

Direct Composites and EFDAs: Sharing our Solutions and Struggles

An Interactive Hands-on Workshop

All levels of EFDAs and students welcome

Date: Friday, October 7, 2022

8:15-9:00 Continental Breakfast and Registration

9:00-12:00 Course

Location: Giant Community Center

315 York Rd

Willow Grove, PA 19090

Course Description:

This interactive program will invite EFDAs to share their best practice tips on components of a successful direct restoration from proper isolation techniques to polishing methods, as well as how they manage the compromised cases.

Novice as well as seasoned EFDAs will benefit from review and/or learning something new regarding basic adhesion, when and where to use "total-etch", "selective-etch" and "self-etch" adhesives, various matrix systems, steps of composite placement, contouring, finishing, and polishing.

Course Objectives:

Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- 1. Define adhesion and compare/contrast generations of dental adhesive systems.
- 2. Discuss choices of matrices, materials, and suggested technique for placing, curing, finishing/polishing composites.
- 3. Recognize and share common areas of composite failure.

Speaker: Theresa Groody, DHSc, EFDA, CDA,



A dynamic and engaging national speaker & educator, Dr. Groody enjoys taking both dental and expanded functions assistants to their next level facilitating her interactive presentations. Working in clinical and academic dentistry for four decades and competent in curriculum design and assessment, she currently teaches Expanded Functions Dental Assisting Lecture and Lab at Harcum College, as the Director of Professional Studies.

Fee: \$60 (Association members); \$75 (non-members)

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