

## Upcoming Events

### USC COMPREHENSIVE SURGICAL & RESTORATIVE IMPLANT TRAINING PROGRAM

Friday - Sunday, September 10 - 12, 2004

Friday - Sunday, October 15 - 17, 2004

Friday - Sunday, November 19 - 21, 2004

### USC NEW ODONTIC SEMINAR

Los Angeles, California: Fridays (once a month)

San Diego, California: Wednesdays (once a month)

September 2004 - June 2005

### EMERGING DISEASES, INFECTION CONTROL AND CALIFORNIA LAW

Saturday, October 2, 2004

### THE USC THIRD INTERNATIONAL ENDODONTIC SYMPOSIUM

Friday - Saturday, October 29 - 30, 2004

### THE LATEST IN TECHNOLOGY AND TECHNIQUES FOR PORCELAIN VENEERS

Friday, November 5, 2004

### ORAL MEDICINE SYMPOSIUM: *THE FUTURE IS NOW!*

Friday - Saturday, November 5 - 6, 2004

### THE ARTISTIC DENTIST: *EXCELLENCE IN DIRECT ANTERIOR AND POSTERIOR COMPOSITES*

Saturday - Sunday, December 4 - 5, 2004

### THE 30th ANNIVERSARY OF THE USC PERIODONTAL AND IMPLANT SYMPOSIUM

Friday - Sunday, January 21 - 23, 2005

### BUILDING YOUR DREAM ESTHETIC TEAM

Saturday, January 29, 2005

### EMERGING DISEASES, INFECTION CONTROL AND CALIFORNIA LAW

Saturday, February 5, 2005

### CHRONIC FACIAL PAIN, ORO/DENTAL PAIN AND HEADACHES

Friday - Saturday, February 11 - 12, 2005



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# Orofacial Pain Treatment: *Focus on Medications*



USC School of Dentistry  
Friday - Saturday,  
October 8 - 9, 2004  
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



# Orofacial Pain Treatment: *Focus on Medications*

Friday - Saturday • October 8 - 9, 2004 • 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

14 Hours of Continuing Education



## **Glenn Clark, DDS, MS**

Professor, Division of Diagnostic Sciences and Director of the Orofacial Pain and Oral Medicine Graduate Program and Center, USC School of Dentistry. Diplomate of the American Academy of Orofacial Pain.



## **Jack Broussard, DDS**

Assistant Clinical Professor, Division of Diagnostic Sciences and Holder of the G. Donald Montgomery Professorship in Dentistry, USC School of Dentistry. Diplomate of the American Academy of Orofacial Pain.



## **Ana Lotaif, DDS, MS**

Assistant Clinical Professor, Division of Diagnostic Sciences and Operations Manager of Orofacial Pain and Oral Medicine Clinic, USC School of Dentistry.

## **SYNOPSIS**

This two-day course will cover the medications used to treat chronic orofacial pain, including neurogenic, musculoskeletal, headache and uncommon pain disorders. To be able to treat patients with these problems, dentists must understand the underlying mechanisms of pain transmission, nerve injury and repair, sensitization, sympathetic pain maintenance and spontaneous ectopic pain generation. Dentists must be able to perform various analgesic blocks and sensory testing procedures as well as understand how these procedures combined with historical information allow a differential etiologic based diagnosis to be made. This course is divided into lecture hall presentations in the morning and demonstrations and workshops in the afternoon with specific case discussions at the end of the day.

## **Topics to be covered:**

- Issues of California drug law, the DEA/DOJ and using off-label prescriptions
- Advances in pharmaco-genetics as a way of predicting drug-drug interactions and adverse drugs reactions
- Treatment of chronic pain using behavioral, physical and surgical treatments
- Using an electronic medical record and an automated computer-patient interface for medical documentation
- Using a PDA-based drug program
- Using a pain diary and pain treatment agreements in your practice
- How to perform trigger point, botulinum toxin, and corticosteroid injections for pain and spasm

## **Upon completion you will be able to understand:**

- Medications, Dentists and the Law: What can you prescribe?
- 10 Top medications used in an OFP Specific Treatment Center
- Metabolism of medications, including liver enzymes systems
- The various chronic pain diseases that appear in the orofacial region
- Non-pharmacologic therapies for OFP
- Pharmacogenetics and medication efficacy
- Current approaches for treating non-malignant chronic orofacial pain
- How to (a) conduct a myofascial examination; (b) perform therapeutic injections (trigger point, botulinum toxin and corticosteroids)

This course is part of a series that are being provided by the faculty of the newly established USC Center for Orofacial Pain and Oral Medicine. For specific question regarding this course, please contact Dr. Clark at [gtc@usc.edu](mailto:gtc@usc.edu). For patient referrals, please call 213-740-3410.

## **REGISTRATION FEES**

### **Before September 15, 2004**

Dentist or Physician: \$395  
Assistant or Auxiliary: \$195  
Nurse or Hygienist: \$250

### **After September 15, 2004**

Dentist or Physician: \$445  
Assistant or Auxiliary: \$235  
Nurse or Hygienist: \$295