Main Line Dental Implant Center and Neoss Inc. invites you to an evening seminar:

Esthetic and Gingival Considerations for The Anterior Implant Restoration

Overview of Periodontal Concerns & Implant Placement in The Esthetic Zone
Steven Liu, D.D.S., F.A.C.D.

Wednesday, December 5, 2007
Flemings, Wayne, PA
6:00 – 9:00 PM

Event Details

Location: Flemings
555 E Lancaster Avenue
Wayne, PA 19087

CE Credits: 3 hrs

Tuition: FREE of Charge – Compliments of Neoss

When: December 5, 6:00 – 9:00 PM

ADA CERP provided:

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About Dr. Arnold S. Weisgold, D.D.S., F.A.C.D.

Arnold Weisgold received his dental degree from Temple University School of Dentistry in 1961. After graduation, he served as a Captain in the U.S. Army Dental Corps for two years. In 1963, he matriculated at the University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Medicine where he studied Periodontal Prosthesis, successfully receiving certificates in both Periodontics and Fixed Prosthodontics.

In 1965, he was named the first Coordinator of Occlusion at Temple University where he developed a four year program in this discipline. He returned to the University of Pennsylvania in 1967 where he established the Department of Form and Function of the Masticatory System, the first of its kind in the world. In 1973, he became the Director of Postdoctoral Periodontal Prosthesis and served in this capacity until 2006. From 1984 until 1987 he was the Associate Dean for Clinical Sciences and was the first Director of the Implant Research Center (1990-1996). He is presently Adjunct Professor of Periodontics.

Dr. Weisgold has presented lectures throughout this country, Canada, Mexico, South America, Europe, South Africa, the Mideast and Far East and is the author of many papers and/or chapters in the areas of Periodontal Prosthesis, Restorative Dentistry, Esthetics, Implant Prosthodontics and Occlusion.

Program

Please join Dr. Weisgold & Dr. Liu, for this outstanding evening event.

5:30-6:00 PM Registration

6:00-9:00 PM Dinner and presentations

- Dr. Arnold Weisgold - Esthetic and Gingival Considerations for The Anterior Implant Restoration
- Dr. Steven Liu - Overview of Periodontal Concerns & Implant Placement in The Esthetic Zone

9:00-9:30 PM Q&A

Lecture Objectives

This presentation will deal with the unique features that impact on the esthetic and gingival management of the anterior implant restoration.

In many respects the periodontal biotype is as much a factor in a successful outcome as the actual fixture position. Sulcular form, ridge morphology, embrasure considerations as well as the mesio-distal, facio-lingual and apical positioning of the fixture will be addressed. In this context, implant to implant, implant to natural tooth and implant to pontic will be analyzed.

The esthetic requirements of anterior restorations will be dealt with in depth. Included will be smile analysis, the unique esthetic demands of the mandibular anterior teeth, elevations, depressions, rotations and patient vs. dentist perceptions and expectations.

The controversy over whether to retain a tooth with endodontic therapy vs. extracting it and replacing it with an implant will be analyzed. Suggestions for each approach based upon bone quality and quantity, periodontal biotype and prosthetic requirements will be proposed.

About Neoss

In a market where simplicity is commonly claimed, Neoss has redefined its meaning. In contrast to traditional implant systems necessitating over a thousand parts and pieces, Neoss uses a minimal number of components and achieves the highest level of flexibility, without compromising functionality and the esthetics demanded by today’s patients.

Utilizing a single prosthetic platform, the Neoss Implant System enables integration of innovations in implant placement and prosthetic rehabilitation, providing unique benefits for the entire dental team.

About Dr. Steven Liu

Dr. Steven Liu earned his DMD from University of Pennsylvania, School of Dental Medicine. Dr. Liu pursued post-graduate specialties in Periodontics, Periodontal Prosthesis and Fixed Prosthodontics as well as Implant Surgical and Prosthetic training. Dr. Liu was an assistant professor/clinical educator of Restorative Dentistry in the department of Preventive and Restorative Sciences in University of Pennsylvania. He was also the director of the Implant Dentistry Course.

He is the recipient of the 2001, 2002 and 2004 Joseph L. T. Appleton Award for excellence in clinical instruction. His papers have been published in Compendium of Continuing Education in Dentistry, The International Journal of Periodontics & Restorative Dentistry, Journal of Esthetic and Restorative Dentistry, Quintessence International. He is now considered a frequently requested speaker on the local and international scene.

Dr. Liu’s clinical research activities focus on periodontal prosthesis concepts and implant dentistry, including aesthetic and anatomy concerns for implant surgery and prosthesis. He is a member of the American Dental Association, Pennsylvania Dental Association, American Academy of Periodontology and the Academy of Osseointegration.