

35 Years of World-Class CE-Based Surgical Instruction for Maxillofacial Surgeons, Prosthodonists, Periodonists, General Dentist and Surgical Support Staff



PIKOS INSTITUTE

At the Pikos Institute, we are dedicated to advancing the art and science of implant dentistry through exceptional continuing education. Guided by a philosophy that combines innovation, precision, and comprehensive care, we aim to empower clinicians with the skills and knowledge needed to excel in their practices. Our renowned faculty, with decades of hands-on experience and clinical excellence, brings cutting-edge techniques and a passion for teaching to every course. Together, we strive to inspire confidence and elevate the standard of patient care across the profession.

What sets the Pikos Institute apart is our unwavering commitment to excellence in dental implant education. Founded on a legacy of innovation and expertise, we combine cutting-edge science with proven clinical techniques to create a truly transformative learning experience. Our courses go beyond theory, providing hands-on training, personalized mentorship, and real-world applications to help you achieve mastery in your craft. With a faculty of world-class clinicians, a state-of-the-art learning environment, and a focus on delivering actionable insights, the Pikos Institute empowers you to elevate your skills, enhance your practice, and make a lasting impact on your patients' lives.

This is the Pikos Institute difference.

Founded in 1990

35+ Years of Implant Training

More than 7,000 alumni for all 50 States and 67 Countries





What to Expect from a Course at the Pikos Institute

At the Pikos Institute, every course is meticulously crafted to deliver an unparalleled educational experience.

Here's what you can expect:

Expert Instruction

Learn directly from Dr. Michael A. Pikos, the Institute's founder and CEO and our distinguished faculty, who bring decades of clinical expertise and a passion for teaching.

Hands-On Practice

Refine your skills through guided, hands-on exercises in a state-of-the-art facility equipped with the newest technologies.

Comprehensive Resources

Receive detailed course materials and post-course support to help you implement what you've learned with confidence.

Cutting-Edge Techniques

Stay ahead of the curve with the latest advancements in implant dentistry, backed by scientific evidence and real-world application.

Interactive Learning

Engage in dynamic discussions, live surgical demonstrations, and case reviews to deepen your understanding and decisionmaking abilities.

Personalized Attention

Benefit from small class sizes that allow for one-on-one interaction with faculty and tailored feedback to meet your unique needs

Our goal is to ensure that you leave every course empowered with the knowledge, skills, and confidence to elevate your practice and deliver exceptional patient care.

We don't just teach techniques—we help transform practices and empower clinicians to reach their full potential.

About Dr. Michael A. Pikos

Dr. Michael A. Pikos, founder and CEO of the Pikos Institute, is a world-renowned oral and maxillofacial surgeon with over 40 years of clinical expertise. As a pioneer in implant dentistry, Dr. Pikos has earned international recognition for his innovative surgical techniques and commitment to education. His dedication to advancing the profession has made the Pikos Institute a global leader in dental implant training.

Dr. Pikos has been teaching advanced bone and soft tissue grafting as well as full arch immediate reconstruction courses at the Institute since its inception. He is a renowned speaker throughout the world and author of his book, Bone Augmentation is Implant Dentistry. Through his lectures, hands-on workshops, and mentorship, Dr. Pikos inspires practitioners to deliver exceptional patient outcomes with precision and confidence rooted in the integration of science and art.

New Course For 2026!

Full Arch Implant Boot Camp Level 1 Overdentures to All on XYZ[™] for

Entry-Level Clinicians

June 12-13, 2026



Oral Surgery

& Implantology

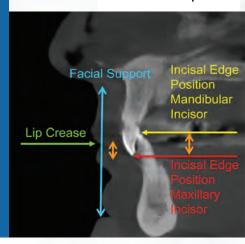
A clinician's first step to confident full-arch rehabilitation. Get full-arch basics in just two days at the prestigious Pikos Institute.



16 CE Hours

Featuring:

Lectures, and Hands-on Workshop



Course Overview

This two-day, hands-on course is designed as a clinician's first step into the world of full-arch implant rehabilitation. From overdentures to fixed solutions, participants will gain the foundational knowledge and practical skills required to confidently plan and execute their first full-arch cases.

DAY ONE focuses on patient selection, anatomy, risk assessment, and communication laying the groundwork for sound clinical decisions. Students will learn when to extract, how to obtain baseline digital records, and how to approach treatment planning through the lens of restorative space, smile line, and occlusal parameters. The afternoon sessions explore surgical and prosthetic principles for overdentures, including implant positioning, soft tissue handling, and attachment selection.

DAY TWO transitions into fixed prosthetic solutions for patients with favorable bone, addressing material choices, prosthetic design, and the full clinical workflow—from surgery to final restoration. A strong emphasis is placed on practical steps including; incision design, flap management, extraction protocols, common pitfalls and long-term maintenance strategies for both removable and fixed solutions.

The course concludes with an extensive hands-on workshop using models to practice implant placement, prosthetic protocols, and provisionalization techniques. At the conclusion of this course, students will be equipped with the core knowledge and confidence to begin offering full-arch implant options within their practice.

This is an absolute must-have course that is ideal for early-career implant dentists ready to expand their scope.

Course Objectives

- 1. Identify ideal patients and avoid red flags in full-arch case selection.
- 2. Interpret CBCT scans to evaluate bone, nerves, and sinus positions for full-arch planning.
- 3. Understand the role of torque, stability, and MUA in immediate loading.
- 4. Demonstrate basic implant placement on edentulous models.
- 5. Communicate digital scan and photo data to labs effectively.
- 6. Develop a simple treatment protocol for terminal dentition and edentulous cases.



