



HKDA Estate Dentists Group (EDG) – Continuing Education (CE) Course

HKDA EDG is delighted to present its upcoming CE Course with details as follows:

Date: Sunday, 12 July 2026

Time: 13:00 - 13:15 Registration
13:15 - 14:15 Lecture 1 by Prof. Kuo-feng Hung
14:15 - 15:15 Lecture 2 by Dr Alex Chan
15:15 - 15:30 Break with light refreshments
15:30 - 16:30 Lecture 3 by Dr Joan Wan
16:30 - 17:30 Lecture 4 by Dr Vicky Tsui

Venue: Michelle, 2/F, Eaton HK, 380 Nathan Road, Kowloon, Hong Kong
(Exit B1, Jordan MTR Station)

Medium: English

Accreditation: DCHK CPD points 4*

CDSHK CME/CPD points 4*

*(*The credit is pending confirmation.)*

Fee[^]: HK\$500 for HKDA paid-up members

HK\$1,500 for Non-HKDA members[#]

([^]All registration fees are non-refundable.

[#]The non-HKDA member rate also applies to non-HKDA paid-up members.)

Registration and Payment: To register, please either scan the QR code below or click this [link](#) to access online registration:





Remarks

- ✧ Admission is on a first-come, first-served basis.
- ✧ All reservations must be made by completing the Google form shown on page 1 of the flyer with a crossed cheque payable to “**Hong Kong Dental Association Ltd. Estate Dentists Group**” by **26 June 2026**. Payment is non-refundable. Incomplete registration may be automatically cancelled without prior notice.
- ✧ Successful registrants will be notified via email by **6 July 2026**.
- ✧ Reserved seats will be held for 15 minutes after the commencement of the lecture and may thereafter be released to walk-in participants subject to on-site seat availability. In the event of no-shows, payments made will be processed as an administrative charge.
- ✧ Due to copyright issues, private lecture recording is strictly prohibited.
- ✧ All the opinions expressed in the lecture are those of the speakers and may not necessarily reflect the official standpoints of HKDA on such topics.
- ✧ Members are encouraged to complete the evaluation form by scanning the available QR code at the reception counter.
- ✧ Please be reminded that those who enrol in the lecture are required to sign in and attend the lecture in person to obtain CPD credits. Those who do not fulfil this requirement will be denied CPD credits, and HKDA may report to the CPD administrator(s) concerned.

Arrangement for Distribution of Certificates of Attendance:

- ✧ Members could log in their accounts on the HKDA website to download the certificate of attendance 7 working days after the lecture. *(Please collect the manual for detailed instructions at the registration desk if necessary.)*
 - ✧ An administration fee of HK\$200 will be charged for the issuance of a PRINTED certificate of attendance upon member's request. All PRINTED certificates of attendance will be available for collection at the HKDA Office or by mail *(upon request)*.
 - ✧ For **non-HKDA members** who have fully settled the required fees, PRINTED certificates of attendance will be available for collection at the HKDA office or by mail after the lecture. *(Please provide the mailing address.)*
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Lecture 1 (13:15-14:15)

Topic: AI Imaging Applications in Dentistry: How Close Are We to Clinical Use?

Speaker: Prof. Kuo-feng Hung

Prof. Kuo Feng Hung is currently an Assistant Professor in Digital and Precision Dentistry at the Faculty of Dentistry, University of Hong Kong (HKU). His research interests include digital dental implant workflows, static and dynamic surgical navigation technologies, dental and maxillofacial diagnostic imaging, and the applications of artificial intelligence (AI) and radiomics in dentistry. Prof. Hung has published over fifty articles in peer-reviewed international journals, contributed six book chapters, and holds three patents in his field. He has led and participated in several image-based AI projects, developing diagnostic and prediction models for various oral, head, and neck diseases, including maxillary sinus pathologies, jaw lesions, tonsil cancer, and nasopharyngeal carcinoma. Prof. Hung serves as Associate Editor for Odontology and Radiology Research and Practice, and sits on the editorial boards of BMC Medical Imaging, BMC Oral Health, and Scientific Reports. He is a Fellow of the International Team for Implantology (ITI), and has been ranked among the world's top 2% scientists by Elsevier and the Stanford University.



Abstract:

Artificial intelligence (AI) is rapidly transforming many medical fields, including dentistry, creating exciting opportunities for innovation while also introducing new challenges. This talk will explore how current and emerging AI imaging technologies, including FDA-cleared dental AI devices, can be integrated into daily dental practice to support diagnostic decision-making and enhance clinical workflows. We will discuss how the next generation of AI may further refine the practice of dentistry and how these innovations are paving the way for more precise, personalized, predictive, and participatory patient care. Additionally, we will address crucial considerations regarding the ethical and legal use of AI in dental practice.



Lecture 2 (14:15-15:15)

Topic: Risk Management in Endodontics

Speaker: Dr Alex Chan

Dr Chan received his dental degree from the University of Hong Kong in 1990 and completed the Master's degrees in Conservative Dentistry and Health Services Management with Distinctions in 1993 and 1999, respectively. Dr Chan is the Fellow of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine, College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong (Specialty of Endodontics), Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons, and the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Edinburgh. Dr Chan is a registered Specialist in Endodontics in Hong Kong SAR.



Abstract:

Recent advances in instrument designs and endodontic techniques have made the treatment outcome more predictable, but not guaranteed. Successful and predictable root canal treatment requires special attention to many important factors, such as case selection, clinical diagnosis, root canal preparation, cleaning/disinfection, obturation and post-endodontic management and so on.

