



Continuing Dental Education – CE Day

Morning session 2: 8:30 am to 11:30 am

Title: Lessons learned from COVID-19 for dentists

Instructor: Dr. Aaron Burry, BSc(H), DDS, MHA, MBA (Dental Public Health)



Dr. Burry graduated from Dalhousie Dental School in 1986 and maintained a full-time practice until 1993. He holds an MBA and an MHA and is a certified specialist in dental public health. He currently practices one day a week in a community dental practice. Dr. Burry spent over 25 years at the City of Ottawa leading large

departments while holding a cross appointment with Ottawa Public Health as the chief dental officer. Trained and certified in emergency management, Dr. Burry has mounted and organized responses to significant public health outbreaks and other public emergencies, from floods to sustained power outages. After joining the CDA in 2017, he was instrumental in leading the CDA's emergency response to the COVID-19 pandemic and, more recently, the federal government announcement of investments in dental care. He was appointed CEO of the CDA in July 2022.

Course description

COVID-19 presented unique challenges for Canadian dentistry in how governments responded initially to the pandemic and how that response has evolved over the past two years. This session will deal with some of key lessons learned to date and examine some considerations for dentists and the dental practice for the future.

Learning objectives

At the end of this presentation, the attendee will:

- Have a better understanding of some of the principles and concepts of public health measures and how those will affect thinking in the future.
- Be better prepared for the next major event that could affect their practice.

CE Day Schedule 6 Credit Hours	
Registration: 8:00 am to 8:30 am	
AM Sessions	
Session 1 (8:30 am to 11:00 am) Dr. Theresa Chiang Dentistry's role in cleft lip/palate management and the evolution of pediatric dentistry in China	Session 2 (8:30 am to 11:30 am) Dr. Aaron Burry Lessons learned from COVID-19 for Dentists
PM Sessions	
Session 1 (12:30 pm to 3:30 pm) Dr. Robert Roda Cracked teeth: A modern epidemic	Session 2 (12:30 pm to 3:30 pm) Dr. Eraldo Batista and Dr. Aditya Patel Update in periodontics