Full Arch Implant Boot Camp Level 1 Overdentures to All On XYZ™ for Entry-Level Clinicians









Foundational Full Arch Therapy Demystified: All on XYZTM – Level 2

February 4-7, 2026 Or November 11-14, 2026

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EDUCATION

ACD Code August 1, 2023 to

31 CE Hours

Featuring: Lectures, Hands-on Workshop and Live Surgical Demonstration

Level 2 of the Full Arch Series offers a comprehensive introduction to immediate full-arch dental implant load therapy, featuring hands-on workshops, live surgery, expert-led lectures, evidence-based rationale for protocols, and advanced technology insights.

Course Overview

This foundational Level 2 course in the Full Arch Series at Pikos Institute delivers a cuttingedge approach to full-arch immediate load therapy.

Attendees will explore evidence-based principles, concepts, and technologies through expert-led lectures on analog and digital protocols, hands-on workshops, live surgeries, and sessions on hygiene maintenance and complication prevention.

Led by top oral surgeons, and prosthodontists, this course equips participants with predictable, evidence-based surgical and restorative protocols.

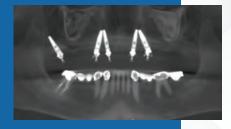
Course Objectives

- Understand the key evidence-based concepts and principles required for diagnosing and treatment planning of full-arch immediate load case types.
- 2. Master the complete step-by-step surgical, restorative (analog and digital), and laboratory components of the full-arch workflow.
- 3. Learn a hygiene maintenance program for full-arch patients and understand the recognition and prevention of potential complications.



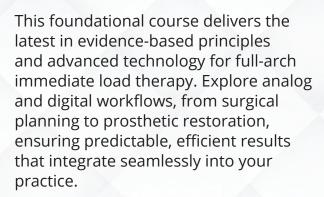


Foundational Full Arch Therapy Demystified: All on XYZ™ - Level 2





Master Workflows





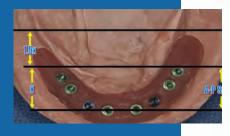
Expert-Led Learning **Experience**

Gain insights from renowned oral surgeons and prosthodontists, who share proven techniques and cuttingedge advancements. Their expertise equips you to confidently navigate complex full-arch cases and implement the most current, evidence-based protocols in your clinical practice.



Hands-On Workshops & Live Surgery

Refine your skills through immersive hands-on workshops and live surgical demonstration. These practical experiences bridge the gap between theory and clinical application, providing the confidence and expertise to handle immediate full-arch implant procedures with precision.



Focus on Long-Term Success



Learn to prevent and manage complications while implementing effective hygiene maintenance protocols for full-arch restorations. This ensures long-term patient satisfaction and case stability, solidifying your reputation as a trusted provider of advanced implant therapies.



Oral Surgery & Implantology

Palatal Implant Therapy: Alternative Approaches to Avoiding Zygomatic Implants

January 8-10, 2026



21 CE Hours

Featuring:

Lectures, Hands-on Workshop and Model Surgery

Achieve reliable full arch restorations without zygomatic implants – a patient-first approach for predictable clinical outcomes.

Course Overview

This FULL ARCH PLUS Course is designed to educate participants with the essential skills and knowledge required for effectively performing full arch implant treatment, particularly focusing on the FULL ARCH PLUS Concept developed by Dr. Pedro Rodrigues in 2007.

This innovative protocol addresses both standard and extremely atrophic maxillary cases while effectively avoiding the need for zygomatic implants. It will feature a unique palatal approach, use of paranasal bone, and the Golden Triangle along with the use of pterygoid implants. This same surgical protocol has application to the mandibular arch which will also be featured.

This course will emphasize a straightforward and efficient approach to immediate loading and will feature key success factors to optimize both aesthetic and functional outcomes.

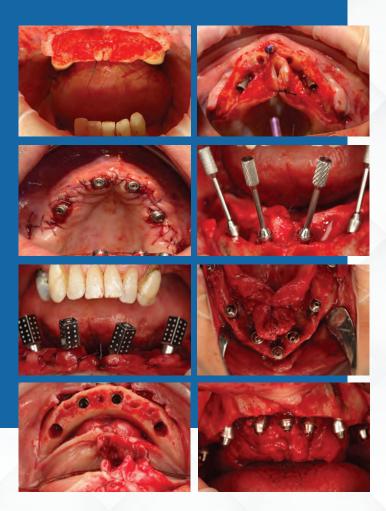
Participants will learn the "bulletproof protocol," ensuring reliable and predictable results for full arch immediate reconstruction cases. Attendees will gain valuable insights and practical skills that will enhance their clinical practices, enabling them to provide exceptional care to their patients.

This is truly a "think out of the box" course. A "game changer."

Course Objectives

- 1. Understand the indications and application of the FULL ARCH PLUS Concept.
- 2. Learn the FULL ARCH PLUS Concept: Surgical and restorative workflow.
- 3. Learn step-by-step surgical protocol for palatal and pterygoid implant placement.
- Navigate Complications of the palatal approach for implant placement: Prevention, Recognition and Treatment.





Master the FULL ARCH PLUS Concept for Predictable Outcomes

Attendees will learn Dr. Pedro Rodrigues' proven "bulletproof protocol," which emphasizes predictable, immediate-loading techniques that minimize complications and enhance long-term success in full arch reconstruction.

Network with Leading Experts and Peers

Surgeons will have the opportunity to connect with and learn from renowned experts in implantology, gaining insights from their experiences and building valuable professional connections to advance their own practices. Expand your skill set with evidence-based techniques.



