

NORTH SHORE DENTAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATION

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**THIS CLASS IS MANDATORY FOR LICENSURE EVERY
CREDIT CYCLE!**

**Navigating Infection Prevention and Protocols in
Dental Settings... *OSHA / CDC update 2020***

Ellen Gambardella, CDA, RDA, FADAA, M.Ed.

This course will inform dental professionals of strategies for infection prevention and control in dentistry as well as OSHA regulations and CDC guidelines. Environmental asepsis, instrument processing and recirculation, dental waterline maintenance, hand hygiene, selection of personal protective equipment, updates to the hazard communication standard, and hints for improving program efficiency are some of the topics that will be discussed. Don't miss this opportunity to join in on an Interactive Workshop that will enhance your infection control protocols

Learning objectives:

- Become familiar with the Bloodborne Pathogen Standard
- Understand the current key recommendations for CDC guidelines
 - Identify HAV, HBV, HCV, HIV, TB
- Review the infectious disease process and standard precautions
 - Discuss engineering and work practice controls
 - Examine exposure control protocols
 - Review sterilization and biological monitoring
 - Review disinfection and barrier technique
- Evaluate boil water advisory and waterline (biofilm) protocols
 - Assess personal protective equipment
 - Discuss hand hygiene techniques
- Understand the Hazard Communication Standard

Ellen Gambardella, CDA, RDA, M.Ed., FADAA

In a nationwide search, Ellen was selected as the “Most Effective Dental Assistant Educator in the United States”. The Massachusetts Dental Society presented her with the “Special Award for Teacher of the Year” and the “Auxiliary of the Year” award. She is the recipient of the “Goldin Foundation Award for Excellence in Education” and the “Dr. LeClaire Dental Health Professional Award” for innovative and impassioned teaching. The United States Air Force recognized Ellen for her educational support of the 66th Dental Flight and Medical Group. She was recently awarded the title of “Fellow” from the ADAA. A former faculty member of Tufts and Northeastern Universities, Middlesex Community College, and the Minuteman School of Applied Arts and Science, Ellen is an author and has lectured extensively nationally and internationally.

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2020 8:30AM-12:30PM 4 CREDITS

Chelsea Jewish Foundation

240 Lynnfield Street, Peabody

Kaplan Estates

Gray Building First Building on the Right

Community Room

REGISTER FOR CLASS BY MARCH 27, 2020

IT IS A KOSHER FACILITY

THERE IS NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINKS ALLOWED

FOOD AND DRINKS WILL BE PROVIDED AS ALWAYS

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**NAVIGATING INFECTION PREVENTION AND PROTOCOLS IN DENTAL
SETTINGS...OSHA/CDC UPDATE 2020**

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ADHA MEMBERS \$50.00 NON-MEMBERS \$75.00

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