

Continuing Education

The Dentistry and Oral Surgery Service at AERC is committed to the continuing education of veterinary professionals. We offer a variety of continuing education lectures and wet labs and can tailor a course to meet the specific needs of your hospital staff. Continuing education credits are available for many of our courses.

Lecture Topics

The Value of Veterinary Dental Radiographs

A one-hour PowerPoint lecture for clinics considering purchasing a dental radiography system or expanding the practice's current dental radiology services.

Dental Homecare Products

A one-hour PowerPoint lecture about dental home care techniques as well as tools for implementing an oral wellness plan in your practice.

Anesthetized Oral Examination and Charting of the Mouth

A one-hour PowerPoint lecture for veterinarians and staff to help improve the accuracy and efficiency of the oral exam and dental charting.

Tips & Techniques for Dental Extractions and Oral Surgery

A one-hour PowerPoint instructional lecture for veterinarians covering basic principles of dental extraction and oral surgery.

Regional Nerve Blocks for Oral Surgery and Dental Extractions

A one-hour PowerPoint instructional lecture for veterinarians and staff regarding the use of regional nerve blocks during dentistry and oral surgery.

Found a Broken Tooth: How Can I Help My Client Decide Between Extraction and Root Canal Therapy (RCT)?

A one-hour PowerPoint lecture for veterinarians and staff about disease progression of fractured teeth. Treatment options and outcomes are discussed as well as recommendations for care that can be provided at your clinic before referral.

Common Malocclusions in the Dog and Cat: What Should I Do with Them?

A one hour PowerPoint lecture with tips and techniques to diagnose malocclusions and discuss the importance of early intervention as well as treatment options with your client.

Wet Labs

Veterinary Dental Radiography

A two hour course (one-hour lecture, one-hour wet lab) for clinics starting dental radiology or wanting to expand their dental radiology services. Topics covered include: indications for dental radiographs, treatment planning, staff and patient safety, and patient positioning. During the wet lab portion of the course, the veterinarians will discuss in-depth dental radiograph interpretation with Dr. Brine and Dr. Vicari. At the same time, our dentistry technicians will help your technical staff with dental radiographic positioning and efficiency.

Regional Nerve Blocks for Oral Surgery and Dental Extractions

A two-hour course (one-hour PowerPoint lecture and one-hour wet lab) for veterinarians and staff regarding the use of regional nerve blocks during dentistry and oral surgery. Topics covered include: indications for oral regional nerve blocks, anesthetic agents and dosages, anatomical location of regional nerve blocks, and required equipment and materials.

If your hospital is interested in scheduling a CE event, please contact the Dentistry and Oral Surgery Service at Dentistry@aercmn.com