



# POLISH AMERICAN MEDICAL SOCIETY DENTAL STUDY CLUB

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**DR. PETRA von HEIMBURG**

## FEATURED SPEAKERS



**DR. ZAKARIA MESSIEHA**

### “Changes in the Dental Practice Act”

Petra von Heimburg, DDS, JD is both a practicing dentist and a practicing attorney. She represents and advises dentists exclusively, in all dental practice matters, including licensure issues, defense and litigation, practice sales and purchases, compliance programs, etc. In addition, Dr. von Heimburg lectures extensively about legal issues affecting dentistry. She is a delegate to the Illinois State Dental Society, secretary of the Chicago Dental Society Benefits Committee and treasurer of the Northwest Suburban Branch.

### “Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office”

Zakaria Messieha, DDS is highly regarded in the field of dental anesthesia. He has lectured internationally on sedation techniques for all types of patients; and won awards for his research and authored several articles in his field of expertise. Dr. Messieha is now the President & Clinical Director of the Office Anesthesiology & Dental Consultants, PC and Associate Professor of Anesthesiology, University of Illinois at Chicago.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Enforcing that the Illinois Dental Practice Act is not static and that a dental professional has to stay informed about its changes;
- Understanding the amendments which have been recently made;
- Being able to incorporate the changes into one's professional practice and adapting one's practice style to the changes.
- Learning the importance of the outline of emergency preparedness in the dental office;
- Discussing the basic set-up for emergency equipment and emergency response team;
- Emphasizing the importance of response team training and preparedness;
- Reviewing dental emergencies following an organized systematic approach.

**DATE:** Friday, March 26, 2010

**TIME:** 6:30pm – 9:30pm

**LOCATION:** Café La Cave Restaurant  
2777 Manheim Road  
Des Plaines, IL 60018  
(847) 827-7818

**FEE:** \$65.00 & \$45.00 for PAMS members  
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