

Transgender DENTAL HEALTH 101:

Understanding and Supporting Your Trans Patients and Families



Learning Objectives:

- Define and differentiate between sex and gender
- Discuss the proper use of pronouns and their importance
- Recognize barriers to care and common oral risk factors in the transgender community
- Explore strategies and best practices for creating a welcoming dental practice environment for transgender patients and their families

Suggested Audience:
All Dental Professionals

Suggested Format:
Partial Day;
Lecture

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Does the concept of preferred pronouns confuse you? Are you worried you'll say the wrong thing to your trans or gender non-conforming patient? Is your office environment one where patients feel safe to refer all of their friends and family?

Join Amanda Hill, RDH, mother of a transgender daughter, as she discusses the transgender population and their families, what it all means, and why, regardless of your patient population, you should care.

By the end of this course, participants will have an understanding of what it means to be transgender. Be better equipped to address the specific oral health needs of trans patients. And possess the knowledge to establish a practice that fosters inclusivity and respect for all individuals, regardless of their gender identity or expression.



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