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Presentation Date: Tuesday 8 May 2018 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM & 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

Venue SMX CONVENTION CENTER MANILA Function Room 5

Presentation Title: A SIMPLIFIED APPROACH TO ESTHETICS

Direct composite restorative materials have evolved and improved significantly in recent times, to the extent of rivalling porcelain for restorations in the anterior dentition. These newer generation direct composite materials have also allowed a simplification of the clinical procedure while producing superior aesthetics outcomes that truly mimic the natural dentition. This short lecture aims to provide an update on the current trends and understanding of anterior direct bonded restorations. It also aims to introduce a simplified restorative technique that offers a beautiful alternative to ceramic restorations while being conservative, superbly aesthetics with an excellent longevity. This update will be interactive in nature and cases and scenarios commonly encountered daily in the contemporary dental practice will be presented.

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Presentation Date: Tuesday 8 May 2018 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM & 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Venue SMX CONVENTION CENTER MANILA Function Rooms 1 & 2

Presentation Title: THE SILVERWAVE: PRACTICAL STEPS FOR MANAGING YOUR AGING PATIENTS

With the silver wave approaching, the younger dentist plays an important role in the management of these patients in the wider community. Understanding that as a younger dentist, you have a major role in looking after these aging patients for the longer term. And traditional philosophies in general restorative dentistry may need to be modified as we cater for "the other factors" that affect the general health and needs of this population. This short lecture will address some of the experiences of the "younger" dentist and how diagnosis and treatment planning can change with the silver wave of patients attending general private practice. Also, some new and innovative techniques will be shown on how we can address problems when the aging patients are not suitable to undergo complex restorative dentistry.