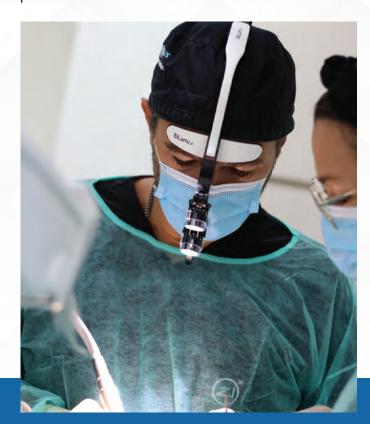
Palatal Implant Therapy: Alternative
Approaches to Avoiding Zygomatic Implants

Expand Treatment Options for Complex Cases

This course equips surgeons with advanced skills for treating severe atrophy in the maxilla without resorting to zygomatic implants, enabling them to manage cases that were previously challenging and resulted in more invasive procedures with related complications.

Increase Practice Revenue by Offering Alternative Solutions

By learning the palatal approach including the use of pterygoid implants and other innovative techniques, surgeons can differentiate their practice with specialized, patient-friendly solutions, attracting a broader range of patients and increasing procedural revenue.



Full Spectrum Zygomatic and Pterygoid Implant Therapy Demystified

September 9-12, 2026

Oral Surgery & Implantology



28 CE Hours

Featuring:

Lectures, Hands-on Model Workshop and Hands-on Cadaver Lab

Elevate your expertise in Zygomatic and Pterygoid Implant Therapy with this advanced course. Gain skills in treating the severely atrophic maxilla through expert lectures, hands-on cadaver surgery, model workshops, and cutting-edge digital planning.

Course Overview

This comprehensive training combines didactic sessions with hands-on experience to prepare clinicians for successful zygomatic and pterygoid implant therapy. Emphasizing prosthetically driven, conservative osteotomy preparation and innovative surgical techniques, participants will gain confidence in addressing complex cases. Key topics include anatomy, 3D digital planning, brain-guided and digitally guided protocols, photogrammetry, restorative workflows, and complication management. Attendees will leave equipped to implement these techniques immediately.

Course Objectives

- 1. Develop a patient-specific surgical decision tree based on evidence-based protocols.
- 2. Master foundational principles, including prosthetically driven techniques and relevant anatomy.
- 3. Gain proficiency in workflows for brain-guided and digitally guided implant placement.

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Comprehensive Hands-On Learning for Real-World Application

This course combines theory and practice to equip clinicians with advanced skills in zygomatic and pterygoid implant therapies. Through hands-on cadaver surgery, model workshops, and real-world scenarios, participants master innovative techniques to treat complex cases with precision, enhancing patient outcomes and setting their practices apart.

Evidence-Based Protocols for Improved Patient Outcomes

This science-based course equips clinicians with evidence-based protocols to enhance decision-making. Learn to create patient-specific surgical plans, master prosthetically driven techniques, and prevent complications. Gain the confidence to deliver safer, predictable results and establish yourself as a leader in advanced implant therapy.

Master Implant Dentistry with Advanced Technology

This course equips clinicians with 3D treatment planning, photogrammetry, and restorative workflows for precise, patient-centered care. Learn freehand and guided protocols and streamline surgeries to boost practice efficiency, appeal to tech-savvy patients, and stay at the forefront of dental innovation.















New Course For 2026!

Full-Arch Live Surgery Immersion – Curitiba, Brazil

34 CE Hours

June 1-4, 2026

A Premium Hands-On Immediate Load Surgical Implant Experience by Dr. Michael A. Pikos at ILAPEO Dental School

Featuring: Lecture, Hands-on Workshop and Live Patient Surgery Experience



Perform Full-Arch Cases On 4 Patients (4 arches) as Lead and Assisting Surgeon in Brazil — 1:1 Hands-On Training in Immediate Loading & Digital Workflow

Course Overview

Transform Your Full-Arch Skills in the Surgical Capital of Brazil With The Credibility of The Pikos Institute.

Join the Pikos Institute for a rare, immersive clinical experience at the state-of-the-art ILAPEO training facility in Curitiba, Brazil—home of Neodent.

Neodent has a strong partnership with ILAPEO, the Latin American Institute of Dental Research and Education, an internationally renowned center of excellence in research and continued education in dental clinical practice.

This 4-day, one-on-one full-arch surgical training program is designed exclusively for 20 advanced-level clinicians ready to elevate their immediate loading techniques through real-world surgical application.

Space is limited to 20 participants.

Note: This course requires proof of implant experience with 50-100 implants placed per year and evidence of any other prior implant training.

Guided by Dr. Michael Pikos, the Pikos Institute Faculty and the ILAPEO faculty, each participant will perform two full-arch implant surgeries as lead surgeon and assist in two additional cases. You will plan, execute, and restore cases using cutting-edge tools including Smilecloud digital diagnostics, photogrammetry, 3D printed prototype evaluation, and real-time chairside conversion protocols.

The week includes didactic sessions, model-based simulation, a live surgical demonstration by Neodent founder Dr. Geninho Thomé, and four patient surgeries per clinician—offering a level of hands-on learning that is unmatched in the field. All surgeries will be supervised by master clinician faculty to ensure clinical precision and case success.

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Course Objectives

Case Selection & Treatment Planning

- Diagnose and treatment plan full-arch cases, including: Radiographic interpretation, digital recordtaking and facial scan integration, and pre-surgical planning.
- Apply prosthetic fundamentals to achieve predictable esthetics, function, and biomechanics.
- Differentiate between levels of alveolar atrophy and understand surgical and prosthetic implications for each condition.

