

Northern Ireland Branch

The Isdell Courtyard, Riddell Hall, Queens University Belfast, 185 Stranmillis Road, Belfast BT9 5EE Thursday 30 April 2024

PROGRAMME

Clinical techniques to improve endodontic success - what do the guidelines say?

Speaker: Hal Duncan

Aim

To summarise the recent European Society of Endodontology clinical practice guidelines and their relevance to everyday clinical practice.

Learning objectives

- Understand the scientific and clinical rationale for pulp preservation
- · Highlight the obstacles to successful endodontic treatment
- Consider what root canal instruments and irrigants are evidenced based.

Learning content

Endodontic issues and clinical tips will be discussed with reference to the recently published ESE Clinical Practice Guidelines, which focus on maximising success when carrying out VPT and RCT.

Development outcomes: C, D

CPD hours: 1 hour

Endodontic microsurgery - why, when and how?

Speaker: Graham Quilligan

Aim

This lecture will highlight the indications, limitations, and applications of endodontic microsurgery such that practitioners can present this as a viable option to patients where appropriate.

Learning objectives

- Identify indications/contra-indications for Endodontic Microsurgery (EM)
- Improved decision making relating to case selection
- Understand the various surgical techniques and processes
- Evaluate and monitor outcomes of surgery.

Learning content

Numerous clinical cases detailing decision making for retreatment or endodontic microsurgery and documentation of the surgical process/techniques across a range of pathologies and monitoring of healing.

Development outcomes: A, C, D

CPD hours: 1 hour

Joint Q&A session

CPD hours: 15 minutes