

2023 Western Dental Hygiene Symposium & AzDHA 2023 Impact Conference

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Schedule at a Glance

FRIDAY - 9/8/23

8:00am - 9:30am	Trisha O'Hehir, RDH	<i>Why Do Gums Bleed? The Impact of Sugar on Systemic Health</i>
9:30am - 10:00am	Break	
10:00am - 11:30am	Dr. Bill Paveletz	<i>For Mature Audiences Only... Breaking the Myths About Using Fluoride Varnishes and Tooth Creams with Our Patients Who Are "Too Sensitive."</i>
11:30am - 12:30pm	TBD	
12:30pm - 1:30pm	Lunch	
1:30pm - 3:00pm	Jodi Deming, RDH	<i>Unleash the Master Clinician Within</i>
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Break	
3:30pm - 5:15pm	Heather Rogers, BSDH	<i>Probiotics: History, Genus, and Application</i>
5:15pm - 6:00pm	Ehavior Reception	

SATURDAY - 9/9/23

8:00am - 9:30am	Anne O. Rice, RDH	<i>Healthy Mouth Healthy Mind</i>
9:30am - 10:00am	Break	
10:00am - 11:30am	Katrina Sanders, BSDH	<i>Man vs. Microbiota - The Evolution Story of the Human Microbiome</i>
11:30am - 12:30pm	Lunch	
12:30pm - 2:00pm	Dr. Joy Void-Holmes	<i>So you Think You Can Scale: The How, The What, and The Why</i>
2:00pm - 2:30pm	Break	
2:30pm - 4:00pm	Sherri Lukes, RDH	<i>Medical History Front and Center - Oral Pathologies as Manifestations of Systemic Conditions</i>
4:00pm - 5:00pm	Dr. Tom Kecip	<i>Panel Discussion - When, Why, and How to Refer to a Periodontist</i>
7:00pm - 9:30pm	Awards Event - Western Theme	

SUNDAY - 9/10/23

8:00am - 9:30am	Dr. Mia Geisinger & Susan Wingrove, BS, RDH	<i>Don't Let Peri-Implantitis Get You Twisted! Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Peri-implant Disease</i>
9:30am - 10:30am	Dr. Abhiram Maddi	<i>Flapless Approach to Dental Implant Surgery: Pros & Cons</i>
10:30am - 11:15am	Break	
11:15am - 11:45am	Dr. Junichi Watahiki	<i>A New Method of Bone Augmentation to the Labio-Buccal Side Using Orthodontic Movement</i>
11:45am - 1:15pm	Dr. Dwayne Karateew	<i>Risk Factors for Peri-Implant Diseases: The Elephant in the Room</i>

HANDS-ON WORKSHOPS

SATURDAY 9/9 WORKSHOPS:

8:00am - 5:00pm	Dr. Thomas Wiedemann	<i>Modern Advanced Atraumatic and Surgical Extraction Techniques, Complications Management, Socket Grafting, GBR and Other In-Office Oral Surgery Procedures for General Dentists</i>
1:00pm - 4:00pm	Dr. Enrico Cassai	TBD

SUNDAY 9/10 WORKSHOPS:

8:00am - 12:00pm	Dr. Thomas Wiedemann	<i>Understanding Sutures and Flap Designs for General Dentists</i>
9:00am - 12:00pm	Dr. Juan Carlos Ortiz Hugues	<i>Advanced Dental Microscope Ergonomics</i>
9:00am - 12:00pm	Dr. Enrico Cassai	TBD