

The Adjudicator

Canadian Association of Dental Consultants

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our annual conference
in Kitchener-Waterloo



From Our President

Dr. Lori Stephen-James

Hello colleagues!

I hope you are all having a nice spring and looking forward to summer. It does seem that October is a long way off but not for your committee who has an exciting conference planned. I'm not sure if I'm more excited about the **six speakers** who are lined up on Saturday or the night out for Oktoberfest at the Concordia festhallen with its oompahpah music and German food. A big thank you goes to Ali Kapasi, Anu Seoni and Sandy Tse for finding such interesting and relevant lecturers.

Also, hotels book up fast during this festival so be sure to book your room now – you don't want to miss this year's learning program and cultural event.

And be prepared to dance the night away to polkas and the infamous chicken dance.

Looking forward to catching up!



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Register NOW for the CADC conference, October 13 – 15, 2023



Dr. Lionel Lenkinski, DDS, Cert. Endo. is a practicing endodontist, who is also the CEO of the Canadian Dental Protective Association (CDPA), which provides assistance to dentists across Canada.

CDPA is an exclusive membership only community of dentists who, through a mutual benefit not-for-profit corporation, delivers risk management education, information, professional assistance and support to its membership. It is dedicated to assisting in and helping to avoid threats to a member’s professional integrity and dental livelihood.

This organization is also a great resource for third party administrators. You will learn:

- How this organization operates
- Case study examples of how they have curbed billing abuse
- How you can use their resources to help you in your job of curbing fraud and abuse before situations escalate



Dr. Steve Monardo, DDS
Co-presenter

Steve is a graduate of The University of Western Ontario and has been practising general dentistry for 34 years. He is a fellow of the Pierre Fauchard Academy and has received several awards recognizing his contributions. As an active member of the Canadian Dental Protective Association, Steve serves as a member of the Board of Directors, a Dentist Risk Advisor and Director of Third Party Inquiries. He has presented and published on the subject of insurance inquiries and spends the majority of his time with CDPA assisting dentists in responding to these matters.

RCDSO | Royal College of
Dental Surgeons of Ontario

**Daniel Faulkner and
Gillian Slaughter**
from RCDSO will
co-present on:

The complaint and
disciplinary
process

The College’s
position in direct-
to-patients
companies (i.e.
SmilesDirect)

Conference Speakers, continued



Dr. Tarek El Sayegh, DDS, PhD, Cert. Perio.

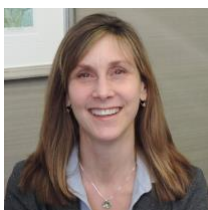
Assistant Professor, The University of Western Ontario

Private Specialist Practice, Waterloo, Ontario

Dr. El Sayegh has completed both his graduate Periodontics training and his PhD at the University of Toronto in 2007. For the past 15 years, he has been an Assistant Professor at The University of Western Ontario where he is involved in research, didactic and clinical teaching alongside practising periodontics and implant dentistry in his private practice. He is a fellow and an examiner of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. He has lectured at local, national and international venues.

This presentation will answer these questions:

- What clinical scenarios may warrant a soft tissue graft?
- What are the clinical scenarios that do not require any intervention?
- Are there different considerations around dental implants?
- What are the differences between the various approaches for soft tissue grafts?
- What is the cause of mucogingival deficiencies and how can they be avoided?
- How stable are soft tissue grafts and what are the expectations around recurrences?



Leslie Redmond

Assistant Dental Information Officer

Ontario Dental Association

As Assistant Dental Information Officer in the Practice Advisory Services Department of the Ontario Dental Association, Ms. Redmond provides technical expertise regarding the use of the ODA's Suggested Fee Guides to ODA members and their staff. In addition to matters related to procedural codes, she also provides support and direction to members on dental claims adjudication. Leslie graduated from George Brown College CDA and RDH programs and brings almost 40 years experience in both private and community dental practice to the ODA.

This presentation will outline:

- The processes related to the development and management the ODA Suggested Fee Guide for General Practitioners
- The services provided by ODA related to technical support and advice ensuring the correct use of the ODA Suggested Fee Guides
- The affiliation between the ODA, the ODA Suggested Fee Guides and the dental plan industry.

Canadian Association of Dental Consultants 2023 Conference Registration Form

October 13 – 15, 2023

Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton Hotel

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<http://www.waterlooStJacobs.hamptonbyhilton.com>

55 Benjamin Road
Waterloo, ON N2V 0C6



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As a non-profit organization we endeavor to offer our members the greatest value we can so we do not make a profit on this annual event.

When booking your room, tell the hotel that you are attending the CADC Symposium for the special rate of \$169 + taxes /night from October 12-15.

Delegate Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Tel: _____ Email: _____

Special Diet Requirements: _____

Registration Fees:

CADC Member Dentist/Associate \$375 / Non-Member Dentist \$575 / Day Rate \$150 / Spouse \$200

Registering (check all that apply):

CADC Member Dentist Non-Member Dentist Associate Member Spouse

Activities:

Friday late morning golf: Yes No With Spouse: Yes No

Friday welcome reception: Yes No With Spouse: Yes No

Saturday dinner & entertainment: Yes No With Spouse: Yes No

Sunday business meeting (CADC consultants only): Yes No

Please return this form with your cheque made payable to CADC to:

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