



Now you can  
offer dental sleep  
medicine for  
your practice!



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for your patients at this exciting new workshop.*

## Sleep-Disordered Breathing – A Medical Problem with a Dental Solution

Friday, January 20, 2012 • Best Western Steeplegate

Learn how you can provide TAP® appliance therapy for your patients at this exciting new workshop: **Oral Appliance Therapy for Sleep-Disordered Breathing.**

This course is a hands-on workshop using your own TAP® appliance and Tool Kit. Learn how to:

- Gather specific information and use forms necessary for evaluation
- Deliver and adjust a TAP® oral appliance
- Fit a morning repositioner
- Use the TAP® gauge
- Use and interpret an overnight pulse oximeter

By 2020, 40 percent of the U.S. population will have some form of sleep-disordered breathing. With the failure of CPAP as a long-term therapy for most patients, dentists will play *THE* key role in the management of these disorders, including snoring and sleep apnea. Sleep-disordered breathing is a medical problem with a dental solution – one that all dentists should incorporate into their practice.

Demand for treatment of snoring and sleep apnea is increasing exponentially, yet the dentist is confronted with what seems to be a great barrier due to the serious consequences and medical nature of the condition. The truth is that treating these patients can be accomplished easily, appropriately and profitably in the dental office.

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## Course Outline

- The Basics of Sleep-Disordered Breathing
- Treatment by Dentists
- Delivering Oral Appliances: The TAP® Device
- Methods of Reimbursement
- Working Collaboratively with Physicians

## Recommended Tools

- TAP® 3 Elite appliance – available at half price (\$175) and delivered to workshop (must have models to the TAP® Lab two weeks prior to course)

or

- TAP® Snoring and Sleep Apnea Tool Kit (105-0152)
  - includes: 10% course discount and 1 FREE TAP for DDS or staff member
- Laptop
- Set of casts

*Please see your Patterson representative for details.*

Learn more about this fast-growing opportunity  
for dentists – reserve your space today!



**Event Speaker:**  
Steven D. Bender, DDS

Dr. Steven D. Bender earned his DDS degree from Baylor College of Dentistry in 1986 and completed postgraduate training at the L.D. Pankey Institute, the Dawson Center for Advanced Dental Study and the Parker E. Mahan Facial Pain Center. Since 2001, Dr. Bender has maintained a private practice devoted to pain management of the head and face, as well as dental sleep medicine. He has earned fellowship in the American Academy of Orofacial Pain and the International Academy of Oral Oncology and serves as a reviewer for numerous medical and dental journals. Dr. Bender is currently adjunct faculty at Albert Einstein College of Medicine in New York. He has lectured around the country on the topics of dental sleep medicine, anatomy, facial pain, headache, pharmacology and oral medicine and was recently nominated for 2011 Texas Dentist of the Year.

## WORKSHOP DETAILS

**Date:** Friday, January 20, 2012

**Time:** Registration 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  
Course 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**Location:** Best Western Steeplegate  
100 W. 76 St.  
Davenport, IA 52806

**Fee:** Dentist \$395  
Assistant \$95

*If you must cancel, please notify us at least 48 hours before the event for a full refund.*

**Credits:** Six AGD

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