AAOP 42nd
Scientific Meeting

Evidence Based Treatment for Orofacial Pain:
Consensus or Controversy

April 26-29, 2018

Hilton Palmer House Hotel

Chicago, Illinois
On behalf of the planning committee of the American Academy of Orofacial Pain’s 42nd annual scientific meeting, it is my honor to invite you to the elegant Palmer House Hotel in Chicago, Illinois from April 26-29, 2018 for this exciting meeting; Evidence-Based Treatment for Orofacial Pain: Consensus or Controversy. The theme was chosen in recognition of the controversies that can exist concerning the standards of care for our discipline. Scientific advances are stimulating rapid and significant changes in our knowledge of orofacial pain etiologies and treatment modalities. It is incumbent upon us as clinicians, educators, and researchers who manage orofacial pain to be current with these evolving developments. The knowledge gained will alter our professional daily activities, ultimately providing the patients we serve with enhanced evidence based care.

We have assembled well-recognized speakers from both dentistry and medicine to enlighten us with their expertise regarding the controversies and new insights which exist in the practice of orofacial pain management. The program offers updates on diagnostic testing for neuropathic pain, arthralgia, myalgia, and imaging with CBCT and functional MRIs. Recommendations for needle and occlusal therapies and medications for CRPS and other orofacial problems are part of the program. This meeting will feature robust speaker panel discussions mediated by four visionary orofacial pain educators; Dr Eric Schiffman, Dr Jim Fricton, Dr Gary Klasser, and Dr Jeff Okeson.

The breakfast and lunchtime sessions include treatment topics to expand one's practice; Botox, vertigo, headaches, cannabis, and sphenopalatine ganglion blocks. Each day one of these sessions is dedicated to the business side of an orofacial pain practice. In addition, we are offering three great preconference sessions. These include a Physical Therapy review course coordinated by our AAOP PT members and featuring as the primary speaker Cesar Fernandez de las Penas, PT, DO, PhD from Spain. Dr. James Fricton and Dr. Joseph Cohen will present an outstanding course on the Economics of Running an Orofacial Pain Practice. Lastly, there is again a Sleep Medicine Course from our AAOP Sleep Apnea cadre led by Dr. Elmer Villalon and Dr. Mariona Mulet which is appropriate for both the new sleep apnea provider and those more experienced in providing treatment with dental sleep apnea appliances.

Our program strives to provide a translational approach to education where we bridge the gap between basic science and clinical applicability for all practitioners, both experienced and those just beginning their careers in orofacial pain management.

We look forward to meeting you in Chicago at the Palmer House Hotel. The Palmer House Hotel is an ideal venue for this meeting. It is a hotel restored to the opulence of Chicago in the 1850s and is centrally located in the best part of downtown Chicago. We feel that we have invited the very best presenters to provide an enthusiastic and provocative program at a great choice of venue, the Palmer House Hotel.

Please join us in Chicago April 26-29, 2017
AAOP MISSION STATEMENT

The American Academy of Orofacial Pain, an organization of dentists and other health care professionals, is dedicated to alleviating pain and suffering through the promotion of excellence in education, research, and patient care in the field of Orofacial Pain, TMD, Sleep Medicine and associated disorders.

Who Should Attend?
All interested dentists, physicians, physical therapists, researchers, mental health care professionals and other practitioners who diagnosis and treat orofacial pain disorders.

Accreditation Statement
The American Academy of Orofacial Pain is designated as an Approved PACE Program Provider by the Academy of General Dentistry. The formal continuing dental education programs of this program provider are accepted by AGD for Fellowship/Mastership and membership maintenance credit. Approval does not imply acceptance by a state or provincial board of dentistry, or AGD endorsement. The current term of approval extends from 1/1/2015 – 12/31/2018. Provider #218197

Conference Clinical and Academic Learning Objectives
1. Learn about the relationships between nutrition and orofacial pain.
2. Understand concepts in TMD diagnosis and management.
3. Learn about the mechanisms associated with the transition from acute to chronic pain and identify patients at higher risk for developing chronic orofacial pain.
4. Understand the diagnosis and management of trigeminal nerve injuries and neuropathies.
5. Become informed about systemic conditions that may mimic orofacial pain disorders.
7. Explore the role of the dentist in sleep medicine and how to manage the refractive sleep apnea patient.
8. Understand the indications for appliance therapy and occlusal therapy in the management of TMJ arthralgia and myalgia conditions.

