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"Demystifying Immediate full-arch Implant Therapy"

A design innovation in dental implants and better knowledge of the physiology and biomechanics of implant stability has resulted in newer surgical and restorative protocols. We will discuss the science that allows us to restore implants on the day of placement and improve the quality of life of our patients immediately. We will also evaluate and discuss when and how this treatment modality should be used to increase success rates and minimize complications. The "immediate load" concept will include a review of patient selection, difference in approaches between maxillary and mandibular arches, a summary of clinical techniques for immediate implant restorations and steps to manage complications.

"Avoiding Mistakes and Minimizing Complications in Implant Therapy"

At the completion of this course, attendees should be able to:
•Design treatment plans that minimize complications and allow for a predictable and precise surgical and prosthetic treatment outcome with the use of digital technologies including CT based planning and computer aided execution of implant procedures.
• Avoid, identify and minimize multitude of prosthetic complications related to tooth extraction, ridge preservation grafting, immediate and delayed implant placement, infection and postoperative pain, immediate function procedures and esthetic implant procedures.
• Avoid, identify and treat peri-implant mucositis and peri-implantitis
• Avoid, identify and treat prosthetic complications related to: interim provisional restorations, improper occlusion, restoration misfit, and improper abutment selection, cement problems, screw loosening and fracture of restorations or implant components.