Dr. Steven Liu’s Study Club

Restoring the Edentulous Arch:
The Elegance of Simplicity
David M Gardner, DDS, FICOI
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6:00 – 9:00 PM
Yang Ming Restaurant
Bryn Mawr, PA

Program
Success in Implant Dentistry has given clinicians the ability to predictably meet the needs of those individuals displaying a wide range of conditions. From the replacement of a single missing tooth to the restoration of the entire arch or arches, Implants have become the standard of care in treating these individuals. The rehabilitation of the edentulous patient remains a challenge to many Restorative Doctors who wish to help their patients overcome such conditions. The presenter wishes to discuss the edentulous patient and the challenges facing these individuals. Options to restore such patients will be presented. Next, a protocol will be identified to predictably meet functional and esthetic expectations each and every time. Dr. Gardner will compare the steps involved in denture fabrication with those necessary to construct an implant-supported restoration to show that success can be simple if principles are maintained.

Course Learning Objectives
At the end of this seminar, you will have an understanding of
1. Options for the restoration of the edentulous patient
2. Criteria for the selection of such options
3. A simplified protocol for executing the restoration of the edentulous arch.

Target Group:
General dentists working with dental implants or interested in providing dental implant treatment. No prior dental implant training required.

About Dr. David M Gardner
Dr. David Gardner received his BA from The Ohio State University. He continued his education receiving his Doctor of Dental Surgery from SUNY at Buffalo, School of Dental Medicine. Dr Gardner then completed a two-year General Practice Residency at North Shore University Hospital, where he served as Chief Resident. He continued his postgraduate education completing a Fellowship in Advanced Prosthodontics and Implant Dentistry. He remains an Attending at North Shore serving as Chief of the Implant Fellowship, teaching others the surgical placement and restoration of Dental Implants. Dr. Gardner is a member of several professional organizations. He has received numerous awards and has contributed to the dental literature with several publications. In addition, he has served on the editorial staff of the International Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Implants. Dr. Gardner has lectured nationally on concepts pertaining to Restorative and Implant Dentistry.
About Neoss
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