

# 4th District CE Schedule

# 2025

- January 31

Newer than New:

Surprising Changes & Dental Inflation Busters

Dr. Peter Auster

Embassy Suites, Saratoga Springs, NY 8AM—4PM

- February 12

Child Abuse Reporting (mandate must complete by April 2025)

with Approved Provider John Vascillo 6—9 PM Webinar

- March 7

Local Oral Surgeon Panel

8 AM—Noon Webinar

Dr. Golaleh Barzani: Sleep Apnea

Dr. James Condry: Third Molar Updates

Dr. Seth Farren: Full Arch Reconstruction

Dr. Justin Kirkwood: Osteonecrosis of the Jaw

- March 31

A Pediatric Dental Refresher for the GP

6—9 PM venue tbd

Dr. Carla Tornatore & Dr. Dr. Shiri Greenberg,

- September 19

Risk Management

8—11AM Hiland Park Golf Course, Queensbury, NY

- October 3

CBCT Interpretation

8—11 AM Webinar with Dr. Doug Smail



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## Newer than New: Surprising Changes & Dental Inflation Busters

Dr. Peter Auster

Friday January 31 Embassy Suites Saratoga Springs, NY 8AM—4 PM  
\*lite breakfast & lunch included\*

Dental companies are leapfrogging over each other to introduce the next great product. Some are outright exciting; some are just ways to charge higher fees for tweaked products. Dr. Auster will help you decide which direction to go when adding better, more intuitive technologies and products to your dental world. Also, start to love dentistry: understanding and confronting “Dental Imposter Syndrome” and “Dental Burnout” 7CEs

### Learning Objectives:

Dive deeply into inflation-busting products, AI in Dentistry: the future is now, and it's amazing! Discover dozens of brand-new products that beat what you use: single shade composites, zirconia cements, temp cements, a MUCH better retraction paste; desensitizers; bulk fills; better bite materials; diode lasers; curing lights, scanners. Learn how injection molding and new “pressure molding” can fill your chairs and end down-time in your practice. Should you buy that scanner or 3D printer now? A veteran's report. What your lab should be telling you about scans. Learn how to beat imposter syndrome and start truly enjoying dentistry.

## NYS Updated Mandated Reporter Training- Child Abuse and Maltreatment

John Vassello LCSW Binghamton University, Department of Social Work Approved Provider

Wednesday February 12 Webinar 6—9 PM

Updated Mandated Reporter Training Requirements for ALL DDS, DMD & RDH Chapter 56 of the Laws of 2021 amended Social Services Law § 413 to require additional training to include protocols to reduce implicit bias in decision-making processes, strategies for identifying adverse childhood experiences, and guidelines to assist in recognizing signs of abuse or maltreatment while interacting virtually within the New York State Mandated Identification and Reporting of Child Abuse and Maltreatment/Neglect coursework.

This law requires that mandated reporters, including those who have previously undergone the current training, complete the updated training curriculum by **April 1, 2025**. 3.0 MCE Credits

Objectives: After completing the new training, mandated reporters will be able to

1. determine if a child shows indicators of maltreatment or abuse including in a virtual environment
2. Recognize the impact of trauma and adverse childhood experiences on children, families, and themselves.

## Local Oral Surgeon Panel

Friday March 7 8 AM—Noon Webinar 4CEs

**Dr. Golaleh Barzani:** Sleep Apnea

**Dr. James Condry:** Third Molar Updates

**Dr. Seth Farren:** Full Arch Reconstruction

**Dr. Justin Kirkwood:** Osteonecrosis of the Jaw

## A Pediatric Dental Refresher for the General Dentist

Monday, March 31 6pm-9:00pm tbd

Dr. Carla Tornatore and Dr. Shiri Greenberg,

Course Description: Pediatric dentistry is an age-defined specialty that provides comprehensive preventative and therapeutic oral health for infants and children through adolescence, including those with special health care needs. Refresh yourself in training the child to accept dentistry, restoring and maintaining the primary and permanent dentition applying preventive measures for dental caries and periodontal disease and identifying and treating or referring occlusal dysfunction in the primary or mixed dentition. 3CEs

Learning Objectives Prevention of caries, diet and nutrition, Behavior management , Pediatric special needs patient care, Education in treating mentally or physically challenged children, Pediatric anesthesia and pain control, Education related to relieving pain and gaining anesthesia in the pediatric population may use behavior modification or medications for anesthesia and pain control Trauma management in young permanent and primary dentition, Education on treating traumatized dentition in the young pediatric patient with primary or permanent dentition.

### Risk Management

Friday September 19 8:30—11:30 AM \*lite breakfast included\*

Dr. Frederick Wetzel

This course was developed, according to New York State laws and regulations, by dentists and attorneys whose experience extends to the fields of malpractice insurance and risk management in the dental environment. (Dentists, dental hygienists, and dental assistants would all benefit from the information in this course). Risk Management: New York State Dentists who complete this course will be entitled to a 10% discount on their liability premiums for a three (3) year period from the MLMIC Insurance Company. Other companies also accept this course for a discount. You are encouraged to check with your carrier concerning the availability of any discount. If you have not completed an approved Risk Management Program within the past three (3) years, it is necessary for you to take this course in order to continue to receive your discount. At the end of this course you will have the option to print your certificate of completion to submit to your malpractice carrier. 3 CEs

### CBCT Interpretation

Friday October 3 8—11 AM WEBINAR Dr. Doug Smail

- Continuing Education Committee

Dr. Christina Cocozzo, Dr. Golaleh Barzani  
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Friday, January 31 8AM – 4PM  
Embassy Suites, Saratoga Springs, NY Dentist \$260 Aux \$155 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
"Newer than New: Surprising Changes and Dental Inflation Busters" Dr. Peter Auster 7 CE's

Wednesday, February 12 Webinar 6 – 9 PM  
**Child Abuse Reporting** (complete by April 2025) Dentist \$50 Aux \$50 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
With Approved Provider John Vassello LCSW 3 CE's

Friday, March 7 8AM – Noon Webinar  
Local Oral Surgeon Panel Dentists \$200 Aux \$90 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
"Course Title" Drs. Barzani, Condry, Farren & Kirkwood 4 CE's

Monday March 31 6 – 9 PM  
Pediatric Dentistry Dentists \$120 Aux \$90 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
"A Pediatric Dental Refresher for the General Dentist" Dr. Carla Tornatore, 3 CE's

Friday, September 19 Hiland Park Golf Club, 9 AM  
**Risk Management** Dentist \$100 Aux \$90 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Hiland Park Golf Club, Queensbury, NY Dr. Frederick Wetzel 3 CE's

October Webinar CBCT Interpretation 8AM – 11AM Dentist \$150 Aux \$90 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Dr. Doug Smail 3 CE's

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