Surgical Techniques & Live Patient Protocols

- Prepare patients for full-arch surgery and review IV sedation fundamentals for safe, relaxed surgical procedures.
- Master full-arch immediate-load implant surgery, including: flap reflection, soft tissue management, and bone reduction techniques; anatomical recognition: paranasal bones, remote fixation areas (e.g., pterygoids), and when to use them; osteotomy and implant placement techniques; and evidencebased protocols for achieving primary stability and immediate function.
- Alternative techniques (palatal approach, trans-sinus, and subnasal protocols) and an introduction to zygomatic implants—when to use and when to avoid.
- Develop an algorithm for managing soft bone situations (how to recognize soft bone, adjust the surgical plan, and respond step-by-step in real-time).

Prosthetic Concepts and Immediate Loading

- Understand monolithic zirconia: proper design, vertical/horizontal dimensions.
- Select and position multi-unit abutments for longterm prosthetic success.
- Immediate prosthetic protocols (analog, digital, and hybrid workflows) and fast chairside conversion using NeoConvert techniques.
- Address implant depth, abutment height, and bone reduction to optimize prosthetic fit.
- Biomechanical considerations (implant design, placement strategies, and angulation for full-arch cases).
- Implants—when to use and when to avoid.

Practice Integration

- Learn how to reduce chair time and increase efficiency and profitability.
- Gain the confidence to implement these protocols immediately upon returning to your practice.
- Discuss ethical and cultural considerations in live patient settings, including informed consent, international patient care, and safety protocols. (how to recognize soft bone, adjust the surgical plan, and respond step-by-step in real-time).

Management of Complications

- Prevent prosthetic and surgical complications through sound principles.
- Avoid re-dos by planning effectively and designing hygienic prostheses.
- Learn strategies for identifying, managing, and correcting complications when they do occur.





New Course For 2026!

Subperiosteal Implant Course Advanced Full-Arch Reconstruction

for the Severely Edentulous

Full Abstract & Date To Be Announced

Join Dr. Michal A. Pikos in 2026 for his signature Subperiosteal Implant Course inspired by his 35,000 cases of advanced full-arch treatment, and being the last resort to helping patients when traditional implants are no longer viable.

Oral Surgery & Implantology

16 CE Hours

Featuring: Lectures, & Hands-on Workshop

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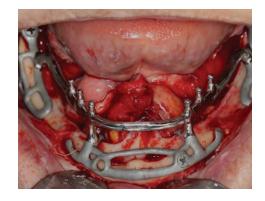
Course Overview

This intensive two-day course addresses the subperiosteal implant protocol—an advanced full-arch solution for the severely resorbed maxilla or mandible where conventional implants are not possible. Often considered the "last resort" in surgical implantology, subperiosteals are life-changing solutions for patients that prevousy had no other options.

You'll gain comprehensive insight into diagnosis, imaging, digital design, surgical exposure and flap technique, custom frame placement, soft tissue management, and prosthetic planning.

Working directly with Dr. Michael A. Pikos and our preferred lab partners, attendees will move from case selection and virtual design to surgical execution and prosthetic delivery.

This is a once a year offering at the Pikos Institute and capped at 36 seats.









Course Overview

Over the course of three immersive days, participants will gain comprehensive, evidence-based insights into full-arch rehabilitation — from diagnostic foundations to digital surgical execution and streamlined restorative workflows using fully guided, partially guided, and immediate load protocols.

The course emphasizes digital dentistry innovations that simplify complex full-arch treatments while maintaining the highest standard of accuracy and predictability. A strong focus is also placed on long-term success factors, including maintenance protocols, complication management, and evidence-based strategies for optimal patient outcomes.

By the conclusion of this condensed program, attendees will be equipped with practical skills, digital and surgical confidence and reproducible workflows to immediately integrate full-arch immediate load therapy into their clinical practice — giving you the confidence to deliver predictable, efficient, and accurate care for the best paient outcomes.







Mastering Implants in the **Esthetic Zone**

Oral Surgery & Implantology

16 CE Hours

Featuring: Lectures, Case **Studies**

November 7-8, 2025

A Perio-Pros Approach. From digital planning to perfect smiles - master the esthetic zone with perio-pros precision.

Course Overview

The integration of digital technology in implant placement within the esthetic zone has revolutionized modern implant dentistry, offering precision and efficiency. The true key to achieving superior and predictable esthetic outcomes lies in the seamless combination of digital workflows with fundamental biological principles.

Periodontal surgery techniques, when properly applied, help ensure the preservation and enhancement of soft tissue, which is essential for achieving natural-looking and harmonious restorations.

This course will demonstrate how incorporating evidence-based periodontal protocols, along with digital technology, can optimize both surgical and prosthetic results in the esthetic zone, ultimately leading to enhanced patient satisfaction and longterm success.

Course Objectives

Recognize treatment planning considerations for immediate vs. delayed implant placement

- 1. Understand how to achieve excellent esthetic outcomes with good long-term stability of dental implants using conventional and digital workflows.
- 2. Apply biologic principles for current surgical and prosthetic procedures in the esthetic zone.
- 3. Master the principles of provisionalization and custom tissue formers to create optimal soft tissue architecture for implant-supported restorations.

















Treatment Planning for Immediate vs. Delayed Implant Placement

Explore key considerations and strategies for selecting the optimal timing for implant placement in esthetic cases.

Achieving Predictable Esthetic Outcomes with Digital and Conventional Workflows

Learn how to blend digital technology with traditional techniques to ensure stable, visually appealing results.

Biologic Principles in Esthetic Implant Surgery

Understand and apply essential biologic concepts that contribute to soft tissue preservation and enhanced implant success.

