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Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University



High-speed Handpiece Workshop for Orthodontic Cement and Bond Removal for Dental Hygienists

DR. ALI TASSI and MS. JENNIFER MCKINSTRY

PROGRAM OUTLINE

While the use of a high-speed handpiece for the removal of cement and bond is not a controlled act under the Regulated Health Professions Act (RHPA), registered dental hygienists have a duty to acquire competencies on the safe use of handpieces; including the selection criteria for burs and the detection of cement versus enamel prior to utilizing them on patients/clients.

While working in the Simulation Clinic at the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University, and under the guidance of Dr. Ali Tassi, Clinic Director and Chair of the Graduate Orthodontics Program and Jennifer McKinstry, an experienced orthodontic dental hygienist, you will have the opportunity to first safely debond orthodontic appliances and then develop your knowledge, skills and judgment to competently and safely remove excess cement and composite from enamel using a high-speed handpiece.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Controlled acts and non-controlled acts of the RHPA for handpiece use;
- Learn how to detect the difference between tooth enamel and orthodontic cement or composite resin;
- Review handpiece technique and maintenance;
- Selection of correct burs appropriate for the task;
- Techniques for removing orthodontic cement and composite;
- Post-orthodontic polishing of enamel.

Sunday, April 26, 2020

TUITION

	Until MAR 27	After MAR 27
ALL	\$199	\$249
ODHA Members	\$159	\$249

TIMES

Registration: 8:30 a.m.
Lecture: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

LOCATION

Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University
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London, ON N6A 5C1

CREDITS

Category 2; MCDE 7;
AGD Code 370; 4 hours

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

ALI TASSI, BSc, DDS, MCID, FRCD(C)



Dr. Ali Tassi, a London Ontario native. He obtained his BSc (1995), DDS (1999) and Master's degree in Orthodontics (2007) all from the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University. He is Assistant Professor, Clinic Director and Interim Program Director in the Division of Graduate Orthodontics at Schulich Dentistry. Dr. Tassi is a member of the Canadian Association of Orthodontists, American Association of Orthodontists and is a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. He also maintains a private practice limited to orthodontics in London, Ontario.

JENNIFER MCKINSTRY, RDH



Jennifer McKinstry is a registered dental hygienist with 24 years of clinical orthodontic experience. She is a graduate of Fanshawe College's Dental Assistant and Dental Hygiene programs. She facilitates in-office learning experiences for the dental hygiene students at Fanshawe College, as part of their orthodontic course curriculum. She has taught for CDE at the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University. Jennifer has held several executive positions on London & District Dental Hygienists' Society, the Ontario Dental Hygienists' Association and Orthodontic Dental Hygienists' Study Clubs. Jennifer currently works in private practice in an orthodontic specialty office.

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