



A CENTRE FOR ADVANCED DENTAL EDUCATION SSG-FUNDED WORKSHOP SERIES

Management of Temporomandibular Disorders

Date & Time: Saturday, (6 April 2024), 0900 -1800 hr (8 CPE points)

Venue: NUCOHS L9 Auditorium

Target Audience: Dentists, Oral Health Therapists or Hygienists with relevant dental qualifications recognised by the Singapore Dental Council

Pre-requisite: Attended “Understanding Orofacial Pain” workshop

Temporomandibular Disorders (TMD) is the most common chronic painful condition in the orofacial region. Temporomandibular Disorders (TMD) is a multidimensional biopsychosocial experience requiring comprehensive and ongoing assessment and effective management.

Oral Healthcare Professionals play an essential role in the prevention, diagnosis and management of Temporomandibular Disorders (TMD). The comprehensive management of the patient, utilising the best evidence-based assessment and procedures will be presented. The course will allow them to provide an accurate diagnosis, recognise the more complex Temporomandibular Disorders (TMD) pain conditions, and initiate referrals to appropriate experts in managing such patients.

Hands-on practical assessment of the stomatognathic system will further their clinical skills in the management of patients in their daily clinical practice. The different treatment modalities, including interdisciplinary modalities will be discussed. The program adopts a biopsychosocial model for the diagnosis and management of Temporomandibular Disorders (TMD).

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Our Trainers



Dr Tan Hee Hon

Senior Lecturer
NUS Faculty of Dentistry,
Senior Consultant
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Dr Tan Hee Hon earned his Bachelor of Dental Surgery from the National University of Singapore (NUS) in 1989 and passed the entry examination for the Fellowship of the Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons (FRACDS) in 1993. He continued to pursue graduate training in Prosthodontics at NUS under the sponsorship of the Health Manpower Development Programme and completed his residency programme in 1995.

In 1999, Dr Tan spent a sabbatical year under sponsorship of the Health Manpower Development Programme for the Study of Orofacial Pain. After working at the Oral Medicine Department, School of Dentistry at the University of Washington, he returned to National Dental Centre and became the Head of Orofacial Pain Management Programme.

Dr Tan maintains his passion for education. His lecture topic comprises implant dentistry, advanced restorative dentistry, esthetic excellence and orofacial pain/temporomandibular disorder. He is appointed to be a trainer for NobelGuide Concept and Mentor for Nobel Biocare implants educational programme.

Dr Tan is also actively involved in public education for Oral Health – "To Put a Healthy Smile on Your Face".

In 2014, he joined his alma mater, NUS Faculty of Dentistry as a full-time academia to teach Prosthodontics and Orofacial Pain. He still maintains clinical practice at National University Hospital's University Dental Cluster which in 2019 began operating at National University Centre for Oral Health, Singapore (NUCOHS).

**Professor Chris Peck**

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Faculty of Dentistry

National University of Singapore

Prof Peck is an internationally renowned clinical pain researcher who works closely with fundamental researchers to help understand better the underlying mechanisms of persistent pain. He has been funded over the past two decades through Australia's National Health and Medical Research Council and has co-developed models explaining the impact of pain on normal function, brain mechanisms underlying persistent oral and facial pain and a standardised international classification of orofacial pain. He continues with international collaborations across Europe, Asia, and North and South America. This work is supported and disseminated through his clinical activities as an orofacial pain clinical expert where he works in interdisciplinary teams to help patients manage pain. He has led international research and clinical groups including the International Network for Orofacial Pain and Related Disorders and the Australian and New Zealand Academy of Orofacial Pain, resulting in improved research outcomes and clinical management.

Workshop Fees

	International Participants	Singapore Citizens	Singapore Citizens	Singapore PRs	Enhanced Training Support SMEs
		39 years old or younger	40 years old or older eligible for MCES		
Full Programme Fee	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00
Less: SSG Grant Amount	\$0.00	\$840.00	\$840.00	\$840.00	\$840.00
Nett Programme Fee	\$1,200.00	\$360.00	\$360.00	\$360.00	\$360.00
9% GST on Nett Programme Fee	\$108.00	\$32.40	\$32.40	\$32.40	\$32.40
Total Nett Programme Fee Payable, Including GST	\$1,308.00	\$392.40	\$392.40	\$392.40	\$392.40
Less Additional Funding if Eligible Under Various Schemes	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$240.00	\$0.00	\$240.00
Total Nett Programme Fee Payable, Including GST, after additional funding from the various funding schemes	\$1,308.00	\$392.40	\$152.40	\$392.40	\$152.40

👉 The programme fees have been revised to factor in the increase in Goods and Services Tax (GST) from 8 to 9 percent with effect from 1 January 2024.

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