Provisionalization and Custom Tissue Formers for Optimal Soft Tissue Architecture

Master the art of creating customized tissue formers to shape ideal soft tissue profiles for implant-supported restorations.

Long-Term Stability of Esthetic Implant Restorations

Gain insights into techniques and materials that support durable, esthetic outcomes and maximize patient satisfaction.



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Contemporary Soft Tissue Grafting for Implant Reconstruction

October 8-10, 2026

Master soft tissue grafting protocols with decades of case insights and modern advancements.

This course builds confidence and expertise in predictable implant soft tissue surgery, equipping you with lifelong skills in regenerative techniques and management.

Course Objectives

- 1. Master advanced grafting techniques, including ADM Allografts and Esthetic Zone Reconstruction.
- 2. Understand soft tissue management for predictable, stable outcomes in implants and bone grafts.
- 3. Manage complications and improve outcomes with innovations like Growth Factor Technology.
- 4. Elevate your practice with clinical excellence and enhanced profitability.



490

23 CE Hours

Featuring: Lecture, Hands-on Workshop and Live Surgical Demonstrations

Course Overview

Master soft tissue grafting in this hands-on course featuring live surgical demonstrations. Gain the skills to perform diverse procedures with precision and confidence, grounded in decades of case documentation and cutting-edge advancements.

Learn to perform Gingival & Subepithelial Connective Tissue Grafts, Pedicle Tunnel Connective Tissue Grafts™, Vestibuloplasty, ADM Allografts, Esthetic Zone Reconstruction, and Growth Factor Technology.

Workshops and live demonstrations ensure practical experience, empowering you to immediately apply these techniques, excel in implant soft tissue surgery, improve patient outcomes, and elevate your practice.





















Master Predictable Soft Tissue Grafting Techniques

Enhance Surgical Precision and Outcomes

Stay Ahead with Advanced Risk Management Gain evidence-based strategies for predictable results in soft tissue grafting, from gingival grafts to advanced allografts. Learn proven methods for esthetic zone reconstruction and implant site management, empowering you to achieve excellence in oral implant rehabilitation.

Develop expertise in soft tissue anatomy, wound healing, and flap design for optimal implant surgery. Master eight essential suturing techniques and learn to integrate growth factor technology, ensuring precise and efficient surgical outcomes while minimizing complications.

Understand key principles of risk management and informed consent for complex soft tissue grafting. Learn to recognize, prevent, and manage complications effectively, equipping you with the confidence to deliver safe and successful patient care.





Alveolar Ridge Strategies: Single Tooth to Full Arch Reconstruction

March 25-28, 2026



31 CE Hours

Master predictable success in advanced bone augmentation through evidence-based protocols that optimize outcomes and minimize complications. This course provides practical instruction to expand your clinical capabilities in implant site development, enabling confident treatment of complex cases.

Featuring: Lecture, Hands-on Workshop and Live Surgical Demonstrations

Course Overview

This comprehensive course provides hands-on hard tissue grafting training, combining advanced tissue engineering principles with practical surgical demonstrations. Participants will master the fundamentals of bone biology, bioactive modifiers, and the strategic use of blood-borne and recombinant proteins. Through expert instruction, attendees will develop proficiency in Cone Beam CT sequential diagnosis and sophisticated treatment planning protocols for complex cases.

The program delivers in-depth coverage of essential techniques including Guided Bone Regeneration (GBR), mandibular block autografts, and alveolar ridge augmentation using mesh particulate techniques. Live surgical demonstrations and hands-on workshops focus on extraction site management, pre-bone graft soft tissue protocols, and ridge expansion procedures.

Special attention is given to understanding bisphosphonate considerations and implementing precise surgical protocols for predictable outcomes.

Participants will learn the critical "why" behind each procedural step, enabling them to optimize treatment outcomes and minimize complications. The course emphasizes the integration of 3D digital diagnostics, rhBMP-2 applications, and various bioactive modifiers within comprehensive treatment plans.

Through intensive hands-on training, attendees will gain the confidence to expand their clinical expertise in both horizontal and vertical bone augmentation, transforming their approach to patient care.



Course Objectives

- 1. Deploy the practical application of advanced hard tissue augmentation, incision design and suturing techniques for predictable implant rehabilitation.
- 2. Understand the indications, guidelines, and surgical protocols for advanced bone grafting procedures.
- 3. Perform implant related advanced hard tissue augmentation procedures.
- 4. Understand the anatomy, biology and wound healing of advanced bone grafting.

Master Advanced Bone Augmentation Techniques

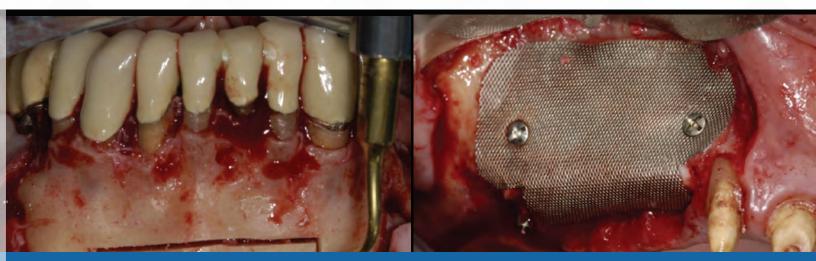
This course offers hands-on training and live surgical demonstration in advanced horizontal and vertical bone augmentation, equipping participants with the skills and confidence to perform complex procedures like Guided Bone Regeneration (GBR), ridge expansion, and titanium mesh placement.

