

## **Nitrous Oxide-Oxygen Sedation for Dentists & Dental Hygienists Friday & Saturday, July 24 - 25, 2015**

### **Course Description**

This 14-hour continuing education course provides a study of anxiety and pain management techniques used in dental care. Components of pain, pain control mechanisms and nitrous oxide-oxygen sedation are included. The participant will practice administering nitrous oxide-oxygen sedation to a partner in a supervised clinical setting.

This continuing education course is designed to fulfill the educational requirement for dental hygienists to obtain a permit from the Oregon Board of Dentistry to administer nitrous oxide under the indirect supervision of a licensed dentist. This continuing education course has been approved by the Oregon Board of Dentistry.

Participants must attend all 14 hours of the course and demonstrate competency in administration of nitrous oxide prior to receive a certificate of completion.

### **Course Format**

This course includes 2 hours of self-study with online exam that must be completed prior to the start of the course. The Friday session will include 8 hours of classroom instruction. The Saturday session will include 4 hours of clinical instruction with participants administering nitrous oxide-oxygen sedation to a partner under the direct supervision of faculty instructors.

Light breakfast and lunch are included on Friday. Full breakfast is included on Saturday.

On-Site Course Dates	Friday	July 24, 2015	8:30am – 12:30pm
	*Friday	July 24, 2015	1:00pm – 5:00pm
	Saturday	July 25, 2015	8:30am – 12:30pm

\*Nitrous Permit holders: The July 24 session from 1:00-5:00 PM is designed to meet the continuing education requirements for Nitrous Oxide Permit holders, per OAR 818.026-0040(9).

### **Nitrous Oxide Permit**

Dental hygienists in Oregon must obtain a nitrous oxide permit from the Oregon Board of Dentistry in order to administer nitrous oxide-oxygen sedation to patients under the indirect supervision of a licensed dentist. For additional information on obtaining a nitrous oxide permit, visit [www.oregon.gov/dentistry](http://www.oregon.gov/dentistry).

### **Course Requirements**

- Participants must submit a copy of their current dental or dental hygiene license or proof of graduation from an accredited dental school or dental hygiene program prior to the start of the course. Dental hygiene students must submit proof of current enrollment in a dental hygiene program.
- Participants must submit a completed health history form prior to the start of the course.
- Participants must purchase and read the textbook *Handbook of Nitrous Oxide & Oxygen Sedation* by Clark and Brunick, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition and pass an online exam on this material prior to the start of the course.

### **Class Size**

- A minimum of 4 participants is required to conduct this course. The maximum for any section of this course is 12. (over)

**Faculty**

- Gail Aamodt, RDH, MS
- Kathryn Bell, RDH, MS

**Course Location**

Pacific University College of Health Professions, Dental Health Clinic, 222 SE 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Hillsboro, OR 97123. Ample free parking is located in the parking structure 1 block south of the College, between SE 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Avenues and SW Washington and SW Oak Streets. [Hillsboro Campus Map](#)

Course Fee	Registration Fee	Alumni
Full Nitrous Oxide Training course, 14 hours 2 hours didactic to read textbook and take online exam Friday July 24 from 8:30am – 5:00pm Saturday July 25 from 8:30am – 12:30pm Includes materials, 2 breakfasts and 1 lunch	\$450.00	\$425.00
Nitrous Holders * 4 hours lecture Friday, July 24 from 1:00pm – 5:00pm	\$75.00	\$70.00
Nitrous Permit Holders lab only Saturday July 25 from 8:30am – 12:30pm Includes Materials and breakfast	\$350.00	\$335.00
Total		

**Registration**

Space is limited. Registration is first come, first serve. A minimum of 4 participants are required to conduct this course.

**Day(s) of Course**

Please dress in scrubs. Bring personal protective eyewear and textbook.

**Refunds**

Registration fees will be refunded in full if this course is cancelled by Pacific University Continuing Education. Refunds less \$25 administration fee will be granted up to and including July 17. Beginning July 18, 2015 refunds will be granted less \$25 administration fee only in very limited circumstances and by approval. No refunds will be granted for partial attendance in this course.

[Online Registration](http://www.pacificu.edu/future-graduate-professional/colleges/college-health-professions/continuing-education/live-courses-conferences) or go to: <http://www.pacificu.edu/future-graduate-professional/colleges/college-health-professions/continuing-education/live-courses-conferences> and select this course.

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