

***The Vital Role of Dental Hygienists in Chronic Disease Care***

Saturday, February 22, 2025 – Chicago

Time	Event	# of CEs
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Registration & Breakfast	
9:00 am – 9:10 am	Program Introduction from ADHA & Crest + Oral B	
9:10 am – 11:30 am	<p><b>Health, Function, Aesthetics – A Comprehensive Model for Ethical Standards of Practice</b>  <b><i>Hazel Glasper, DDS</i></b>  <i>Dr. Hazel Glasper is a comprehensive practitioner and expert on oral-systemic links, dedicated to providing dental professionals with the tools to elevate their practice and improve patient outcomes. The role of the hygienist is central to the comprehensive practice model and often the face of the practice. As co-diagnosticians, hygienists not only drive business, the relationships they form with patients elevate treatment outcomes and contribute to a sustainable bottom line.</i></p> <p><i>In this straight-forward session, Dr. Glasper encourages hygienists to consider their impact on patient’s health and practice revenues by broadening their scope to consider, not only the mechanics, but also the health, function, and aesthetics of the mouth as the gateway to the body. A thought leader in dentistry, Dr. Glasper invites hygienists to embrace their knowledge, passion and commitment to making an impact and inspires them to look beyond standard protocols and adopt a more aggressive approach to diagnosis and treatment so they can “Sell More Dentistry and Save More.”</i></p> <p><b>Learning Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Inspire hygienists to view dentistry as a comprehensive practice that embraces the mouth as essential to overall health</i></li> <li>• <i>Encourage hygienists to be passionate and proactive in their treatment style to elevate their practice and improve patient outcomes</i></li> <li>• <i>Invite hygienists to take a big picture approach to dentistry that emphasizes health, function and aesthetics as critical components of ethical dental practice</i></li> </ul>	2.0
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch	
12:30 pm – 3:30 pm	<p><b>The Oral-Systemic Myth: Bridging Medical &amp; Dental Professionals</b>  <b><i>Katrina Sanders, RDH, BSDH, MEd, RF</i></b></p>	3.0



	<p><i>Despite abundant evidence of the life-altering and potentially life-threatening risks associated with oral disease, the dental prophylaxis is still the most common CDT code used across the U.S. Periodontal hygienist Katrina Sanders presents this compelling and thought-provoking course confronting the missed opportunities for the dental profession to elevate its standards. Learn why the medical profession is ready to invite dentistry to take a seat at the table in discussing comprehensive patient care and understand the role the dental profession can play in rising to excellence.</i></p> <p><b>Learning Objectives:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Evaluate aspects of the medical model</i></li> <li>• <i>Discuss management of the oral-systemic issues</i></li> <li>• <i>Understand co-therapeutic strategies in comprehensive patient care</i></li> </ul>	
3:30 pm – 3:40 pm	Closing Remarks by Crest + Oral B	
3:40 pm	Program Conclusion	