Integrate Science-Based Practices for Optimal Outcomes

Gain a deep understanding of the "why" behind procedural steps, rooted in 20 years of evidence-based studies. Learn how to minimize complications, enhance outcomes, and seamlessly incorporate advanced bone grafting techniques into comprehensive treatment plans.

Expand Clinical Expertise and Patient Care

By mastering cutting-edge techniques and technologies such as 3D digital diagnostics and growth factor technology, attendees will not only transform their professional growth but also push the limits of patient acceptance and care, addressing even the most challenging cases with confidence.





23 CE Hours

Featuring:

Lectures, Hands-on Workshops & Live Surgical Demonstrations



Sinus Grafting for Implant Reconstruction

March 12-14, 2026 Or August 20-22, 2026

Gain insights from Dr. Pikos' 34+ years and 1,600+ sinus grafts to learn 'what works, what doesn't, and why.' This expert-led course hones technical skills and clinical judgment for implant surgery, includes hands-on workshops and live surgery.

Course Overview

This comprehensive course explores the Pikos Institute's sinus bone grafting philosophy and protocols, utilizing a 3D digital diagnostic approach for predictable sinus augmentation outcomes. The curriculum, rooted in scientific principles, presents seven key algorithms for reliable grafting. It covers sinus bone graft biology, guided bone regeneration, and material differences (autografts, allografts, xenografts, alloplasts) for optimal selection. Detailed protocols for lateral and crestal approaches are included, with indications for each. Long-term cases (10-20+ years) illustrate grafting impacts. Advanced growth factors (L-PRF, PRGF, PRP, rhPDGF, rhBMP-2) are explored for implant success, alongside risk management for complications like thickened membranes, polyps, and cysts.

Course Objectives

- 1. Describe the Pikos Institute Philosophy for sinus bone grafting and gain confidence in the clinical and sequential CBCT evaluation protocol.
- 2. Understand the indications, guidelines, and surgical protocols for sinus bone grafting for dental implants, including both lateral and crestal approaches.
- 3. Perform sinus bone grafting with both delayed and simultaneous implant placement.
- 4. Comprehend the anatomy, biology, and wound healing processes involved in sinus bone grafting and a sinus lift.
- 5. Recognize, manage, and prevent intraoperative and postoperative complications associated with sinus bone grafting and sinus augmentation.



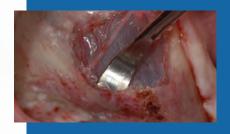


Sinus Grafting for Implant Reconstruction













Learn from Dr. Michael A. Pikos' 1,600+ Sinus Grafts

Gain insights from Dr. Michael A. Pikos' experience with over 1,600 sinus grafts. Discover what works and what doesn't in sinus augmentation, including successful techniques and common pitfalls. Explore nuances of grafting materials, complex cases, and tips to ensure stability and integration, helping you achieve effective outcomes.



Elevate your implant site development skills with hands-on practice and live surgical demonstrations. Observe procedures in real time and participate in practical sessions to build confidence in essential skills, from bone grafting to soft tissue management, ensuring successful outcomes.

Discover a 3D Digital Diagnostic Approach with Core Principles for Successful Sinus Augmentation

Unlock the potential of 3D digital diagnostics to improve sinus augmentation outcomes. Learn principles that guide each step, from pre-surgical planning to execution, helping you visualize structures, identify risks, and customize procedures. This approach enables precise results, minimizes complications, and enhances patient care.

Boost confidence in risk management by developing effective strategies for identifying, assessing, and mitigating potential risks

Enhance your ability to handle complications with a proactive approach, while utilizing advanced growth factors to drive innovation, improve decision-making, and achieve long-term business success.



New Course For 2026!

Mastering Peri-Implantitis Treatment

Oral Surgery & Implantology

Advanced Surgical and Non-Surgical Strategies

April 10-11, 2026

Master state-of-the-art protocols to prevent peri-implantitis, maintain implant health, and regenerate lost tissue using evidence based implant maintenance and treatment techniques from a world-renowned expert in the field of peri-implantitis.



Featuring: Lecture, Hands-on Workshop

Course Overview

Peri-implantitis has rapidly emerged as one of the most significant challenges facing modern implant dentistry, affecting an increasing number of patients and jeopardizing long-term implant success.

If not diagnosed and treated early, peri-implantitis can result in progressive bone loss, soft tissue compromise, and ultimately, implant failure.

In response to this growing clinical need, this comprehensive masterclass offers a state-of-the-art exploration of both surgical and non-surgical management approaches, grounded in the latest scientific evidence and clinical best practices.

Participants in this masterclass will delve into a rigorous, hands-on curriculum designed to equip clinicians with the confidence and clinical acumen needed to diagnose, treat, and prevent peri-implant disease at the highest standard of care.

By the end of the course, attendees will possess a complete, actionable framework for managing peri-implant diseases—from early intervention to advanced regenerative solutions. Participants will leave with the skills to improve patient outcomes, protect the long-term viability of implant treatments, and confidently navigate complex peri-implantitis cases with surgical precision and scientific rigor.

Key Topics Include:

Evidence-Based Protocols: Learn the latest guidelines for diagnosing and treating peri-implant diseases.

Hands-On Experience: Engage in practical sessions focusing on implant surface decontamination, regenerative techniques, and soft tissue management.

Risk Assessment: Understand patient-specific factors and implant characteristics that contribute to peri-implantitis. Learn more about the hype around titanium particles and how to manage them.

Maintenance Strategies: Develop effective maintenance plans to ensure long-term implant success without damaging the implant surface.



