case Tutor).
6. Introduce the participants to selected information technologies (IT) that may be used to enhance student learning.
7. Review some of the benefits and difficulties in using IT in teaching.
8. Outline the support and critical factors needed to develop and complete a project.

1:00 pm

Tour 1: Historic Tour of Williamsburg

7:00 pm

Tour 2: Mystery Dinner Playhouse

Sunday, April 30, 2000

8:30 am - 11:30 am

CE Program #2

Dr. Klaus Helm

"Cutaneous Adnexal Tumors"

The diagnosis of cutaneous adnexal tumors can be challenging. Cutaneous adnexal tumors can resemble tumors arising in the oral mucous membranes. Correct diagnosis is important to ensure adequate treatment. A simple approach to the diagnosis and classification of adnexal tumors will be presented. Diagnostic aids such as the use of immunohistochemical marker studies will be discussed. Clinical photographs will supplement photomicrographs to provide clinical-pathological correlation.

Participants of the course will receive a set of 10 slides to review before the seminar which will be discussed during the presentation. **These glass slides must be returned at the meeting site.**

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Objectives:

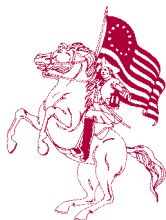
1. To be able to correctly classify sebaceous, apocrine, eccrine, and follicular tumors of the skin.
2. To learn a paradigm for the differential diagnosis of cutaneous adnexal tumors.
3. To become familiar with the immunohistochemical staining pattern of different tumors.
4. To become familiar with the biological behavior of different adnexal neoplasms

8:30 am - 11:30 am

CE Program #3

Dr. Karen Baker

“Innovative Therapies for Mucositis and Chronic Pain”



Therapeutic management of head and neck disorders has become even more challenging in recent years. Patients are increasingly medically complex and drug therapy choices are rapidly multiplying. This program is designed to update the dental practitioner on new developments in the treatment of oral mucositis and chronic stomatitis, lichen planus, benign mucous membrane pemphigoid, herpes simplex, herpes zoster, and candidosis. Since mucosal disease can be drug-induced, a listing of the causative agents will be provided along with an extensive discussion of prevention and treatment of xerostomia. Chronic pain disorders such as headaches, neuralgias, and burning mouth syndrome will be discussed with respect to patient-specific treatment modalities. New topical and systemic agents will be listed and evaluated. Extensive and very current handouts will be provided in order to maximize the take home value of this program.

Objectives:

1. To review the effectiveness of topical and systemic therapies for non-microbial mucositis.
2. To discuss patient-specific selection criteria for systemic and topical antifungals and antivirals.
3. To evaluate the cost/benefit of systemic antifungals and antivirals.
4. To review drug-induced intra-oral effects.
5. To outline strategies for preventing and/or treating xerostomia.
6. To review new approaches for pharmacologic management of vascular headache and orofacial neuralgias.

Outcomes:

After attending this program and reviewing the handouts, the participant should be able to:

1. Choose an effective topical corticosteroid for non-microbial mucositis treatment based on patient needs.
2. Prescribe an effective topical antifungal after treatment failure with topical nystatin.
3. List systemic antiviral regimens for chronic prevention as well as acute treatment of herpes simplex or zoster.
4. Discuss 4 strategies for managing severe xerostomia.
5. List indications and contraindications for systemic pilocarpine therapy for xerostomia.
6. Describe 3 new topical agents useful in treating chronic head and neck pain.

8:30 am - 11:30 am

CE Program #4

Mark D. Murphey, M.D.

“CT and MR Imaging of Cranial-Facial Lesions”

Neoplastic and tumor-like processes of the cranial-facial region often have characteristic imaging appearances suggesting the diagnosis. Radiographs and conventional tomography have long been used to assess cranial-facial abnormalities, and are particularly important in evaluation of intraosseous lesions. However, CT and MR imaging also play an important role in radiologic assessment of these lesions. These more advanced modalities allow accurate evaluation of (1) lesion extent (both soft tissue and intraosseous) and aggressiveness in this often complex anatomic region; (2) matrix formation; (3) the consistency of lesional tissue including vascularity which may be helpful in directing biopsy; and (4) lesion recurrence. Abnormalities primarily involving the soft tissues of the cranial-facial region can also be assessed with these techniques. All of these features affect lesion diagnosis and treatment leading to improved patient management.

The first segment of this presentation will provide a background for both CT but particularly MR imaging of the classic appearance of different types of tissue using various imaging parameters as well as basic concepts of terminology. The typical imaging features

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of specific common cranial-facial abnormalities (both osseous and soft tissue) including odontogenic lesions, giant cell granuloma, fibro-osseous lesions, hemangioma, Langerhans cell histiocytosis, chondroid lesions, synovial chondromatosis and PVNS will then be demonstrated with radiologic/pathologic correlation. Finally, several unknown cases will be presented to emphasize the use of advanced imaging in assessment of cranial-facial lesions.

Objectives:

1. To describe the advantages and disadvantages of CT in evaluation of cranial-facial lesions.
2. To understand the basic concepts of terminology and appearances of differing tissue types on MR imaging.
3. To describe the MR imaging characteristics of many cranial-facial lesions.

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9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Tour 3: Busch Gardens

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

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2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CE Program #5

Bruce Wenig, M.D.

"Selected Lesions of the Head and Neck"

By the end of the seminar the attendee will:

1. Discuss and utilize 10 cases to illustrate difficult diagnostic problems in head and neck pathology. Will include selected nonneoplastic and neoplastic (benign & malignant) lesions of the head & neck, including the sinonasal tract, oral cavity, pharynx, nasopharynx, larynx, neck region (e.g., thyroid parathyroid, cervical lymph nodes), salivary glands and the ear.
2. Emphasis will be placed on the clinical and pathologic correlation of each disease.
3. The criteria for diagnosis by light microscopy will be detailed and supplemented (when needed)

by special studies (e.g., histochemistry, immunohistochemistry, electron microscopy, molecular biology.)

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CE Program #6 - Limited space available

Drore Eisen, MD, DDS

"The Clinical Manifestations and Management of Oral Vesiculoerosive Diseases"

The oral and extraoral manifestations of various vesiculoerosive diseases will be presented. Emphasis will be placed on the management of these patients by both topical and systemic therapy. Methods of monitoring patients on these treatments as well as their potential adverse effects will also be addressed.

Objectives:

1. The recognition of oral and extraoral features of vesiculoerosive diseases.
2. The use of various topical preparations for vesiculoerosive diseases.
3. The use of systemic preparations for vesiculoerosive diseases.
4. How to monitor patients undergoing treatment with systemic agents for vesiculoerosive diseases.
5. The potential adverse effects of these systemic treatments.

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

CE Program #7

Richard M. Miller, DDS

"Protecting Human Subjects in Research: What Oral Pathologists Need to Know"

Protecting human subjects should be a prime concern of all oral pathologists when conducting both clinical and laboratory research. Human participation in such research can be either active (i.e., manipulation or survey) or passive (use of records or specimens). Federal, state and local standards are well established for protection of human rights in all aspects of research. Recently, federal agencies have "cracked down" on several major medical institutions for failure to comply with or document compliance with these standards. Most institutions have institutional review boards (IRBs) which are responsible for oversight and approval of all human research. Many investigators do not understand definitions, the role