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**JERSEY SHORE UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER
and the
MONMOUTH OCEAN COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY
presents**

**“INFECTION CONTROL UPDATES AND OSHA
ANNUAL COMPLIANCE TRAINING FOR THE ENTIRE DENTAL
TEAM”**

Marie Fluent, DDS

Wednesday, October 15, 2025 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM Seven (7) Credit Hours

LIVE ZOOM SEMINAR

This course will satisfy your State Board requirement infection control in the dental setting and OSHA education and training. This course will be of great interest to your auxiliary staff.

Course Description:

All clinical personnel in the dental setting are at risk for exposure to disease agents and other environmental hazards. With attention to infection control CDC Guidelines, risks to yourself, your patients, and other dental team members can be minimized. In this update, the scientific background behind infection control and safety regulations will be emphasized. Participants will be able to recognize strategies to break the chain of infection and prevent exposure to blood-borne pathogens and other infectious materials in the dental setting.

Learning Objectives:

- Understand the differences between CDC guidelines and OSHA Standards
- Describe the OSHA Bloodborne Pathogen Standard and other required OSHA documents
- Discuss the importance of a written office-specific infection control program and OSHA regulatory documents
- Discuss the importance of handpiece sterilization
- Understand PPE requirements for safe clinical care and for other tasks within the dental setting

Antibiotic Stewardship in Dentistry: A Team Approach

Course Description:

Antibiotic resistance is a major public health threat, with “superbug” infections occurring in 2.8 million people in the US each year. Antibiotic misuse and overuse are the primary reasons for the development of antibiotic resistance and *Clostridioides difficile* infection (C. Diff). When prescribing antibiotics the risks and benefits must always be considered.

Antibiotic stewardship is the effort to measure and improve how antibiotics are prescribed by clinicians and used by patients. Appropriate antibiotic prescribing means prescribing antibiotics only when indicated. Stewardship efforts include the right antibiotic, the right dose, and the right duration.

In this program, the guidelines for use of antibiotics for prophylaxis and treatment in dentistry will be reviewed, challenges to responsible prescribing will be discussed. Attendees will be provided with numerous clinical tips, tools and resources for all dental team members to promote antibiotic stewardship in their own practice.

Learning Objectives:

- Describe how antibiotic resistance occurs and some of the most important antibiotic resistance issues
- Understand the impact that unnecessary antibiotic exposure has on patient harm including antibiotic resistance and *Clostridioides difficile* infection
- Review guidelines for management of odontogenic infections and guidelines for antibiotic prophylaxis
- Identify key antibiotic stewardship issues in dentistry and provide approaches and tools that may be implemented by all dental staff

Marie T Fluent, DDS, CDIPC, FACD

Dr. Marie Fluent is a graduate of the University of Michigan School of Dentistry. Her dental career spans over 35 years and involves lecturing, writing, and consulting on infection control related topics including antibiotic stewardship and dental unit waterlines. Dr. Fluent is a member of the Michigan Dental Association, American Dental Association, and holds a Fellowship in the American College of Dentistry. She is a recipient of the Association for Dental Safety Milton Schaefer and Service Leadership Awards. Dr. Fluent is passionate and deeply committed to improving the safety of dental visits and has educated thousands of dental professionals and students nationally and internationally.

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DENTAL EDUCATION PROGRAM**

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Auxiliaries # _____ @ \$125.00 ea _____

**Please list names and email addresses of auxiliaries attending
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