

CONTINUING DENTAL EDUCATION  
School of Dentistry  
University of Minnesota

*Clinical Issues in Treating the Older Adult*

*Saturday-Sunday  
July 16-17, 2005*

**PROGRAM**

Fitger's Inn  
Duluth, Minnesota

*Saturday, July 16, 2005*

7:30 **The "New Older Adult Patient"**

*Dr. Patrick Lloyd*

highest tooth retention rates

best educated

most ever visits for dental care

more discretionary income

disproportionate medication usage

greater prevalence of physical and cognitive impairment

**Clinical Impact of Age and Previous Dental Treatment on Teeth**

decreased sensitivity to dental decay

unbelievable types and location of tooth fractures

indications and outcomes of root canal therapy in the older patient

"what you need is a crown not another filling"

contours, colorants, and surface characterizations of ceramometal that promote gingival health and that look natural

9:00 Refreshment break

9:15 **Dry Mouth Syndrome: What You and Your Patients Need to Know**

*Dr. Lloyd*

what causes dry mouth in the elderly?

predictable side effects of medication-induced xerostomia

how to educate patients about the problems of a dry mouth

advice that will make patients "feel better"

recommendations to control dental and gingival disease rates

10:15 *Question and answer session*

*Dr. Lloyd*

10:30 Adjourn

**Sunday, July 17, 2005**

7:30 **Root Caries- the Restorative Nightmare of the New Millenium** **Dr. Lloyd**

who is susceptible and why?

use of chlorhexidine to improve tissue management

which restorative materials to use: the where, the when, and the how

sequential excavation and filling

handling deep interproximal lesions

knowing when "to punt"

follow-up care, the key to management

**How to Say It is Just as Important as What You Say**

communicating professional competence and personal concern

what motivates the older dental patient to seek your care

how to get your message across to an older patient

making the office say "We want you in our practice"

9:00 Refreshment break

9:15 **Tips, Nuggets, and Pearls** **Dr. Lloyd**

products that expedite treatment without sacrificing quality

procedures that are uniquely practical for treating the elderly

laboratory techniques that make removable prostheses more self-cleansing

new applications for old materials

10:15 *Question and answer session* **Dr. Lloyd**

10:30 Adjourn

## SPEAKER

**Patrick M. Lloyd, D.D.S., M.S.,** Dean of the School of Dentistry at the University of Minnesota. He is a graduate of Marquette University School of Dentistry, and earned his Certificate in Prosthodontics from the VA Medical Center in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, as well as a Master of Science from the Graduate School at Marquette University. After completing his specialty training, Dr. Lloyd directed a fellowship in geriatric dentistry at the Milwaukee VA Medical Center. In 1987 he was appointed as National Coordinator for Geriatric Dental Programs for the Department of Veterans Affairs. In 1992 he joined the faculty at Marquette University, where he was Director of the Special Patient Care Clinic and the Wisconsin Geriatric Education Center. He was Chair of the Department of Family Dentistry at the University of Iowa from 1996 to 2004. For ten years, beginning in 1993, he was Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Prosthodontics*, the official journal of the American College of Prosthodontists. Dr. Lloyd is a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics and a Fellow of the American College of Prosthodontists and the Gerontological Society of America. His professional interests are in the area of geriatric dentistry.