

Baltimore County Dental Association
NEWSLETTER

November 2017

November Dinner Meeting to Feature
"Infection Control: The CDC Checklist "
with Christine Wisnom, C.D.A., R.N., B.S.N.



The Baltimore County Dental Association November Dinner Meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at the Radisson Hotel North Baltimore, 2004 Greenspring Drive in Timonium. Christine Wisnom, C.D.A., R.N., B.S.N. will be presenting "Infection Control: The CDC Checklist." The program satisfies the 2.0 CE hours in Infection Control required by the MSBDE for license renewal for DDS, RDH and Certified Dental Radiologists. Check-in and dinner will begin at 5:15 p.m. and the course will begin promptly at 6:00 p.m., lasting until 8:15 p.m. This OSHA Update Course is available to pre-registered BCDA members and staff for \$130.00 per person. Non-members may attend at a cost of \$155.00 per person. This price includes a delicious buffet dinner, two Infection Control CE Credits and all course materials. Complete the enclosed registration form and send it in today! Registration deadline is Friday, November 17, 2017 at Noon. The cutoff date for full-refund cancellations has been extended to November 14, 2017. **No walk-ins will be permitted on the night of the event.**

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*The Executive Board of the
Baltimore County Dental Association
extends to our members,
their families and staff
wishes for a Happy Holiday Season.*

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

It's November and this is our last newsletter for 2017. The Baltimore County Dental Association has had a good year and a promising 2018 awaits. Dr. Joanne Rief has worked hard to schedule some great CE speakers. This month, Chris Wisnom returns with an updated Infection Control course. Remember, with licensing changes by the Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners, not only dentists and dental hygienists need the course every two years but it is now required for your expanded function dental assistants and dental radiology qualified assistants. So, play it safe and register the entire team for the November 28th course.



In 2018, there will be at least one proposed legislation in Annapolis that will affect your practice if passed. The addition of Dental Therapist to deliver dental services, including filling cavities, placing temporary crowns and extracting diseased primary teeth and very loose permanent teeth will be on the table during the upcoming legislative session in Annapolis. It is important that you call or visit your state representative and let them know that adding this member to the dental team will not improve access to dental care for the poor. Approving funding for Adult Dental Care as part of Medical Assistance will bring immediate help to the people who need our care the most. I know you've heard the before, but this year we need you to attend Dentist Day on February 21, 2018 more than ever. Simply put, your future to practice as you want may depend on it.

In closing, the Baltimore County Dental Association Executive Board, officers and staff wish you, your family and your dental team a very Happy Holiday Season and a Healthy, Happy New Year. Don't forget to stay in touch and up to date by going to our new website at www.baltimorecountydental.org. Talk to you again in January.

Bill Martin 

President



Dentist Day 2018

Calvert House, 58 State Circle, Annapolis

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

Dentists' Day 2018 will be held on Wednesday, February 21st in Annapolis, Maryland. For further information and registration, please contact Peter Holmes at 410-964-2880, ext. 19.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

BCDA All-Day Seminar with John A. Svirsky, D.D.S., M.Ed.
Friday, November 16, 2018

Make Plans to Attend This Lecture Double Header

"Great Cases with New Faces"

This new interactive course for 2018 will present a potpourri of interesting cases with audience participation in oral lesion diagnosis. Some unusual "things" might pop up! A good time is to be had by all.

"Come In and Catch it: The review that sticks"

This review course covers the recognition, diagnosis and treatment of the 25 soft tissue lesions that every dentist and hygienist should know and treat appropriately. Dr. Svirsky makes oral pathology fun!

Stay tuned for more details! Watch for "early bird" special rates in the Spring for you and staff.

