

**You're Not Getting Older, You're Getting BETTER! –  
Treating the Older Adult Dental Patient  
&  
What Are We REALLY Looking For? – Oral Pathology  
Cases and Concepts**

LOCATION: Sheraton Harrisburg Hershey Hotel 4650 Lindle Rd., Harrisburg, PA 17111

TIME: 7:30-8:15 AM—Registration/ Continental Breakfast/ Exhibits

8:15 AM-3:15 PM—Courses

11:15: AM-12:15 PM—Lunch (included with registration)

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**Value—\$775**

**Tickets: one for \$10 / Three for \$25**

**ABOUT THE SPEAKER**



**Sherri Lukes, RDH, MS, FAADH** has 36 years of experience in dentistry, 28 spent in academia. In 2014 she retired as associate professor from Southern Illinois Univ. Dental Hygiene program where she taught oral pathology, community oral health, multicultural dental hygiene and advanced periodontics clinic. Her research concentration was in oral pathology, migrant farm worker oral health, and challenges of underserved groups, resulting in multiple peer reviewed publications. A Fellow and approved speaker of the American Academy of Dental Hygiene, Sherri enjoys integrating her expertise from years of teaching and research into CE courses to empower hygienists in the delivery of care. Her community service projects include biannual mission trips to Central Mexico

where she provides oral health care in an orphanage and remote villages. She received Community Service Teacher of the Year & Research Paper of the Year awards, was named an Oral Health Champion by the IFLOSS Coalition & Illinois Dept. of Public Health and is a past recipient of the Sunstar/RDH Award of Distinction.

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## **Treating the Older Adult Dental Patient**

As the US population continually grows older, more and more older adult patients are retaining their natural teeth and presenting for care in our dental offices. Because this special population has many medical and dental issues, dental professionals must stay abreast of conditions/pathologies these patients experience, to provide the best care possible. This course contains current information about conditions experienced by this population and their implications for dental care. Examples of oral conditions from Ms. Lukes' personal collection of images exposed at senior adult oral cancer screening events are included and oral hygiene techniques for both dentate and non-dentate patients will be discussed.

### **Instructional Objectives:**

Upon completion of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Describe key trends in the demographics of the aging population
2. Explain additional assessment procedures required for treating older adult patients
3. Compare/contrast age related and pathology induced systems changes and disorders in older adults
4. Explain options for managing xerostomia in older adult patients
5. List systemic diseases experienced by older adults and management of oral symptoms
6. Explain common oral conditions/pathology experienced by older adults
7. Describe various oral hygiene techniques for the dentate and edentulous older adult patient

## **What Are We REALLY Looking For? – Oral Pathology Cases and Concepts**

This course is an overview of oral pathologic conditions from Ms. Lukes' own personal collection of lesion images accumulated over 37 years as a dental hygienist and a 28-year teaching career. Etiology, clinical appearance, treatment options and relevance to dental hygiene and interdisciplinary care are included for each lesion/condition. The course includes both common and uncommon conditions. Most images are from cases observed while in academia, as well as those encountered during annual mission work in Central Mexico. Comparison images for inclusion in the differential diagnosis will also be presented and discussed encouraging dental professionals to utilize all patient information when analyzing lesions. This course can serve as an excellent update for seasoned hygienists/dentists or a relevant review for new graduates entering the field.

### **Instructional Objectives:**

Upon completion of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Explain the etiology of various oral pathologic conditions.
2. Describe the clinical appearance of various oral pathologic conditions.
3. List treatment options for various oral pathologic conditions.
4. Explain the importance of current oral pathology knowledge when conducting intra/extra-oral exams.
5. Compare/contrast lesions that can be considered in a differential diagnosis for each pathologic entity.
6. Describe oral symptoms of various systemic conditions as presented in cases.

**Pennsylvania Dental Hygienists' Association**

Course Date: Sat., May 5, 2018

Registration Deadline: Postmark by April 14, 2018

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Questions?? Please contact Angela McDougal at 215-368-8980 or gymmomamc@comcast.net

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