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FACULTY

Joseph Alamat, DDS, MD, MS
Ronald Auvenshine, DDS, PhD
Ali Azarbarzin, PhD
Steven Bender, DDS, FAAOP, FAHS, FACD
Mark Bishop, PT, PhD
Glenn Clark, DDS, MS
Joseph Cohen, DDS
Lesia Crawford
Randy Curran
Alexandre F. DaSilva, DDS, DMedSc
Cesar Fernandez de las Penas, PT, DO, PhD
James Fricton, DDS, MS
Timothy Gibbs, PT, CCTT
Greg Goddard, DDS
Paul Grin, DDS, MPH
Richard Hirschinger, DDS, MBA
Jay Joshi, MD
Gary Klasser, DMD (Moderator)
Prasanna Kumar Shivapuja, BDS, MDS, DDS, MS
Harold Menchel, DMD
Catalina Morarasu, DDS, MS, PhD
Khawaja Nasir, BDS, MSc
Richard Ohrbach, DDS, PhD
Jeffrey Okeson, DMD (Moderator)
Michael J. Racich, DMD
Lori Reisner, PharmaD
Tara Renton, BDS, MDSc, PhD
Steven Richeimer, MD
Marcela Romero-Reyes, DDS, PhD
Eric Schiffman, DDS, MS (Moderator)
Andrew Smith, DDS
Christian Stohler, DDS, PhD
Dania Tamimi, BDS, DMSc
Davis Thomas, BDS, DDS, MSD, Msc Med
Elmer Villalon, DMD
Tian Xia, DO
John Zuniga, DMD, MS, PhD
Lunch & Learns

or

Lunch on Your Own – Randy Curran

Reimbursement: How to Maximize Medical Coverage and Accelerate Treatment Expectations in Neuropathic Pain

Panel Discussion with Moderator Eric Schiffman, DDS, MS

PLENARY 4

PLENARY 2

2018 Program Chair, Rick Borquez, DDS

2018 Co-Program Chair

Welcome Remarks

10:30 – 11:15 am

10:00 – 10:30 am

PLENARY SESSIONS:

PLENARY 10

Technology

– Alexandre DaSilva, DDS, DMedSc

The Next Frontier in Precision Pain Medicine as Health and Facial Pain

PLENARY 11

Empowering your Patient via The Mind-Body Connection

– Richard Ohrbach, DDS, PhD

and The Epidemiology of TMD Pain: Further Perspectives from OPPERA – Richard Obuch, DDS, PhD

3:30-4:00 pm

Exhibit Hall

Break with Exhibitors & Posters

PLENARY 12

Management of the TMD/Neuropathic Pain Patient with Medications – Lori Reisner, PharmA

2:30-3:30 pm

Grand Ballroom

PLENARY 13

Opening Remarks

9:10-9:55 am

PLENARY SESSIONS:

PLENARY 9

Myofacial Pain in the Head: To Needle or Masticatory Muscle Pain: Efficacy, Safety and Technique – Khawaja S. Naseer, BDS, MS

5:00-5:45 pm

Grand Ballroom

PLENARY 14

The Pathophysiology of Chronic Pain: Treatment Modalities for The Patient with CRPS – Joy Joshi, MD

5:00-5:20 pm

Grand Ballroom

Panel Discussion with Moderator Jeffrey Okeson, DMD

SUNDAY, APRIL 29, 2018

8:00am-8:30am

State Room

Continental Breakfast

PLENARY SESSIONS:

PLENARY 16

Brain as a Therapeutic Target in TMD/Orofacial Pain - The Next Frontier in Precision Pain Medicine as Health Technology – Alexandre DaSilva, DDS, DMedSc

9:45-10:30 am

Grand Ballroom

PLENARY 17

Novel Approaches to the Management of Dry Eye Bruxism and Facial Pain – Joseph Alamat, DDS, MD, MS

12:00 pm

Grand Ballroom

Closing Remarks and Preview of 2019 Program

FRIDAY, APRIL 27 & SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 2018

8:00am – 5:00 pm

Water Tower Parlor

Dental Assistants TMD Course

Catalina Morarasu, DDS, PhD, MS – Course Director

PLENARY SESSIONS:

PLENARY 1

Keynote Presentation: Nerve Testing to Determine Treatment Expectations in Neuropathic Pain – John Zuniga, DMD, MS, PhD

9:15 – 10:00 am

Grand Ballroom

PLENARY 2


10:00-10:30 am

Exhibit Hall

Break with Exhibitors & Posters

PLENARY 3

The Critical Evaluation of Chronic Myalgia – Glenn Clark, DDS, MS

11:45 am – 12:00 pm

Grand Ballroom

PLENARY 4

Pain Pharmacology: Opioids, NMDA Receptor Antagonists, and Sleep Medicines – Steven Richerme, MD

12:00 – 12:15 pm

Grand Ballroom

Panel Discussion with Moderator Eric Schiffman, DDS, MS

12:15 – 1:30 pm

Lunch on Your Own or Lunch & Learns (Additional Registration Required)
SYNOPSIS: Dry needling is the most expanded intervention for the management of myofascial pain (Domherthu & Fernandez-de-la-Peñas, 2013). The application of trigger point (TrP) dry needling is based on the rationale that TMD pain can be related to myofascial TrPs. The Diagnostic and Treatment Criteria for Temporomandibular Disorders (DC/TMD) includes the following myalgia diagnosis: local myalgia, myofascial pain and myofascial pain with referral (Schiffman et al, 2014). There is a clear analogy between the diagnosis of myofascial pain with referral and myofascial TrPs (Simons et al. 1999). In fact, there is some evidence suggesting that myofascial TrPs are present in patients with TMD pain (Fernandez-de-la-Peñas et al., 2010). This lecture will discuss the role of TrPs in the masticatory muscles and TMD pain and the application of TrP dry needling following a proper clinical reasoning. Several systematic reviews and meta-analyses have found that TrP dry needling may be effective for the management of different pain conditions of the upper quadrant (Boyles et al., 2015; Liu et al., 2017; Gattle et al., 2017); however, it is important to consider that dry needling should be applied in combination with other interventions, and not just as an isolated therapeutic approach (Liu et al. 2017). The effectiveness of a multidisciplinary manual therapy program including TrP dry needling for TMD has been reported (Gonzalez-Iglesias et al. 2013; Butts et al., 2017). In fact, no significant differences between TrP-DN and lidocaine injection at short- and mid-term follow-up periods were found confirming that the therapeutic effect is related to the needle and not to any particular substance.

