

# **PRINCIPLES OF COMPUTER GUIDED IMPLANTOLOGY**

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With the growing availability of 3 dimensional Computerized Tomography (CT) Imaging, clinician's now have the opportunity to manage diagnostic information to ensure that predictable prosthetic outcomes are achieved with implant therapy. Information management and its application in interdisciplinary therapy has and will continue to be the cornerstone of successful outcomes. The concept of collaborative accountability represents a paradigm shift in patient care. Interactive CT software allows the clinician to pre-surgically formulate questions and retrieve the data necessary to determine clinical performance standards. Through the use of stereolithography and medical modeling, the construction of surgical guides can be created which allow execution of a collaboratively driven treatment plan. In addition, this technology allows the implant team to consult with patients in an atmosphere of complete disclosure.

## **Course Objectives:**

- a) Understand the concept of collaborative accountability and its influence in the delivery of patient care.
- b) Understand how interactive CT based software enables the release of clinically embedded information to facilitate diagnosis and treatment planning.
- c) Understand the process of stereolithography and how it can ensure precise prosthetically driven surgical outcomes.
- d) Introduce the concept and usage of CT guided surgery in clinical practice.
- e) How to get in the CT game. What guides to start with. SurgiGuide case selection and application.

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REFERRING GENERAL DENTISTS TO THIS PRESENTATION***

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