



Dr. Hood is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Department of Orthodontic, Pediatric, and Geriatric Dentistry at the University of Louisville School of Dentistry in Louisville, Kentucky. He has dedicated the majority of his professional life to the care of patients with neurodevelopmental disorders and intellectual disabilities.

He created and serves as the Program Director for the Developmental Dentistry Fellowship Program at the University of Louisville School of Dentistry, a one-year, PGY-1 postdoctoral fellowship, focused exclusively on the dental care of patients with neurodevelopmental disorders.

He is the co-creator of the Hazelwood Study, an ongoing, multi-phasic research program, focused on solving clinical problems that serve as barriers to delivering quality health care to patients with neurodevelopmental disorders. The Hazelwood Study has won seven research awards, and has produced book chapters and scientific monographs published in the United States, Great Britain, Germany and Japan.

Dr. Damm is a Professor of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology at the University of Kentucky College of Dentistry in Lexington, KY. Dr. Damm has been a Diplomate in the American Board of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology since 1982 and is a Past-President of the American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology.

He has authored over 100 publications in dental journals and is co-author of two popular textbooks, *Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology* and *Color Atlas of Clinical Oral Pathology*. His photographic expertise is illustrated well in these textbooks and his presentations. Dr. Damm's teaching style is entertaining and oriented to the practical aspects of dentistry. Since his arrival at UK, he has received the Best Instructor award from the graduating class on 14 occasions. He also was recipient of the 2002 Great Teacher Award presented by the UK Alumni Association of the main campus of the University of Kentucky. Dr. Damm has an active practice in both clinical and histopathologic oral pathology.

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**“Pathology and
 Special Needs
 Patients”**

March 16th -18th 2012

Nashville, Tennessee
 Presented by

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Course Description and Objectives

Pathology/ Photography Description

Dr. Damm's portion of the course will concentrate on oral and maxillofacial pathoses that are encountered on a regular basis by health care practitioners. The discussions are presented in a format that ensures easy utilization of the information; and all of those in attendance are encouraged to participate and ask questions related to their previous experiences with these pathologic conditions. High quality clinical photographs are used extensively to clarify and explain thoroughly each included disease process.

Course Objectives

1. Recognize and appropriately manage patients with dental needs secondary to methamphetamine abuse.
2. Understand the potential gnathic complications secondary to utilization of bisphosphonate medications
3. Appropriately manage patients utilizing oral or intravenous bisphosphonates
4. Understand the long-term potential danger of impacted teeth
5. Recognize the impact of age on the benefit/risk ratio for surgical removal of impacted teeth
6. Appropriately classify symptomatic oral ulcerations and erosions
7. Formulate an accurate differential diagnosis of oral ulcerations and erosions
8. Arrive at an accurate definitive diagnosis of oral ulcerations and erosions
9. Appropriately manage patients with oral ulcerations and erosions

10 Understand the long-term outlook for patients affected with a variety of oral ulcerations and erosions

Special Needs

Dr. Hood will spend Friday speaking about technique for treating Special Needs Patients and options for treatment for general dentists. New cases of neurodevelopmental illness associated with intellectual disabilities (ND/ID), occurring in the general American population outnumber new cases of HIV by a factor of ten, blindness by a factor of fifty, and deafness by a factor of twenty-five. These facts notwithstanding, recent studies demonstrate significant deficiencies in formal professional training focused on the care of patients with ND/ID in our nation's medical and dental schools.

Two separate surveys – one, a survey of dental students recently published in the *Journal of the American Dental Association*; and the other, a survey of American medical students conducted by the American Academy of Developmental Medicine and Dentistry and Exceptional Parent Magazine - have revealed almost identical findings: approximately half of graduating dentists and physicians report receiving no formal didactic instruction in the care of patients with ND/ID; approximately half report receiving no clinical training; and, although 79% of medical and dental students surveyed expressed an interest in caring for this patient population, fully 75% admitted feeling inadequately trained to do so.

In response to these disparities in professional education, Dr. Henry Hood and the Tennessee Academy of General Dentistry are pleased to offer *Concepts in Special Patient Care*, a lecture series focused exclusively on the dental patient with special needs.

Course Objectives:

- Review pathology covered on board exams
- Techniques clinical photography
- Techniques for dealing with patients with special needs in the general dentist office.

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Name _____
AGD/ADA number _____

Address _____
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Master Track Course Fee: **\$1,100** includes Saturday Dinner \$1,195 after January 27th. MAGD pay \$555 for half credits if space available.

Full Refunds for cancellation with 14 day notice before course begins or if course is canceled for any reason, \$50 administrative fee within 13 days notice.

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This course will partially satisfy the requirements for the Academy of General Dentistry's necessary participation hours for Mastership application in the discipline of Special Needs and Pathology with completion of homework presentation., lecture without.

You **do not** have to have been present at any previous MasterTrack programs to attend this seminar nor are you committing yourself

to future programs by attending this seminar. You will receive 23 course hours for the three-day seminar and an up to an additional 23 hours for the homework presentation when presented within a one-year period **(730) Pathology9 – 8 hrs, (138) Photography 4hrs, Operative 3hr, and (750) Special needs 8 hrs. All credit is applied as participation credit if homework presented within a year, lecture without.**

Rooms are blocked at the **Holiday Inn Airport- Briley Pkwy** at the group rate of \$99 per night. This hotel is very close to many shopping and nice restaurants. I encourage everyone to stay there. Reservations can be made by calling the hotel direct at 1 (615) 883-9770 and ask for in-house reservations. Identify yourself as a group reservation with the Tennessee Academy of General Dentistry. We will start at 8 am to 5pm Friday/ Saturday and Sunday 8am to 12pm in the Ocoee Room 2nd floor.

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Previous Master Track participants please plan to arrive on Thursday night at 7:00pm for homework presentations in the Boardroom 2nd floor. Have your slides or PowerPoint presentations ready to go. Please limit your presentations to 20 minutes. For those who cannot arrive on Thursday evening, we will continue presentations on Friday evening