

Treatment of Endodontic Emergencies and Vital Pulp Therapy

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Dr. Martin Trope was born in Johannesburg, South Africa where he received his BDS degree in dentistry in 1976. From 1976 to 1980 he practiced General Dentistry and Endodontics. In 1980 he moved to Philadelphia to specialize in Endodontics at the University of Pennsylvania. After graduating as an Endodontist he continued at the University of Pennsylvania as a faculty member until 1989 when he became Chair of Endodontology at Temple University, School of Dentistry. In 1993 he accepted the JB Freedland Professorship in the Department of Endodontics, UNC at Chapel Hill. Named in honor of one of the founding fathers of Endodontics, the Freedland Professorship recognizes significant contributions to the specialty. In 2014, he was awarded the Jens Ove Andreasen Lifetime Achievement Award by the International Association of Dental Traumatology. Dr. Trope is Clinical Professor, Department of Endodontics, University of Pennsylvania. He is also in private practice.

Endodontic emergencies seldom present at convenient times in the work day. Therefore, it is important to treat these painful conditions as quickly and effectively as possible.

This course will cover the types of painful conditions due to infection or inflammation of the pulp and/or periapical tissues that are within the definition of endodontic emergencies. and will cover effective anesthesia of the hot tooth, indications and procedures for pulp capping, pulpotomy and pulpectomy. In addition, the most time efficient method of canal instrumentation of a non-vital tooth will be explained. Follow up timing and procedures will also be explained.

Audience: Dentists, Assistants
AGD Code: 070/076
CE Hours: 2 technical and/or scientific
CE Verification provided

Learning Objectives:

- Recognize the difference between reversible and irreversible pulpitis and pulp necrosis with symptomatic apical periodontitis.
- Understand pain control in order to effectively treat these conditions.
- Determine procedures for the treatment of painful pulpitis and apical periodontitis.
- Understand the follow up schedule to assess the effectiveness of the emergency treatment.

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