

Dental Pharmacology – Better Medicine, Better Dentistry

Dr. Mark Donaldson

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Did you know that more than 20% of hospital admissions are due to adverse drug reactions? Dentists prescribe less than 10% of available drugs, yet dental patients are often taking prescription medications, herbal products, over-the-counter drugs, or supplements. Since polypharmacy is the norm, especially in the over 65-year old population, this course is essential to every practice setting today.

This informative and entertaining day will provide dentist and allied personnel with the tools to navigate this ever-changing field and keep their patients safe.

COURSE OBJECTIVES – As a result of attending this course, the participant should be able to:

- Discuss the principles of pharmacokinetics, pharmacodynamics and pharmacogenomics.
- Match the right drug at the right dose to the right patient and the right procedure.
- Avoid or manage potential drug interactions.
- Know how to utilize reputable databases and references to evaluate drug therapies and interactions.
- Understand why some drugs work and some don't for postoperative dental pain.
- Achieve optimal patient care through appropriate antibiotic prescribing practices.
- Understand the medications used for safe and effective minimal sedation using oral and inhalational techniques.

CLINICIAN:

Mark Donaldson, BSP, PHARM D, FASHP, FACHE received his BSc(Pharm) from the University of British Columbia and Doctorate in Clinical Pharmacy from the UW. He is the Director of Pharmaceutical Services at Kalispell Regional Medical Center, Clinical Professor in the Department of Pharmacy at the University of Montana, and Clinical Associate Professor in the School of Dentistry at OHSU.

Dr. Donaldson has a special interest in dental pharmacology and has lectured internationally on a number of related topics for both dental and medical practitioners. He has been a primary author and investigator for

the National Institutes of Health (N.I.H.) Consensus Development Committee to define the guidelines for enteral sedation in the United States, as well as an invited expert to compose a whitepaper on Enteral Conscious Sedation for the Academy of General Dentistry (A.G.D.). Currently, he is on the Editorial Board for the Journal of the American Dental Association (J.A.D.A.). Dr. Donaldson has a number of published works in the peer-reviewed literature, and has spent three years in Japan focusing on cross-cultural communication and internationalization.

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Dental Hygienists:	\$ 150	\$ 165
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Continental breakfast and luncheon included.

TIMES:

Registration:	8:30 am
Course commences:	9:00 am

6 hours of instruction

LOCATION:

Lecture Hall #6, Instructional Resources Centre (IRC), University of British Columbia

REGISTRATION APPLICATION

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