OBJECTIVES:
1. Orthodontics only in treatment of TMD
2. Orthodontics and equilibration in treatment of TMD
3. Orthodontics and orthognathic surgery in treatment of TMD
4. Orthodontics, joint surgery and orthognathic surgery in treatment of TMD
5. Will discuss how to identify patient with low tolerance for occlusal disharmony during the lecture appropriate literature will be presented to support treatment executed and contrary literature will also be presented.

BREAKFAST SESSION 2
An Orthodontist’s Perspective in Treating TMD
– Prasanna Kumar Shrivapuji, BDS, MDS, DDS, MS

OBJECTIVES:
1. Understanding today’s medical insurance and policy changes
2. Documentation needed to speed up the preauthorization process
3. Workflow analysis to accelerate reimbursement
4. Fee for service model versus a true medical billing model
5. Pros and cons of going in network
6. Trending reimbursements by insurance carriers
7. Techniques to maximize CBCT reimbursement
8. How to improve financial side of case presentation

BREAKFAST SESSION 3
How to Maximize Medical Coverage and Accelerate Reimbursement
– Randy Curran

BREAKFAST SESSION 4
Headache Case Studies
– Richard Hirschinger, DDS, MBA

A patient was diagnosed with hemiplegia continua but they don’t respond to indomethacin. What next? A patient complains of pain with chewing and it is getting progressively worse. It is simply myalgia or something else? How can you quickly assess this patient? What one word helps differentiate a migraine from a cluster? What are simple acronyms you can use to remember the ICHD criteria for migraine, for TTH, for the TAC’s and for the Other primary headaches? Learn all of this and more during breakfast with Dr. Hirschinger.

BREAKFAST SESSION 5
Swallowing, Hyoid Function and Airway
– Ronald Avershyne, DDS, PhD

SYNOPSIS: Snoring, Upper Airway Resistance Syndrome (UARS), and Obstructive Sleep Apnea (OSA), are gaining more attention in the field of dentistry since they fall within the spectrum of Sleep Related Breathing Disorders (SDB). More articles are appearing in the dental literature concerning SDB and the dentist’s role in diagnosis, treatment, and management of these disorders. Sleep disorder breathing varies greatly in its’ clinical presentation. This requires the dentist who chooses to treat SDB to be thoroughly familiar with the developmental anatomy and physiology of the pharynx and the relationship of the stomatognathic system with the physiology of swallowing. This presentation will include a discussion of the embryology of the airway and the

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neuroanatomy and neurophysiology of swallowing and the role of speech and the distention of the larynx in humans. The unique features of modern man's oropharynx will serve as an introduction to the topic of SDB.

OBJECTIVES:
1. To review the embryology of the oral stomatognathic system
2. To review the cranial nerves which innervate the region
3. To become familiar with the various factors which make the pharynx of humans unique in the animal kingdom
4. To become more familiar with the role of the hyoid bone and its relationship to swallowing and maintenance of the upper airway
5. To become more familiar with the use of Cone Beam CT (CBCT) in evaluating airway

BREAKFAST SESSION 6
Practice Pearls for Patients with Sleep Disorders
– Davis Thomas, BDS, DDS, MSD, MSc Med

SYNOPSIS: Dr. Davis Thomas teaches sleep medicine at Rutgers School of dentistry's orofacial pain program. During this session he will discuss the use of sleep medications to manage sleep disorders, the interaction of pain and sleep, as well as his practice "pearls" for the use of oral appliances to treat sleep apnea.

LUNCH & LEARN SESSIONS

These sessions include a buffet lunch and CE lecture that requires additional registration of $85.00 per session. On Friday and Saturday there are three Lunch Sessions that run concurrently each day. Please select only one session for each day as you will only be able to attend one session each day. These sessions offer a smaller setting and therefore registration is limited. Each session offers 1 hour of CE.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2018

LUNCH & LEARN 1
Occlusion, TMD & Orofacial Pain: Inter & Multidisciplinary Considerations
– Michael Racich, DMD

Occlusion is defined by the Glossary of Prosthodontic Terms as “The static relationship between the incising or masticating surfaces of the maxillary or mandibular teeth or tooth analogues.” While gnathology is defined as “The study of the biology of the masticatory mechanism.” Patients present to dental offices for three main reasons: appearance, function and comfort. Today's dental teams are more capable than ever to facilitate enhancement in all three of these areas for patients seeking care. This evidence-based presentation will explore the relationship of the stomatognathic system gnathologically re: TMD/orofacial pain. Practical inter- and multidisciplinary recommendations for the TMD/orofacial pain practitioners will be offered. The learning objectives will be:

1. Evidence-based care (what, why, when)
2. Occlusion: what it is and is not
3. Gnathology as related to:
   a) Patient management
   b) Restorative dentistry/ prosthodontics
   c) Parafunction
   d) Orofacial pain/TMD
   e) Orthotics
4. Concluding remarks and practical clinical take home messages

LUNCH & LEARN 2
TX 360 Sphenopalatine Ganglion Block (lecture/demo) – Tian Xia, DO

To help practitioners managing severe headaches with a new technology and procedure – Utilizing TX360 to perform Nerve block of Pterygopalatine Ganglion branch of Trigeminal Nerve.

OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE:
1. Review of Anatomy and Physiology of Pterygopalatine Ganglion/ Sphenopalatine Ganglion.
2. Illustrate the techniques of Nerve Block of Pterygopalatine Ganglion branch of Trigeminal Nerve with TX360 device.
3. Discussion of Headache prevention with TX360 technology when used in repetitive nerve blocks for Pterygopalatine Ganglion branch of Trigeminal nerve.

LUNCH & LEARN 3
Assessment and Management of the Dizzy Patient in Dental Practice
– Timothy Gibbs, PT, CCTT

This lunch and learn session will cover the examination and treatment of dizziness frequently encountered in dental and TMD practices. Many vestibular conditions are easily diagnosed and treated. The patient’s head position during dental treatment can often cause Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo (BPPV). Participants will learn effective bedside treatment of BPPV through recognition of nystagmus patterns. Additionally, other potential causes of dizziness, including Vestibular Hypofunction, Cervicogenic Dizziness, Central Nervous System Disorders and Migraine Associated Dizziness will be discussed.

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LUNCH & LEARN 4
Alternative Treatments for Opioid therapy: Cannabis Options
– Lori Reisner, PharmaD

The discussion will focus on medications used in the management of orofacial pain and clinical pearls associated with their use. Medications for neuropathic pain will be emphasized. Considerations for use will include drug-drug interactions and any new evidence for their relative effectiveness.

LUNCH & LEARN 5
Medicare Billing for the OFP Provider
– Lesia Crawford

Medicare DME is nothing to be afraid of, the rules are outlined and are not as intimidating as its bad reputation would lead you to believe. Join Lesia Crawford from GoGo billing for a lunch and learn where she will break down the specific requirements by Medicare and review the required forms needed to be in compliance. Even if you are not billing OAT to Medicare, your cases should be Medicare proof as most commercial plans turn to Medicare when setting their own guidelines for coverage. Also learn the secrets to unlocking maximum reimbursement for your Medicare patients, not all plans are created equal. Sample forms will be provided.

LUNCH & LEARN 6
Botulinum Toxin for Management of Refractory Masticatory Muscle Pain: Efficacy, Safety and Technique
– Khawaja S Nasir, BDS, MSc

A review of current literature on the mechanism of action of botulinum toxin and its efficacy and safety for management of refractory masticatory myalgia. In addition, overview of technique for injecting masticatory muscles, and selecting appropriate patients for botulinum toxin injection therapy. Botulinum toxin is a neurotoxin that has recently gained popularity in management of chronic pain disorders, including refractory masticatory muscle pain disorders. This lecture will present the current literature on the mechanism of action of botulinum toxin, and its efficacy and safety for management of refractory masticatory myalgia. In addition, it will review the technique for injecting masticatory muscles, and selecting appropriate patients for botulinum toxin injection therapy.
Dental Assisting and Patient Management in the Orofacial Pain Practice

Program Fee: $300.00  Dates: April 27 – 28, 2018  Time: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

The Academy of Orofacial Pain is proud to continue providing courses for the assistants and auxiliary of facial pain and TMD practices. The course will enhance the staff’s ability to improve the office outcome and increase patient flow by decreasing the time TMD and facial pain practitioners spend with patients thereby increasing office productivity.

Course Director: Catalina Morarasu, DDS, PhD, MS

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2018

7:30 – 8:00 am  Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 – 9:00 am  Clinical Examination in TMD and Orofacial Pain: Clinical Examination (hands-on), William Butcher, DDS, MS, Diplomate ABOP
9:00 – 10:00 am  Self-Management Strategies in TMD  Edward Wright, DDS, MS, Fellow AAOP; AAOP Past President
10:00 – 10:30 am  Break with the Exhibitors
10:30 – 11:30 am  TMD and OFP: Case Presentation  Aurelio Alonso, DDS, MS, PhD, Diplomate ABOP; Fellow AAOP
11:30 am – 1:00 pm  Lunch on your own
1:00 – 2:00 pm  Clinical Interview of an Orofacial Pain Patient Overview and Workshop  Susha Giri, DDS, MS, Diplomate ABOP; Fellow AAOP
2:00 – 3:00 pm  Physical Therapy in TMD: from Smartphone Apps to Practice  João Ferreira, DDS, MS, PhD, Diplomate ABOP
3:00 – 3:30 pm  Break with the Exhibitors
3:30 – 4:30 pm  Dental Sleep Medicine: Make It Easy and Predictable From Impression to Delivery  Mayoor Patel, DDS, MS, Diplomate ABOP; ABDSM, Fellow AAOP
4:30 - 5:30 pm  The Tooth, or Not The Tooth? Neuralgia, Headache and Other Tooth Pain Mimickers  James Hawkins, DDS, MS, Diplomate ABOP, Fellow AAOP

