



2025 WESTERN DENTAL HYGIENE SYMPOSIUM

SEPT 12-14, 2025 • LA JOLLA, CA

HILTON LA JOLLA TORREY PINES

***"Integrating the Surgical and Restorative
Teams for Superior Esthetic Outcomes"***

Schedule at a Glance

FRIDAY • 9/12/25

Grande D/E

8:00-9:30am	Tricia Osuna	<i>"Update Your Products and Protocols for Improved Patient Care"</i>
9:30-10:00am	BREAK	
10:00-11:30am	Lynn Atkinson	<i>"Perio Protocols Prevail! Protocols and Therapies for the Dental Hygienist"</i>
11:30am-1:00pm	Jodi Deming	<i>"Demystifying Biofilms and the Microbiome: The Ultimate Social Network"</i>
1:00-1:45pm	LUNCH	
1:45-3:15pm	Sherri Lukes	<i>"Medical History Front and Center: Oral Manifestations of Systemic Conditions"</i>
3:15-4:00pm	EXHIBITOR RECEPTION	
4:00-5:30pm	Kathy Bassett	<i>"Unconventional Wisdom for Local Anesthesia Success"</i>

SATURDAY • 9/13/25

Grande D/E

8:00-9:30am	Nancy Miller	<i>"MAXIMIZING YOUR POWER INSTRUMENTATION ABILITIES"</i>
9:30-10:00am	BREAK	
10:00-11:30am	Dr. Satish Kumar	<i>"How Periodontal Disease Impacts Systemic Health – A Call to Action"</i>
11:30am-12:30pm	LUNCH	
12:30-1:30pm	Dr. Kami Hoss	<i>"The 2025 Oral Health Revolution: Rethinking Oral Care Products, Ingredients & Protocols"</i>
1:30-2:00pm	BREAK	
2:00-3:30pm	Anne Rice	<i>"Brain Health Matters: Integrating Alzheimer's Risk Reduction Strategies"</i>
3:30-5:00pm	Lora Hooper	<i>"Cracking the Code: Saliva Diagnostics for Personalized Periodontal and Peri-Implant Care"</i>
7:00-9:30pm	SURF'S UP FOUNDATION SILENT AUCTION & AWARDS PARTY.....	Patio

SUNDAY • 9/14/25

Grande C/D/E

8:00-9:30am	Susan Wingrove/George Kotsakis	<i>"Peri-implantitis: Prevention, Maintenance, and Evidence-Based Dental Treatment"</i>
9:30-10:15am	Irene Marron-Tarrazzi	<i>"Decoding the Anterior Enigma: A Magnified Hacker's Playbook"</i>
10:15-10:45am	BREAK	
10:45-11:45am	Paul Chang	<i>"A MODERN PERSPECTIVE ON MANAGING PERI-IMPLANT COMPLICATIONS AND PERI-IMPLANT DISEASES"</i>
11:45am-1:15pm	Lauralee Nygaard	<i>"Metabolic Dysfunction and Periodontal Disease"</i>