

# Periodontal Hard & Soft Tissue Surgical Procedures

1 Hour CDE Credit

Clinical Excellence Series 2023: Presented by Zufall Health and Delta Dental



## MEET THE SPEAKER

Thomas Scorziello, DMD, is a licensed dentist in the state of New Jersey and a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology (AAP). He completed both his doctor of dental medicine degree and periodontal training at the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey – New Jersey Dental School, now Rutgers School of Dental Medicine. He teaches both didactic and clinical periodontics part-time at Rutgers School of Dental Medicine and maintains a private practice. He is also a clinical attending at Zufall Health and participates in resident training. Scorziello lectures locally in New Jersey and has given numerous periodontal lectures in Germany. He is currently a member of the AAP and the American Board of Periodontology, and is a two-time recipient of the AAP 2014 Educator Award for Excellence in Teaching and Mentoring in Periodontics.



Wednesday, May 3, 2023



6:00 - 7:00 PM EST (one hour)

- 6:00 - 6:05: Introduction
- 6:05 - 7:00: Educational Content



Zoom Events (Registration required and space is limited)



Free; dental credits offered

## OVERVIEW

This course for dentists, dental hygienists, and dental assistants will review how periodontal disease affects both the hard and soft tissue. In addition, the course will show how surgical procedures can be used to treat periodontal disease by removing diseased tissue, as well as how hard and soft tissues that are decreased by periodontal disease can be augmented.

## OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this program, participants will be able to:

1. Understand how gingival inflammation leads to destruction of bone and gingival tissue.
2. Describe the basic need for periodontal flap surgery to treat periodontal disease.
3. Discuss the indications for bone grafting to restore lost hard tissue.
4. Explain the indications and contraindications for removal of gingival tissue when a soft tissue discrepancy occurs.

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