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Restorative Complications with Single Tooth Replacement and Edentulous Challenges

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Course Description: The placement and restoration of dental implants into the biologic network of remaining teeth presents numerous challenges. Although the esthetic mimicry of natural teeth may be convincing, the pathway to success may be complex as the implant and abutment are surrounded by a matrix that continually evolves. The restoration of today may be unsatisfactory or inadequate tomorrow so both the clinician and patient benefit by restorative workflows that maximize the quality of the restoration and allows for correction as time passes. This presentation will also address the challenges of returning function and providing beauty when we encounter edentulism and will discuss the solutions to provide excellent restoration for these patients. In addition, we will introduce the newest concept in full arch restoration which accepts both digital and analog workflow to achieve a strong and esthetic result for our patients.

This lecture will discuss some of these issues as it relates to dentistry with endodontics being the most common discipline of dentistry targeted by various charlatans. Topics covered include how to respond to patients' questions based on their own internet searches, understanding some of the mechanisms commonly used by quacks and ultimately how to best guide your patient through what can be a daunting amount of conflicting information.

Bio: Dr. Montana is a 1987 graduate of the University of Southern California School of Dentistry and completed his Certification in Advanced Prosthodontics at USC in 1989. He has been primarily involved in private practice in Tempe, Arizona; emphasizing fixed, removable and implant prosthodontics. Dr. Montana has been involved in clinical instruction while attending USC and as a pre-clinical instructor at the Arizona School of Dentistry. He has lectured domestically and internationally on the topics of implant, fixed and removable prosthodontics. He has served on several of his states' dental committees. His memberships to professional organizations include the American College of Prosthodontics, the Academy of Osseointegration, and the Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics, The Pacific Coast Society for Prosthodontics and the American and Arizona Dental Associations.

Learning Objectives:

At the conclusion of the seminar, participants will be able to understand:

- The challenges of making the fully artificial co-exist with natural teeth
- The advantages of the digital workflow in providing patient specific results
- Solutions for dealing with complexities of edentulous restorations
- The newest in full arch restoration concept

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