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 2018

7:30 – 8:00 am  Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:00 – 9:00 am  Imagining of The Temporomandibular Joints: Which and Why?  Ivonne Hernandez, DDS, MS; Diplomate ABOP; Fellow AAOP
9:00 – 10:00 am  Identification and Management of the Problem Patient  Jeff Shafer, DDS, MS, MPH
10:00 – 10:30 am  Break with the Exhibitors
10:30 am – 12:30 pm  Medical Billing for Orofacial Pain and Dental Sleep Medicine  Rose Nierman-Nierman Practice Management
12:30 – 1:30 pm  Lunch on your own
1:30 – 3:00 pm  The Future of Research and Treatment in OFP: Epigenetics, Pharmacogenomics and Neuroimaging  Antonio Ramos, DDS, PhD; Diplomate ABOP; Fellow AAOP
3:00 – 3:30 pm  Break with the Exhibitors
3:30 – 4:30 pm  Sleep Bruxism and TMD  Catalina Morarasu, DDS, PhD, MS, Diplomate ABOP, ABDSM; Fellow AAOP
4:30 - 5:00 pm  Adjourn. Certificates Presentation

CALL FOR POSTER PRESENTATIONS

2018 Poster Committee Chair:
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General Information
The AAOP invites members and non-members to submit abstracts to be considered for poster presentation at the AAOP 2018 Annual Scientific Meeting at the Hilton Palmer House Hotel, in Chicago, IL. Meeting dates are April 26-29. Poster display dates are April 27-28, 2018. Abstracts should report completed investigations that contribute to education, research, and/or clinical practice. The presenting author of an accepted abstract must register for the meeting and is required to be present at the requested time by the organizing scientific committee.

Submission Deadline:
All abstracts must be received by January 31, 2018. They should be submitted by email to AAOP central office; admin@aaop.org, and to Mariona Mulet Pradera; mulen001@umn.edu. AAOP will confirm receipt of the abstract within a week. If you do not hear from AAOP, please send a follow up email.

Criteria for Selection:
• Abstracts must be original scientific material that has not been previously published or presented at any other national or international meeting.
• The scientific committee will give high preference to original clinical or basic research abstracts of Randomized Controlled Trials and Observational Studies (Cohort study, Case control study).
• Case reports may be accepted only if the scientific committee determines that the material presented is of high interest and high quality information.

Formatting:
• The body of the abstract must not exceed 250 words, including references, but excluding title and authors. If the abstract exceeds 250 words, it will be returned to the author to shorten it.
• The body of the abstract must contain the following eight sections IN THIS ORDER and labeled as noted:
  Title: (Title text should be in bolded font. Capitalize the first word and all proper nouns contained in the title and sub-title. Do NOT use all capitals. Clearly indicate the nature of the study in the title (i.e.: case-control, randomized controlled trial, etc.)
  Author(s): (Authors should be listed by last name, followed by first name initials, after the abstract title. The name of the presenting author should be underlined)
  Affiliations: (Indicate any affiliations to a University/College or Private Practitioners and city)
  Aim of Investigation: (aims/purpose, hypotheses, and goals of the investigation)
  Methods: (brief description of experimental procedures including statistics, study design and analysis)
  Results: (findings of statistical analysis)
  Conclusions: (one or two major conclusions that are supported by results)
  Acknowledgements and/or Funding Source: (include reference to grant support, including grant number, and disclosure of any financial relationship the author may have with the manufacturer/supplier of any commercial products or services)

Additional Formatting Requirements:
• Abstracts must be written in English language.
• Font should be Times New Roman, font size should be 12, and font color should be black.
• No tables or illustrations may be included in abstracts.
• Only generic drug names should be used.
• Results and conclusions should be included at the time of submission. If these are missing, the abstract will be rejected.

All accepted submitters are required to register for the meeting. All submissions will be reviewed by the AAOP Abstract Committee.

DEADLINE: January 31, 2018
(late submissions will not be considered)
NOTIFICATION SENT: February 28, 2018
HOW TO REGISTER
You may register by completing and mailing or faxing the Conference Registration form to the AAOP office or register online through the AAOP website (www.aaop.org). AAOP members must login to the website prior to attempting register for the meeting online in order to receive the member discount and be recognized as a member registrant.

The registration fee includes: admission to the April 27-29, 2018 plenary scientific sessions, daily continental breakfast, refreshment breaks, and the President’s Reception on Friday evening. Additional fees are required for April 26th preconference workshops and the April 27th & 28th breakfast sessions and lunch sessions. Please forward any dietary restrictions to aaopexec@aaop.org.

EXHIBITS
Educational and informational displays of companies relevant to the treatment of orofacial pain and/or your practice will be available for viewing and interaction during the conference.

