Annual OSHA-Mandated Update for Dentists, Hygienists and Staff: What You Need to

Know to Comply with the Law Presented by PETER MYCHAJLIW, D.D.S.

OSHA 29CFR Part 1910.1030 States: Personnel Subject to Occupational Exposure Should Receive infection control training (OSHA employee safety) on Initial Assignment, When New Tasks or Procedures Affect Their Occupational Exposure, and <u>at a Minimum Annually.</u>

Updated information on COVID-19, Bird Flu, Measles, M- Pox, Syphilis,.and other pertinent pathogens will be discussed. UPDATED OSHA POSTERS, EMPLOYEE SAFETY DATA SHEET QUICK CARDS, GLOVE/MASK Requirements

This Course Requirement is Separate from the NYS Mandatory Infection Control Re-Licensure Requirement of Every Four Years for Dentists and Hygienists.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES & GOALS: The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is responsible for ensuring safe working conditions for all employees.

In 2016, OSHA made a **major update to the MSDS/SDS** (material safety data sheets/ now safety data sheets) labeling requirements and employee training that required mandatory office compliance after June 1, 2016, including additional documentation requirements. OSHA constantly develops new solutions and standards to protect employees from injury and illness. It is the **responsibility of employers to stay up-to-date on any OSHA changes** to aid in compliance, or face possible fines and costly claims that could lead to lawsuits. **Dentists, and their employees should update themselves at least annually** and place appropriate documentation into their office manuals.

The **goal of this course is to inform attendees of the OSHA changes**. The mandatory updates will be discussed in detail that will help guide the practitioner, hygienist and staff comply with the mandate that was instituted in 2016, and other changes that have occurred after that date.

<u>OFFICE STAFF ATTENDANCE OPTION:</u> Practitioners are encouraged to bring their staff members to the meeting (live or virtually) to facilitate compliance; <u>otherwise</u>, <u>practitioners must fabricate their own document acknowledging dissemination of this update to their staff and place such documentation into the office manual.</u>

***If an employer brings staff to the meeting a separate employer/employee training attestation document (that the employer and staff will sign or attest to virtually at the end of the course depending on venue) will be given or emailed to the employer to place into their office manual. Employers and their employees must be present together (live or virtually). Employees must be linked to employer practice location. Employer address and email must be provided.

EDUCATION METHODS: In order to provide an effective learning experience, Dr. Mychajliw will be utilizing a slide presentation, providing reference links to educational materials, and a live question and answer session review opportunity.

DISCLAIMER: Please be aware that any information in the course or questions, communications are NOT to be taken as legal or authoritative advice and that health care professionals are ultimately themselves fully responsible for ADHERING TO THE MOST CURRENT INFECTION CONTROL/OSHA STANDARDS or any action that they deem to take or refrain from taking in these matters.

DATE: Wednesday December 3, 2025, 10am-Noon (2 ce credits)

PLACE: 150 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge NY, 11788 Lower Level Media Center

COST: ADA members \$150; Dental Staff \$50; non-ADA dentists \$300



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Bio: Peter A. Mychajliw DDS

Dr. Peter Mychajliw received his D.D.S. degree from the New York University College of Dentistry with multiple clinical honors in 1987. He then completed a two year hospital based General Practice (Chief) Residency (LIJ Med Ctr) and subsequently entered private practice Dr. Mychajliw has served as General Practice Residency Program Director, Implant Prosthodontics Section Head and Infection Control Officer at the LIJ Medical Center (Northwell Health) for 17 years.

Dr. Mychajliw has developed extensive knowledge in global vision evidence based patient centered best practice comprehensive dental care delivery, including dental implants, to challenging diverse patient profiles such as medically/physically/ psychologically compromised patient populations. His expertise also includes the dental management of cardiac, radiation oncology, HIV, special needs patients, chemically addicted, among others. He continues to advocate for health equity and to promote diversity and inclusion in Dentistry in institutional and private sector settings.

Dr. Mychajliw is an active full-time NYU Dentistry faculty for over 16 years and serves dual clinical/teaching roles as the Director of the Advanced Comprehensive Care Elective Course Program and as an Assistant Group Practice Director. He also served as Associate Director of the NYU-Langone AEGD Post Graduate Program- NYU College of Dentistry Campus for six years and on the NYU Committee on Academic Review, CODA teams, NYU Alumni Board of Directors and Standards and Faculty Development Commission.

Dr. Mychajliw currently serves on the NYU Faculty Council, Executive Panel of the NYU Academy of Distinguished Educators, Humanitarian Council, NYU Faculty Awards Committee and is a Life active member of the ADA and the NYU Dentistry Omicron Kappa Upsilon Omega Chapter. He also serves as permanent AGD PACE Continuing Education Administrator for The NY Academy of Oral Rehabilitation.

Dr. Mychajliw has served on several medical center committees including Infection Control and Quality Management and as Infection Control Officer in institutional settings. He is currently on the Board of Directors and CE Committees of the Nassau County Dental Society. He also served on the of the Greater Long Island Dental Meeting Committee, past NYSDA Alternate Delegate, President of The NY Academy of Oral Rehabilitation, and is Past Chairperson of the ADEA Clinical Simulation Section.

Dr. Mychajliw is a Fellow of The NY Academy of Medicine, American College of Dentists, The NY Academy of Oral Rehabilitation and The Long Island Academy of Odontology, Pierre Fauchard Academy and member of The NYU Dentistry's Academy of Distinguished Educators. He holds a New York State dental enteral conscious sedation license.

Dr. Mychajliw has lectured/mentored extensively in the areas of dental implants, hospital/medically complex dental rehabilitation, global vision treatment planning and communication, dental materials, evidence based patient centered best practice protocols, inter/intra-professional collaboration, literature analysis, critical thinking concepts as well as mandated Infection Control/OSHA requirements for the dental professions since 1990. He has also authored several peer reviewed publications.

Dr. Mychajliw is a NYS Department of Health licensed Infection Control Trainer and Stop the Bleed American College of Surgeons/ US Department of Defense HomeLand Security course instructor.

Dr. Mychajliw's other interests include: fly fishing, motorcycle touring and environmental/climate stewardship