# Flap Design & Suturing Workshop



Date: Sat, 28 February 2026

Time: 9:00am to 1:30pm

Venue: NUS Dentistry, Seminar Room 10-6

You will be awarded with 4 CPE Points.

#### Who is it for?

General Dental Practitioners

# Workshop Fees (incl. GST):

Early bird (by 31 Jan 2026): \$\$599.50

Regular: S\$654.00

# **Objectives**

- Although oral and dental surgery has been proven to be effective and predictable, several factors influence the success of the treatment outcomes. These include basic requirements, such as incision techniques, flap design and suturing practices.
- This Flap Design & Suturing Workshop is a half day program designed to review the concepts of surgery procedures & the principles of basic flap designs and flap closure.
- This practical, hands-on workshop—led by A/Prof Alvin Yeo and his team of skilled instructors—offers a step-by-step approach to basic, intermediate, and advanced suturing techniques.



Register and mark down in your calendar.



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#### Associate Professor Alvin B.K. Yeo

- Associate Professor, Faculty of Dentistry, National University of Singapore (NUS)
- Director of the Postgraduate Residency Program in Periodontics (NUS)
- Chairperson, Periodontics MDS Specialist Committee (NUS)
- Senior Consultant, National University Centre of Oral Health Singapore (NUCOHS)

Prof. Alvin Yeo is currently working as an Associate Professor and Senior Consultant at the National University of Singapore (NUS) and National University Centre of Oral Health Singapore (NUCOHS) respectively. He assumes the position of Director of the Postgraduate Residency Program in the Department of Periodontics at the National University of Singapore. In addition, he is currently a member of the Dental Specialist Accreditation Council (DSAC) in Periodontics assigned to conduct exit assessments and recommendations for new Periodontist specialist accreditation.

He graduated in Periodontics at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA in 2003 with a Certificate in Periodontics and a Masters of Science (MS) degree in Oral Biology. He received his Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) degree from the NUS in 1997. He was conferred Fellow in the Academy of Medicine, Singapore (FAMS) in 2007. He was awarded a Doctorate of Philosophy (PhD) from the University of Groningen, Netherlands after successfully defending his PhD thesis in March 2010 entitled "Novel Polycaprolactone-Tricalcium Phosphate (PCL-TCP) Scaffolds Customized for Reconstruction of Dentoalveolar Deformities."



Prof. Yeo's major clinical and research interests include the evaluation of novel biomaterials and scaffolds for dentoalveolar ridge augmentation and dental implant related therapy. In addition, he has extensive clinical experience in the management of periodontal disease both surgically and nonsurgically. Prof. Yeo held several positions in organizations and committees locally and internationally. Prof. Yeo had been extremely active and is part of the Founding member and the Leadership Team of the ITI South East Asia (SEA) Section formed in 2011. He assumed the role of ITI SEA Section Education Delegate from 2011-2015 and was past-Chairperson the ITI SEA Section from 2016-2019. Prof Yeo sits on the Editorial Advisory Board of the "Journal of Periodontology" and is also a member of Editorial Board of the "ITI Forum Implantologicum" publication.



Dr Jacob Chew
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Dr Jacob Chew is an Academic Fellow at the NUS Faculty of Dentistry and an Associate Consultant in Periodontics at the National University Centre of Oral Health, Singapore. He earned his Bachelor of Dental Surgery in 2014 and his Masters of Dental Surgery in 2019, both from the National University of Singapore, and is trained in the discipline of Periodontics.

Dr Chew's work integrates patient care, education, and research, with a focus on precision dentistry and evidence-based practice. His research interests span precision periodontics, the Periodontal microbiome, the oral-systemic link, and periodontal and peri-implant regeneration. He contributes to research groups in Microbiology and Immunology and Precision Dentistry, advancing insights that inform personalised risk assessment and targeted therapies. Committed to improving oral health outcomes, he aims to bridge research and clinical innovation to enhance regenerative solutions and long-term periodontal care.





Dr Ong Ding Sen Instructor, NUS Faculty of Dentistry

Dr Ong Ding Sen obtained his Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) from the National University of Singapore (NUS) in 2020. He is currently undertaking his specialist training in Periodontology in the Master of Dental Surgery (MDS) programme at NUS, where he also holds an Instructor appointment in the Discipline of Periodontics.

His clinical interests include periodontal regeneration, soft and hard tissue reconstruction, and implant therapy, as well as the integration of periodontology in holistic patient care. He is also actively involved in research focusing on the systemic links to periodontal disease.

Dr Ong is committed to fostering patient-centred care and believes in empowering individuals to take proactive steps toward maintaining their periodontal health, with the goal of breaking the cycle of periodontal breakdown and tooth loss.



# NUS Dentistry Course Registration, Payment, Withdrawal, and Cancellation Guidelines

#### 1. Registration

- Application Processing: All applications are processed strictly on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Notification Period: Applicants will receive an email containing course details and payment instructions within one (1) week of submitting their application.
- Confirmation of Enrolment: Enrolment is deemed confirmed only upon full receipt of the course fee by NUS Dentistry.

#### 2. Payment

- Mode of Payment: Course fees are payable via PayNow.
- GST Inclusion: All published course fees are inclusive of the prevailing Goods and Services Tax (GST).

#### 3. Withdrawals and Refunds

#### 3.1 Withdrawal Procedure

- Participants must submit their withdrawal request in writing via email.
- All required supporting documents must be provided via email after the submission of the withdrawal request.

# 3.2 Refund Policy

- More than 30 Days Before Course Commencement (i.e., before 30 Jan 2026):
   Participants are eligible for a full refund
- Within 30 Days of Course Commencement or Non-Attendance (No-Show):
   No refund will be granted. Participants remain fully liable for the full course fee.

# 4. Amendments, Cancellations or Postponements by NUS Dentistry

- NUS Dentistry reserves the right to cancel, reschedule, or amend course dates at its discretion.
- In the event of a course cancellation: A full refund of the course fee will be issued to all registered participants.
- Liability for Expenses: NUS Dentistry shall not be responsible for any travel, accommodation, or other expenses incurred by participants as a result of course cancellation or postponement.