PHYSICAL CHALLENGES
The American Academy of Orofacial Pain wishes to ensure that no individual with a disability is excluded, denied services, segregated or otherwise treated differently than other individuals because of the absence of auxiliary aids or services. If you need any auxiliary aids or services identified in the American with Disabilities Act, please contact Kenneth Cleveland, AAOP Executive Director, at 609-504-1311, or email aaopexec@aaop.org.

QUESTIONS
If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the AAOP office at: 609-504-1311 or admin@aaop.org.

HOTEL INFORMATION
The AAOP 2018 Scientific Meeting will be held at the Hilton Palmer House in Chicago, IL. AAOP has secured a rate of $199.00+ for April 26-29, 2018. Please note that rooms are not held in the AAOP block and reservations must be made 24 hours in advance. Please contact the concierge or visit the Hotel website for details. Additional fees are required for 26th preconference workshops and the April 27th & 28th breakfast sessions and lunch sessions. Please forward any dietary restrictions to aaopexec@aaop.org.

ATTIRE
Attire for the conference is business casual. Meeting room temperatures often vary during the course of the meeting, so please plan accordingly.

Hotel Activities
Please contact the concierge or visit the Hotel website for details.

MAGIC PARLOUR
Saturday nights at 4:30pm, 7:30pm and 9:30pm at the Palmer House.

AFTERNOON TEA
Enjoy a classic teatime in the famed lobby of The Palmer House Hilton. Reservations are required and must be made 24 hours in advance. Reserve by calling (312) 917-3404.

HISTORY TOUR
Explore the Palmer House’s long and storied history in the capable hands of Ken Price, named best historian of 2014 by Historic Hotels of America. Our historic luncheon and tour begins at 12:00 p.m. with lunch at Lockwood. Tuesday-Saturday.
AAOP Mission
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AAOP Aims and Purposes
To establish acceptable criteria for the diagnosis and treatment of orofacial pain and temporomandibular disorders. To stress the significant incidence of orofacial pain problems for both medical and dental professions. To provide a base for annual meetings for the dissemination of research and treatment for orofacial pain and temporomandibular disorders. To support the Journal of Orofacial Pain stressing research and current studies on orofacial pain and temporomandibular disorders. To encourage and stress the study of orofacial pain and temporomandibular disorders at undergraduate and postgraduate levels of dental education. To provide a common meeting ground for world-wide authorities on orofacial pain and temporomandibular disorders. To encourage hospitals and dental schools to establish centers for treatment of orofacial pain and temporomandibular disorders. To encourage research and evaluation of equipment and procedures.

Benefits of AAOP Membership
• Continuing Education. AAOP’s Annual Scientific—Meetings features cutting edge scientific knowledge with clinical take home value at a significant member discount. Members are also invited to attend member only symposia and workshops such as the Dental Sleep Medicine Symposium that was offered this past November. AAOP is working to develop mini-residencies, special interest groups and online continuing education. AAOP members are also invited to attend sister academy meetings around the world at the sister academy member rate. Members are encouraged to attain certification by the American Board of Orofacial Pain (ABOP) which is a requirement for elevation to Fellow of the Academy status. (ABOP is a separate organization who administers a board exam in orofacial pain)
• Journal & Newsletter Subscription. Subscription to the Journal of Oral & Facial Pain and Headache, Complimentary Orofacial Pain Guidelines, and the AAOP Newsletter including an online archive of past news. (Please note that student members do not receive the journal and/or guidelines)
• The AAOP Website & Member Directory. Inclusion in the AAOP Member Directory features a personalized profile page that can be linked with your professional website and all of your social media outlets. You control what information is presented to the public and to members.
• Professional Networking & Development. AAOP offers access to world renowned leaders in the fields of OFP, TMD, Headache, Sleep and other associated disorders. As a member you will have access to the Member Forum/List-serve, important professional development documents such as the OFP/ICO-10 Guide and information on the AAOP Member Directory that is not publically available. Whether you have a technical question, billing issue or are looking to expand your practice, AAOP leaders are available to assist you and our archive of documents is at your fingertips.
• Patient Referrals and Information. Prospective patients are visiting the AAOP website and looking for you. In addition the AAOP office is contacted directly by 100-200 prospective patients each year and they are directed to the member(s) nearest them. Various Patient Education Brochures are available at a nominal cost to AAOP members. Additional patient information is posted online.
• Leadership/Participation. All AAOP members are eligible to vote for academy officers/directors and on all important policy decisions. AAOP encourages its members, with an interest, to get involved in one of our committees. Your knowledge and opinions matter to us and your level of involvement is up to you. AAOP offers an annual leadership development program at no cost to its members.
• Research and Training. AAOP actively and financially supports research via annual grants. These grants are open to all professionals but the results of this research reaches AAOP members first. AAOP is also active within the dental school community. AAOP maintains the position of leadership within CODA when reviewing Orofacial Pain Programs at dental schools across the United States. Orofacial pain program directors meet annually at the AAOP meeting to discuss the current trends in OFP education and training.
• Camaraderie. AAOP is first and foremost about people. Many lifelong friendships and professional relationships have been fostered via AAOP membership. For 40+ years professionals like you have been coming to AAOP for scientific knowledge, clinical insights and the support of fellow colleagues.

