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FORTRESS

Improving Patient Safety: An Analysis of Dental Risks and Liability



Thursday, March 15, 2018

Creekside Banquet Facility
2669 Union Road
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

Course Description

This course presents strategies to enhance quality care and patient safety by identifying potential malpractice issues and associated clinical risk management principles. Topics, including dental extractions and implants, failure to diagnose oral cancer and periodontal disease, opioid management, communication, documentation, the informed consent process, and HIPAA/HITECH regulations, will be explored through a comprehensive analysis of dental claims. The three hour lecture is designed for dentists and dental staff. There are no prerequisites.

Objectives:

- Identify common risk factors in implant, extraction, and failure to diagnose cases
- Understand how to implement key clinical risk management strategies to help mitigate associated risk factors, improve patient safety, and reduce untoward outcomes and malpractice claims
- Gain knowledge about opioid management, including considerations for prescribing and securing opioids in the dental practice.
- Learn effective policies and procedures to help improve HIPAA/HITECH compliance in the dental practice

Upon completion of this live presentation, attendees will earn 3 CEU credits. Fortress policyholders receive a 10% Risk Management credit which will be applied to their next three policy periods.

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Registration: 5:30pm

Dinner / Seminar: 6:00pm - 9:00pm

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Registration Fee:

Fortress Insured Complimentary

Non-Fortress Insured Dentist \$75.00

Dental Office Staff \$25.00

Dental Student \$25.00

If paying by credit card, call (716) 995-6300 to register and provide your credit card information.

If paying by check, please make check payable to Eighth District Dental Society. Checks, along with your registration form, should be mailed to the Eighth District Dental Society.

Cancellations must be received in writing to the Eighth District Dental Society no later than March 9, 2018.

Speaker Bio

Michael Ragan, DMD, JD, LLM



is an attorney who represents physicians, dentists, and nurses in civil and administrative litigation. Dr. Ragan practiced dentistry for many years and also spent

nine years managing healthcare professional liability claims in the insurance industry. Dr. Ragan is a director of Fortress Insurance Company and chairs the Claims Committee.

Registration Form

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Registration Deadline
March 9, 2018