Our Speakers

Dr. James A. Coll

Dr. N. Sue Seale

Dr. James A. Coll is a Clinical Professor of pediatric dentistry at the University of Maryland School of Dentistry. He worked in private practice as a pediatric dentist in York, Pennsylvania, from 1974 until 2013 and began teaching in 1976 at the University of Maryland Dental School where he mentored many Master’s students’ thesis projects. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry (ABPD) and a Fellow in the American College of Dentists. He serves on the examination committee for the ABPD written examination and helps administer the ABPD Oral Clinical Examination. He is currently a Section-Editor of Pediatric Dentistry, has numerous manuscripts published in peer-reviewed journals, has written three textbook chapters and has been an invited speaker nationally and internationally.

Dr. N. Sue Seale is Regents Professor in the Department of Pediatric Dentistry at Baylor College of Dentistry, Texas A&M Health Science Center in Dallas, Texas. She served as chair of the department from 1986 until 2009 and still teaches one day a week. She served on the Board of Trustees of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry from 1999-2002, was named AAPD Pediatric Dentist of the Year in 2001, and received their Merle C. Hunter Leadership Award in 2003. She is a Diplomate of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry and Fellow in the American College of Dentists and International College of Dentists. Currently she serves as Editor in Chief of Pediatric Dentistry, and has published 99 manuscripts in peer-reviewed journals and mentored numerous Master’s students’ thesis projects.

14th Annual

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Continuing Education Course

UF College of Dentistry

Recent Evidence-Based Findings in Pulp Therapy for Primary and Young Permanent Teeth

Presented by

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&

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March 24, 2017
8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Hilton Hotel & UF Conference Center
Gainesville, Florida
President’s Message

Dear Colleagues,
It’s a great pleasure to announce the 14th annual Continuing Dental Education series sponsored by the Department of Pediatric Dentistry and PedoGators, Inc. The UFCD pediatric dental residency training program takes enormous pride in its past accomplishments while building towards the future challenge of educating dentists to serve the children of our state and nation. Please come and celebrate with your colleagues.

Sincerely,
Robyn Lesser, DMD
President
PedoGators, Inc

Recent Evidence-Based Findings in Pulp Therapy for Primary and Young Permanent Teeth

This presentation focuses on recent, evidence-based approaches to pulp therapy for cariously involved primary and young permanent teeth.

The first segment focuses on pulp therapy for management of the vital cariously involved primary tooth and includes current best evidence for a variety of vital pulp therapy techniques and agents: indirect pulp treatment, direct pulp capping, pulpotomy, and findings from a recently published Systematic Review and Meta Analysis concerning these techniques.

The second segment shares the latest information about the carious lesion of dentin and the pulpal response to caries with emphasis on lesion type. Increasing attention is being paid to the techniques of indirect pulp treatment in permanent teeth called step-wise excavation and partial caries removal; they provide more conservative approaches to caries management in pulpally involved immature permanent molars. Also recent best evidence supporting these techniques as well as the traditional, one appointment indirect pulp capping will be discussed.

Participants will learn:

① How diagnostic assessment affects pulp therapy treatment decisions for cariously involved primary and immature permanent teeth.
② Evidence-based findings from a recent systematic review and meta-analyses of the vital pulp therapy treatment options in primary teeth of indirect pulp treatment, direct pulp capping and pulpotomy.
③ The biological responses of the pulp to the caries process and to the carious lesion of dentin and how those responses affect caries removal decisions.
④ How differences in closed versus open carious lesions affect treatment decisions concerning the techniques of partial caries excavation.

Lecture is worth 6 hours of CEU’s

Schedule

Friday, March 24, 2017
at the UF Hilton Hotel & Conference Center
8 - 8:30am
Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:30 - 11:30am
Continuing Education Course with break-out service
11:30am – 12:45pm
Lunch & and PedoGator, Inc. Business Meeting
Albert’s Restaurant
1 - 4pm
Continuing Education Course with break-out service

Hotel Accomodations

Hilton Hotel & UF Conference Center
1714 SW 34th Street
Gainesville, Florida 32604
Phone: (352) 371-3600

- A block of rooms has been reserved at a group rate of $152 per night.
- Please call the hotel directly to make your reservations.
- Identify yourself as attending the PedoGators CE program.

Registration deadline for CE and hotel is March 4, 2017.

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