AAOP Membership Categories
(a) All members of the American Academy Of Orofacial Pain (Academy), including any and all categories of membership in the Academy, must agree to abide by the bylaws of the Academy.
(b) All members of the Academy, including any and all categories of membership in the Academy, must agree to abide by the Code of Conduct of the American Academy of Orofacial Pain and be willing to work within the Academy’s Objectives to promote the best interest and ideals of the Academy throughout said membership.
(c) All Members of the Academy with the exception of the Retired, Life/Life Fellow & Honorary Membership categories must be a permanent resident of the United States of America, Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, the Bahamas or an independent Caribbean nation or
1. Be a member in good standing of one of the Sister Academies as per the current Sister Academy Agreement regarding membership, or
2. Have been a continuous member in good standing of AAOP and joined prior to 1987.

Active Members
Be a licensed dentist (DDS, DMD or equivalent degree) or be a licensed physician (MD, DO or equivalent degree) or be a non-dental or non-physician allied health care professional or researcher in good standing within the state or country within which they practice. Active Members shall possess the right to hold office, serve on the Academy Council or chair a committee. Active Members shall possess the right to vote in the election of officers, at the annual membership business meeting and for all items required to be presented to the membership of the academy for further action. Regular payment of dues is a requirement for maintenance of Active membership in the Academy.

Student/Initiatory Members
Shall be a current full-time dental or post-graduate dental student in good academic standing, and one of the following: (1) a licensed dentist (D.D.S., D.M.D. or equivalent degree) in good standing within the state or country with which they practice and a current participant of an Academy recognized post-doctoral full-time university residency program, or (2) a licensed dentist (D.D.S., D.M.D. or equivalent degree) in good standing within the state or country with which they practice and a graduate within the past 12 months of an Academy recognized post-doctoral full-time university residency program or (3) a full time, current undergraduate dental student with interest in temporomandibular disorders and/or orofacial pain or (4) be a licensed dentist (D.D.S., D.M.D. or equivalent degree) in good standing within the state or country with which they practice and enrolled in, or successfully completed within the past 12 months, an orofacial pain post-graduate or residency program not described above and approved by council for student/initiatory membership. A full-time orofacial pain post-graduate or residency program must be consistent with current CODA accreditation standards. Student/Initiatory Members may serve on or chair a committee. Student/Initiatory Members shall possess the right to vote in the election of officers, at the annual membership business meeting for and for all items required to be presented to the membership of the academy for further action. Student/Initiatory Members shall have all the add’l benefits of membership except a subscription to the AAOP designated journal. Regular payment of dues is a requirement for maintenance of Student/Initiatory membership in the Academy. Student/Initiatory Memberships must be transitioned to active membership within (12) months of completing their program and/or within (4) years from date of joining.

Additional Membership Categories
Fellow, Retired, Life and Honorary Membership are elevated categories of membership available to members upon completion of additional criteria as stated in the AAOP Bylaws.

Additional Membership Criteria
In addition to the stated criteria listed in Membership Categories, Members Shall:
1. Agree to adhere to the Academy’s Code of Conduct,
2. Be willing to work within the Academy’s Objectives to promote the best interest and ideals of the Academy,
3. Be approved by Council upon recommendation of the Membership Committee.
4. Upon approval by Council, the membership at-large will be notified by written or electronic means of the pending applications and barring any written objection they will be accepted as members. If any objections are received, the application will be returned to the Membership Committee for further consideration.
5. Pay all annual dues as set by the Council on a yearly basis.

Please see the AAOP Bylaws on-line for additional Membership Information and also see the AAOP Statement of Aims and Purposes, Code of Conduct and Position Papers. Visit www.aaop.org.

Dues
The AAOP membership year is January 1st - December 31st. Members joining after September 1st of any year will receive the final few months of the current year at no additional cost.
Active: Student/Initiatory Enrolled: $475.00 $250.00
Application on Reverse!
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please carefully review the membership information on previous page.

Membership Category: Select Your Membership Category

☐ Active: $475.00
☐ Student/Initiatory: $250.00

Your Demographic Information:

Name ______________________________________________________

Last Name          First Name          Middle Initial          Credentials

Office Address ______________________________________________

City _______________________________________________________

State          Zip Code

Country (if not USA) _________________________________________

(_____)_______________________   (_____)_____________________

Work          Fax

Email address _______________________________________________

Home Address ______________________________________________

City _______________________________________________________

State          Zip Code

(_____)_______________________   (_____)_____________________

Home Phone          Fax

Email address _______________________________________________

Date of Birth ______________________________________________

Preferred mailing address (check one)  ☐ Office  ☐ Home

Your Licenses, Education Degrees

1. List State/Country Licenses:

________________________________________________________________

2. Type of Degree: ___________ Year Received: ___________

School _______________________________________________________

3. Type of Degree: ___________ Year Received: ___________

School _______________________________________________________

4. Type of Degree: ___________ Year Received: ___________

School _______________________________________________________

A. Your Practice and Certification:

Years in practice _____________________________

Focus of practice _____________________________

Percent of time devoted to Orofacial Pain patients ______ %

Are you certified by the American Board of Orofacial Pain?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

If other Boards, please list _____________________________

B. Please check and send or have sent to AAOP office:

☐ Completed application form
☐ Payment
☐ Program Director Letter (Students Only please send a brief letter from your program director verifying student status and expected date of program completion)

C. Attestation of Applicant:

By signing below, the applicant agrees to the policies and code of conduct and ethics of the American Academy of Orofacial Pain, and strive to promote the “Mission” and “Aims and Purposes” of the Academy. The applicant further agrees to provide the Academy with any materials it or the Membership Committee deems necessary.

