TMD: A practical approach to diagnosis and treatment

Synopsis: Temporomandibular disorder is an umbrella term which encompasses a number of pathologies associated with the masticatory system. This presentation will take a fresh look the contributing factors, diagnostic techniques and treatment modalities based on current evidence and the new RCDSO guidelines.

Learning Goals:
1) To understand the pathophysiology which contribute to TMD.
2) To be able to diagnose different presentations of TMD.
3) To understand the role of conservative and surgical treatment modalities.
4) To effectively manage TMD cases within the RCDSO guidelines.

Office Oral Surgery, Tips & Tricks

This presentation will focus on how to do common surgical procedures faster and better. How to avoid pitfalls and how to deal with sequelae and complications. Topics covered will include extractions with the intent of placing implants, recognizing which wisdom teeth are straight forward and which are not, simple socket preservation and grafting techniques as well as an introduction to PRP.

Objectives:
1) To learn how to approach extractions, wisdom teeth and grafting.
2) To identify cases to avoid before you start.
3) To understand and deal with common sequelae and complications.

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