Moreover, dental claims related to endodontics are not uncommon. While a dentist may conform to the applicable standards of care in the performance of his or her clinical procedure, that alone will not prevent him or her from being subjected to a claim by the patient for an untoward result.

In this presentation, Dr Chan will discuss the factors affecting the treatment outcomes and the potential dento-legal problems in performing endodontic therapy.

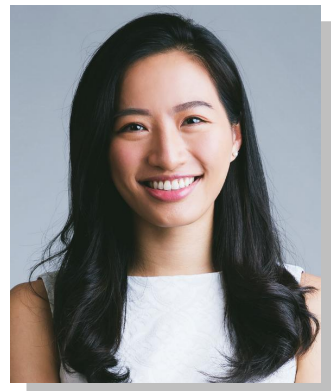


Lecture 3 (15:30-16:30)

Topic: The Dentist as a Communication Bridge in Obstructive Sleep Apnoea: Integrating Screening, Patient Counselling, and Multidisciplinary Collaboration

Speaker: Dr Joan Wan

Dr Joan Wan has completed her training in the Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery (OMFS) at the Prince Philip Dental Hospital (PPDH) / Queen Mary Hospital in 2024. She has attained the Master of Dental Surgery (OMFS) in 2021. She is currently an Honorary Clinical Assistant Professor in HKU and works as an Honorary Dental Officer in Queen Mary Hospital. She is also a current Honorary Secretary of the Hong Kong Society of Sleep Medicine. Dr Wan's special interest is in orthognathic surgery and management of obstructive sleep apnea. She has passed the American Board of Dental Sleep Medicine (ABDSM) certification examination in 2023 and is an International Certificant of the ABDSM. She initiated the formation of a Multidisciplinary Joint Sleep Clinic in the department for consultation and management of patients with obstructive sleep apnea requiring surgical treatment. She is also familiar with virtual surgical planning and self-designed patient-specific implants for orthognathic surgery.



Abstract:

Dentists are uniquely positioned to support the early identification and coordinated management of obstructive sleep apnoea (OSA), as routine dental examinations provide direct visualisation of craniofacial and upper airway features associated with the condition. Dentists play a critical role in screening, initiating discussions about risk, and guiding patients toward appropriate medical assessment. Effective communication is therefore essential. This includes explaining the limits of dental evaluation, emphasising the need for formal sleep testing, and outlining the multidisciplinary nature of OSA care involving respiratory medicine, otorhinolaryngology, psychiatry, and allied health professionals. An increasing number of patients now present directly to dental clinics seeking oral appliance therapy without prior diagnostic workup, creating a communication challenge that requires balancing patient expectations with evidence-based practice. Clear and empathetic counselling helps redirect these patients toward proper diagnostic pathways while maintaining trust and rapport. Equally important is structured interprofessional communication, in which dentists summarise clinical findings succinctly, understand the priorities of collaborating specialties, and contribute to shared decision making to ensure continuity of care. This presentation outlines practical communication strategies for dental practitioners, focusing on patient counselling, referral coordination, and effective engagement within multidisciplinary teams. Strengthening communication at each interface, from chairside interactions to interprofessional collaboration, enhances the safety, efficiency, and cohesiveness of OSA management.



Lecture 4 (16:30-17:30)

Topic: Integrating Orofacial Myofunctional Therapy and Early Orthodontic Intervention in Managing Children at Risk of Sleep-Disordered Breathing

Speaker: Dr Vicky Tsui

Dr Vicky Tsui graduated from the University of Hong Kong in 2001 and earned the Master of Orthodontics in 2007. She is a Fellow of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine in Dental Surgery and a Fellow of the College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong in Orthodontics.



Since 2019, she has trained in Orofacial Myofunctional Therapy (OMT). She further strengthened her dental sleep medicine expertise through the Mastery Program with the American Academy of Dental Sleep Medicine (AADSM) and Tufts University, earning the International Certificate of the ABDSM in 2020. Her clinical focus is integrating OMT with early orthodontic intervention to support children at risk of sleep-disordered breathing. She advocates early screening, prevention, and interdisciplinary collaboration to promote healthier breathing, growth, aesthetics, and long-term wellbeing.

To broaden impact, Dr Tsui runs seasonal OMT workshops for the Hong Kong Association for Cleft Lip and Palate and has spoken for three consecutive years at the Hong Kong Society of Paediatric Respiratory and Allergy. She recently presented at Advances in Paediatrics 2025 organized by CUHK. Her work empowers clinicians to recognise airway-related dysfunction and intervene proactively.

Abstract:

Early identification of sleep-disordered breathing (SDB) in children is critical, as airway dysfunction can influence craniofacial growth, occlusal development, and long-term health outcomes. Growing evidence supports using Orofacial Myofunctional Therapy (OMT) alongside early orthodontic intervention to improve airway stability, promote nasal breathing, and guide favorable craniofacial development during key growth periods. This presentation describes a clinically practical, growth-based framework for screening and managing young patients at risk of SDB. Drawing on current literature and real-world cases, the integration of OMT with interceptive orthodontic strategies addresses dysfunctional oral habits, tongue posture, and maxillofacial growth patterns that contribute to airway compromise. Emphasis is placed on recognizing early red flags, understanding craniofacial growth trajectories, and implementing timely interventions that support both structural and functional improvement.