Applicant Signature: ________________________________

Print Name: _______________________________________

D. Payment

Dues Amount for Membership Type: $___________

Voluntary Research Fund Donation: $___________

Total: $___________

(If you choose to FAX your application, DO NOT send the original by mail as doing so may result in duplicate charges to your credit card.)

☐ Check (US currency drawn on US bank)
☐ VISA  ☐ MasterCard  ☐ American Express

Credit Card # _______________________________________

Exp. Date _______________________Validation Code ______

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Authorized Signature _____________________________________

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aaopexec@aaop.org or through www.aaop.org
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REGISTRATION FORM

For additional information or assistance with this form, telephone: 609-504-1311. Online registration is available at www.aaop.org
Or you may mail completed form to AAOP Registration, 174 S. New York Rd., POB 478, Oceanville, NJ 08231 or fax it to 609-573-5064 or email: exec@aaop.org

CONTACT INFO: (please print or type)

Dr./Prof./Ms.

Preferred First Name

Last Name

Affiliation

First Name

Position/Title

M.I.

Department

Address

City

State/Province

Postal Code

Country

Telephone

Email

Guest Name (Social Function admission)

DATE OF BIRTH: ____________________________________________

OFFICE ADDRESS: __________________________________________

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY: Select Your Membership Category

1. List State/Country Licenses:

School

City

State

Zip Code

2. Your Licenses, Education Degrees

3. Type of Degree: ______________________________

4. Year Received: ______________________________

5. Dr./Prof./Mr./Ms. Last Name First Name M.I. Degree

6. Percent of time devoted to Orofacial Pain patients _______%

7. Dues Amount for Membership Type: $______________

8. Applicant Signature: ________________________________________

9. Your Credit Card Statement will read “AAOP”

10. I wish to pay my fees by

   __________ Credit Card

   __________ Check (US currency drawn on US bank)

   __________ Money Order

   __________ Other: ____________________________

11. If you must cancel your registration, all requests must be received in writing by AAOP Registration or via email to exec@aaop.org or faxed to the number above and postmarked or transmitted electronically no later than April 7, 2018. All fees paid will be refunded minus a $50.00 processing fee. There will be no refunds after April 7, 2018.

REGISTRATION CATEGORIES AND FEES: Registration is for main conference April 27-29, 2018 and includes all plenary sessions & social events. After April 7, 2018, registration must be paid on-site. See complete on-site fee schedule below.

Please check one: AAOP Members ( □ Active or □ Fellow)

$625.00

AAO Life Members

$450.00

AAO Professional

$800.00

AES Member Introductory Rate

$725.00

Student Members

$375.00

Student Non-Members

$475.00

Full time student only (verification required)

$50.00

Dues Amount for Membership Type: $____________

Pre-Conference I

$290.00

Pre-Conference II

$290.00

Pre-Conference III

$290.00

Myofacial Pain: To Needle or Not to Needle

$85.00 each

Sleep and Pain

$85.00 each

The Economics of Running an Orofacial Pain Practice

$85.00 each

#1 How to Achieve Success with Worker’s Compensation Cases

$80.00 each

#2 An Orthodontist’s Perspective in Treating TMD

$80.00 each

#3 How to Maximize Medical Coverage and Accelerate Reimbursement

$80.00 each

#4 Headache Case Studies

$80.00 each

#5 Swallowing, Hyoid Function & Airway

$80.00 each

#6 Practice Pearls: Sleep Disorders

$80.00 each

#1 Occlusion, TMD and Orofacial Pain

$80.00 each

#2 TX 360 Sphenopalatine Ganglion Block

$80.00 each

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$80.00 each

#4 Alternative Treatments for Opioid Therapy: Cannibis

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#5 Medical Billing for the OFP Provider

$80.00 each

#6 Botox Management

$80.00 each

Friday, April 27, 2018

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Saturday, April 28, 2018

#1 Occlusion, TMD and Orofacial Pain

$80.00 each

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#3 Assessment & Management of the Dizzy Patient

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TOTAL (Registration/Workshops/Forums/etc) $__________

METHOD OF PAYMENT

If you require special payment arrangements please contact the office at 609-504-1311.

1. Enclosed is a check payable to AAOP. Checks must be payable in U.S. Dollars and issued by a U.S. Correspondent Bank. Each registrant is responsible for any and all bank charges. A $50.00 processing fee will be charged for checks returned unpaid.

2. I wish to pay my fees by credit card. Please note: this charge will appear on your statement as “AAOP”.

   □ Amex (15 digits) □ Master Card (16 digits) □ Visa (16 digits)

   Expiration Date: _____ / _____

   Validation Code: ________ (3 digit code on the back of V/ MC and 4 digit on front of AMEX)

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Name on Card (please print):

Authorizing Signature:

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