

A Top-Down Approach to Implant Dentistry

Introduction to Implant Dentistry

Based on Occlusal Concepts

Bellevue, WA



Date: May 30, 2026 (Saturday)
Time: 9AM - 4PM
Location: Hyatt House Seattle Bellevue
3244 139th Ave SE, Bellevue, WA 98005
Fee: \$100
Instructor: Dr. Thomas Lee



COURSE OBJECTIVE:

To introduce general dentists to implant dentistry concepts utilizing occlusal concepts in treatment planning and procedures. This course is well suited for general practitioners in implant dentistry.

COURSE OUTLINE:

- Review of challenges in implant dentistry
- Review of physiology of occlusion
- Review of occlusal concepts critical to implant dentistry
- Treatment planning & case reviews



Dr. Thomas Lee, DDS

Education

Dr. Thomas K. Lee grew up in the Chicago area and earned his BA from Northwestern University in Evanston, IL. He went on to receive his DDS from the University of Illinois, College of Dentistry in Chicago, IL. He then completed his Hospital Dentistry Residency training at the University Medical Center in Fresno, CA. Following a year of general dentistry practice in Sacramento, CA, he pursued advanced specialty training at the UCLA School of Dentistry in Advanced Prosthodontics.

Experience

Upon completing his prosthodontics training, Dr. Lee was appointed Director of the Advanced Education in General Dentistry (AEGD) — an ADA-accredited, post-DDS residency program at UCLA. He served as full-time faculty at UCLA from 1995 to 2001, during which time the program he directed grew from 2 to 14 residents per year.

Although Dr. Lee transitioned to full-time private practice in 2001, he was reappointed in 2005 as Director and Associate Clinical Professor of the UCLA AEGD program. In this role, he led the highly acclaimed program, contributed to numerous research projects, and maintained a part-time private practice until 2025, when he chose to step down from his UCLA responsibilities to focus primarily on clinical private practice.

Today, Dr. Lee maintains a full-time private practice in Santa Monica, CA, near, with a clinical focus on TMJD, occlusion, dental implants, and reconstructive dentistry. Widely recognized among his peers as an expert in complex full mouth reconstructions, he has presented at numerous national and international dental conferences.

Locally, Dr. Lee has led study clubs for several years and has served as an expert consultant to the California Dental Association and various legal firms on a range of dental topics.



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