BASCD Autumn Scientific Meeting

Re-Scaling the Dental Recall?

15th November 2018

Cavendish Conference Centre, London
Introduction

The regular dental recall has been a cornerstone of dental care for centuries. The evidence for the traditional 6 monthly recall was challenged back in 1977 by Professor Aubrey Sheiham in a paper in the Lancet. Yet it was not until 2004 that NICE (National Institute for Health and Care Excellence) recommended patient focused risk based intervals.

In our meeting we are going to be looking at a number of major dental studies that have a bearing on the timing of the dental recall. These are; the IQuaD study which compares the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of personal oral hygiene advice or scaling at different time intervals; the FICTION trial which examines 3 approaches to caries management in children and the INTERVAL study which examines the effect of 3 different recall strategies. We will also be looking at the RAINDROP study which focuses on economic tools for resource allocation in dentistry. Looking to the future we will have a presentation on digital dentistry as well as selection of members presentations and posters.

I hope that you will join us on what should be an interesting and stimulating day.

Derek Richards
BASCD President

Aim:

To consider the findings of recent UK national research projects and their impact on practice and policy.

Learning outcomes:

By the end of the conference participants will:

- Have a greater awareness of the challenges of research in primary dental care
- Be able to describe the key findings of the IQuaD, FICTION and INTERVAL studies
- Recognise the potential policy implications of the findings of the studies
- Understand the value of economic tools in aiding resource allocation in dental policy making
Programme – Thursday 15th November 2018

9.00 am  Registration, tea and coffee

9.45 am  Welcome
Derek Richards, BASCD President

09.50 am  The Challenge of Research in Primary Dental Care
Beatriz Goulao & Prof. Jan Clarkson

10.25 am  IQUAD – Probing the six-monthly Scale and Polish
Thomas J Lamont

11.00 am  Tea and coffee

11.40 am  FiCTION (Filling Children’s Teeth: Indicated Or Not)
Prof. Gail Douglas, University of Leeds

12.10 pm  What interval: The risk adjusted dental recall
Prof. Jan Clarkson & Beatriz Goulao

12.40 pm  Economic tools in dental policy making
Dr Christopher Vernazza, Clinical Lecturer/NIHR Clinician Scientist, Paediatric Dentistry, School of Dental Sciences, Newcastle University

1.10 pm  Lunch and Networking

2.10 pm  Presentation of Keith Woods Essay prize
Derek Richards, BASCD President

2.15 pm  Re-Scaling the Dental Recall - Panel discussion
Prof. Jan Clarkson, Prof. Gail Douglas, Beatriz Goulao, Thomas J Lamont, Dr Christopher Vernazza

2.55 pm  Members presentations

3.15 pm  Digital Dentistry
Tashfeen Kholasi, Clinical Lead for Digital Dental Interoperability, UEC & Digital Technologies NHSE Clinical Fellow, HEE

3.30 pm  Tea and coffee

3.45 pm  Consultant & Specialists Group Business Meeting

4.45 pm  Close
Directions

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