Course Objectives

- 1. Diagnose peri-implant diseases accurately using clinical and radiographic assessments.
- 2. Implement non-surgical interventions, including mechanical debridement and antimicrobial therapies.
- 3. Perform surgical procedures such as implantoplasty and guided bone regeneration.
- 4. Assess and manage soft tissue deficiencies around implants.
- 5. Develop individualized maintenance protocols to prevent disease recurrence.
- 6. Understand the role of Titanium corrosion and particles in peri-implant diseases.

Elevate your ability to diagnose, treat, and prevent peri-implantitis—and safeguard your patients' smiles for a lifetime.

Cut Through The Confusion

Peri-implantitis treatment and maintenance are plagued by inconsistent protocols and high recurrence rates. This course brings clarity with evidence-based, clinically tested strategies.

Get Hands-on With What Actually Works

Learn and apply cutting-edge detoxification and titanium repassivation techniques proven to restore surface integrity and support tissue healing.

Understand the Unseen Culprit

Discover the critical—often overlooked—role of titanium particles in driving inflammation and bone loss, and learn how to effectively prevent and counteract their impact in real-world cases.

Mastering Peri-Implantitis Treatment Advanced Surgical and Non-Surgical Strategies











Mastering Implant Dentistry Fundamentals

Module 1: August 6-8, 2026

Module 2: November 5-7, 2026

Module 3: March 4-6, 2027

Module 4: June 3-5, 2027



108 CE HoursAcross 4 Modules

Featuring:

Lecture, Hands-on Workshop and Live Surgical Demonstrations Master the implant process with Dr. Michael A. Pikos. Gain foundational skills, boost patient outcomes, grow your practice, and join the Pikos Alumni network for lasting professional growth. Blend theory and hands-on training to excel in implantology.

Course Overview

Mastering Implant Dentistry Fundamentals is designed to elevate your practice by expanding your expertise and enhancing patient care. Gain essential skills in implant dentistry, refine surgical and prosthetic techniques, and boost patient outcomes with confidence.

Learn effective communication to increase case acceptance and build lasting relationships with implant patients. This course combines theoretical knowledge with hands-on experience and connects you to the Pikos Alumni network, fostering lifelong learning and professional growth. Transform your practice and deliver exceptional care with this comprehensive program.

Course Objectives

- 1. Master foundational principles in implant dentistry.
- Evaluate patients for implant candidacy and develop comprehensive treatment plans.
- 3. Learn clinical anatomy, surgical techniques, and restorative methods.
- 4. Address complications like peri-implantitis and refine maintenance strategies.











Module 1 Focus

Surgical Extraction, Socket Graft, Single Implant Placement



Module 2 Focus

Multiple Implants, GBR, Compromised Sockets, L-PRF



Module 3 Focus

Soft Tissue Grafting, Provisionalization, Acellular Dermis Matrix



Module 4 Focus

Overdenture, Hygiene, Restoring Implants, Peri-implantitis

Comprehensive Implant Education

Gain a solid foundation in implant dentistry, focusing on essential principles that bridge theory and practice. This course empowers you with actionable knowledge, equipping you to confidently address complex cases and deliver exceptional patient outcomes in your practice.

Expert-Led, Hands-On Training

Learn directly from seasoned implant dentistry professionals through hands-on sessions designed to deepen your skills. You'll engage with practical exercises that translate advanced techniques into real-world application, ensuring you're fully prepared to excel in clinical scenarios.

Enhanced Practice Growth Opportunities

Broaden your clinical offerings by mastering implant fundamentals, positioning yourself as a leader in your community. This course provides the tools to attract a wider patient base, boost case acceptance rates, and significantly elevate the profitability of your dental practice.

Collaborative Learning Environment

Join a network of like-minded professionals dedicated to advancing their expertise. Through collaborative discussions and interactive sessions, you'll share insights, exchange ideas, and build lasting connections that support your growth long after the course concludes.



Cosmetic Dentistry

New Course For 2026!

Creating Life-Like Teeth with Direct Composite Resin



16 CE Hours

Featuring: Lectures, & Hands-on Workshops

October 23-24, 2026

Predictable, Profitable Techniques for Everyday Esthetic Dentistry

This lecture, live demonstration and hands on program by the nationally renowned. Robert Margeas, DDS will give you the confidence to create invisible restorations for diastema closures, class 4 fractures, direct resin veneers, closing black triangles and injection molding techniques.

Course Overview

This comprehensive two-day course is designed specifically for the everyday practicing dentist who wants to deliver esthetic, efficient, and profitable results using direct composite resin. You'll learn how to confidently create life-like, invisible restorations using minimally invasive techniques that preserve natural tooth structure and provide patients with a highly esthetic alternative to porcelain.

Throughout the course, you'll discover proven, real-world strategies to streamline your workflow, enhance patient outcomes, and boost profitability. Techniques are taught by a full-time clinician who uses them daily in a busy practice—so everything you see is practical, repeatable, and relevant.

Using a visualizer, you'll observe unedited, live clinical footage recorded directly from the instructor's operatory. These real-time demonstrations will walk you through each step of the process, showing what actually happens in a real-world setting—not a staged or polished edit. You'll also benefit from tips, tricks, and pearls learned through years of clinical experience—insights that you can immediately apply in your practice on Monday morning.

The program includes hands-on sessions with direct instructor guidance, giving you the opportunity to ask questions, receive feedback, and refine your technique in a supportive environment. Whether you're looking to improve efficiency, elevate esthetics, or reduce reliance on lab-fabricated restorations, this course will transform the way you approach composite dentistry.

Course Objectives

- Learn a sculpting technique for blending composites.
- 2. Free hand diastema closure.
- 3. Utilizing Bioclear™ matrix for closing black triangles.
- 4. Create a direct composite veneer to rival porcelain.
- 5. Learn a 1- step finishing and polishing technique for maximum esthetic results.
- 6. How to bevel and make your class 4 restorations invisible.

Why Attend This Live Dental Implant Course

Dr. Robert Margeas is one of the most respected voices in esthetic and restorative dentistry today—a master clinician, sought-after educator, and editorial leader whose teaching style is both practical and inspiring.

Learn to sculpt and layer composite resin to achieve proper tooth contour that can mimic the natural tooth.

Learn finishing and polishing techniques to create all types of surface texture.

Different effects will be shown and completed by the participants for incisal translucency and characterizations.

Who Should Attend

This course is designed for general dentists, prosthodontists, and expanded function dental assistants who want to elevate their skills in direct composite resin techniques. It's ideal for clinicians seeking practical, real-world methods to deliver esthetic, conservative, and profitable restorations in a busy everyday practice. Whether you're restoring single teeth or enhancing full smiles, this program provides the hands-on knowledge to make composite artistry part of your daily workflow.



Creating Life Like Teeth with Direct Composite Resin





Implant Dentistry Protocols for Dental Assistants, Hygienists & Surgical Support Staff

Date to be Anncounced Soon



Course Overview

Implant Dentistry Protocols for Dental Assistants, Hygienists & Surgical Support Staff is a transformative two-day course designed for dental team members seeking expertise in implant dentistry.

This program offers a comprehensive curriculum on surgical principles, preoperative planning, intraoperative techniques, and postoperative care. Through workshops, attendees will build confidence in managing implant cases, enhancing patient care, and fostering teamwork.



Course Objectives

- **1. Comprehensive Knowledge:** Understand surgical principals and patient care protocols for optimal outcomes.
- **2. Patient-Centered Care:** Implement best practices to improve efficiency, precision, and patient outcomes.
- **3. Team Collaboration:** Build confidence as a vital team member, enhancing teamwork and professional growth.



16 CE Hours

Lectures, Hands-on Workshop, Live Demonstration and Real-world Simulations

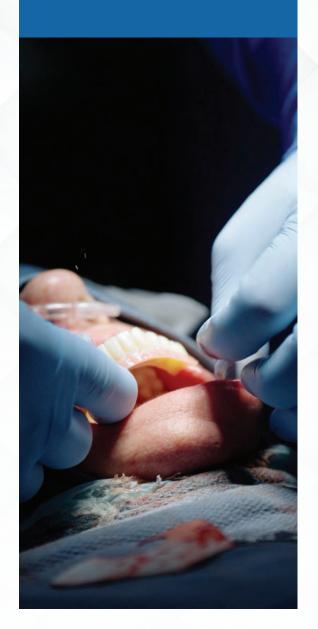
A dynamic two-day course for surgical support staff!

Gain expert-led training, hands-on experience, and cutting-edge insights into surgical techniques. Perfect for those dental assistants, hygienists & surgical support staff that are new to implant dentistry or looking to expand their skills, this program empowers you to enhance patient outcomes and advance your career.

Implant Dentistry Protocols for Dental Assistants, Hygienists & Surgical Support Staff

Master Implant Dentistry Protocols

This course equips you and your staff to deliver exceptional patient outcomes and elevate your practice.







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- Fundamentals of Dental Implant Procedures
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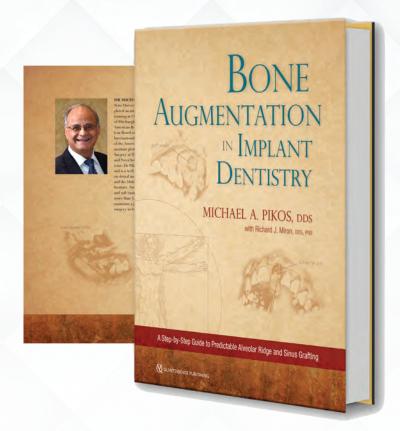
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Dr. Bryan Neuwirth, OMS



I always expect to get a pearl or two from CE, but this was exceptional. I got a big PEARL -

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Dr. Douglas Harshberger, GP



I have attended Pikos courses and symposiums for the last 25 years and always walk away impressed. The Guided Surgery course was no exception. The knowledge and experience delivered through this course is invaluable to anyone who wants to provide state of the art immediate load cases.



Dr. Nelson Eddy, Perio Rockhill, SC



These courses (bone and soft tissue so far) are providing the sound evidence/ science for what we put into clinical practice. The material is presented in a step-by-step fashion so you can begin applying the technique immediatley when you return to your practice.



Dr. Andrea McPhillips, OMS $\overrightarrow{\square} \overline{\mathbb{W}}$ Stephenville, TX



This seminar is one of the best seminars I have attended. Very precise, concise and nicely presented. A lot of very good practical information.



Dr. David Lee, GP 📆 🕅 Baltimore, MD

This is one of the most fantastic courses I have taken. The pace and content are practical and extremely well conveyed and demonstrated... In a day and age where the complexity of dental technology and dentistry as a whole, continues to outpace our abilities to adapt, Dr. Pikos and his incredible team courageously forge forward into the unknown – graciously and humbly expanding our abilities to provide state-of-the art care to our patients and communities in a display of surgical, restorative and didactic brilliance.



Dr. Jason Stoner, Perio ☐W Dublin, OH

Being a senior OMS faculty at an academy medical center, we are frequently doing reconstruction and bone graft. Having been to numerous surgically centered CE courses, I have found this course to have been the most surgically and clinically beneficial course of all. The many pearls of knowledge will have great benefit for all procedures from the simple "doghouse" rehabilitation to the large "castles." I will be a future participant for other Pikos Institute courses.



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