

# KDHA Spring Meeting

Saturday, March 10, 2018

Holiday Inn, Salina, KS

6 CEU's

## ***“Connecting the Dots: A Gingivitis Code Finally!”***

Your patient presents with inflamed, hemorrhagic gingiva, light to moderate subgingival calculus, light supragingival calculus on the mandibular lingual anteriors, and generalized pseudo-pocketing. For all of the history of Current Dental Terminology (CDT) coding, there have been no truly accurate codes that can be used for the treatment this patient needs. In 2017, using current codes is required whether filing for benefits or basic record keeping. Coding and coverage are not the same. Reimbursements based on codes will be tied to outcomes in the future. Every dental team has a role. Learn how to connect the dots with new and old codes.

## ***“Riding the Silver Tsunami: A Guide to Creating an Oral Systemic Practice”***

Every day starting in 2011, ten-thousand (10,000) people turn age 65 daily and will continue for many more years! Medical advances have enabled people to live longer and healthier lives, dental advances have resulted in the preservation of healthy dentition in these later years. You already know that many oral symptoms can be a key indicator of a more serious health condition. This fact has particularly serious implications for Baby Boomers, many of whom cease their routine oral care visits with retirement. Dental professionals can prepare themselves to meet these demands with a thorough knowledge of the needs and treatments specific to this demographic.



*Patti  
DiGangi,  
RDH, BS*

Patti DiGangi, RDH, BS believes we can have a world with no oral cancer. Cure, not just manage, periodontal disease. Meet the 2020 Goal of World Federation of Dentistry for a caries-free world. Codes are the language inter-operable digital health records connecting dentistry to hospitals, pharmacies, medical practices and more. Patti's efforts have assisted thousands of professionals to code more accurately and efficiently. In fact, the American Dental Association recognized her expertise by inviting her as 1 of only 12 authors to write a chapter in their *CDT 2017 Companion* book. She demystifies coding with workshops and little books of easily digestible stories about patients like we see every day. *A Gingivitis Code Finally!* is the 5th book in her dentalCodeology series. Patti holds publishing and speaking licenses with the American Dental Association for *CurrentDental Terminology* and *SNODENT Diagnostic Coding*. She is a proud member of the National Speakers Association. She can be reached at [www.DentalCodeology.com](http://www.DentalCodeology.com) or [Patti@DentalCodeology.com](mailto:Patti@DentalCodeology.com)

## **Hotel Information:**

**Holiday Inn**, 3145 South 9<sup>th</sup> St, Salina, KS 67401 (785) 404-6767.

Room rates \$104.99 plus tax (includes breakfast). Please note you are with the Kansas Dental Hygienists' Association when calling. Reservations must be made by February 16, 2018.

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## **CE Meeting Location:**

### **Holiday Inn**

**3145 South 9<sup>th</sup> St**

**Salina, KS 67401**

**785-404-6767**

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## **For questions contact:**

KDHA Treasurer  
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*Please Note: Refund requests must be made prior to February 17, 2018. Requests must be made in writing and submitted to: Stephanie Witt, KDHA Treasurer.*

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**Patti DiGangi, RDH, BS  
(6 total CEU'S)**

Registration: 8:30 am  
CE: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm  
Lunch: 12:00 - 1:00 pm  
Lunch and Afternoon snack included!

***Sponsored by Crown Seating,  
Young Dental, Lexicomp and  
MouthWatch Intraoral Camera***



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## Invite the office team to attend this CE event!!

**RAFFLE: Saddle Chair,  
Lexicomp Online, Young  
Dental Handpiece and  
MouthWatch Intraoral  
Camera!!  
Drawing at the end of the  
CE event\***



**Crown Seating Denver Operator  
Stool – Value \$848**

**Lexicomp Online – Value \$399**

**Young Dental Handpiece – Value \$699**

**MouthWatch Intraoral Camera –  
Value \$299**

**Tickets: 1 for \$10/ 3 for \$25  
if you cannot attend meeting, YOU  
can still purchase tickets!\***

**\*Winner need not be present, but will  
be responsible for getting  
the chair to their destination.**

## Registration Form

\*\*\* Please use one form per registration \*\*\*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please provide email to enable us to send you the speaker  
handouts)

ADHA Member # \_\_\_\_\_

### **Registration/Mtg fee:**

#### **KDHA Member**

- **\$ 80** postmarked by Feb. 16, 2018
- **\$ 99** after Feb. 16, 2018

#### **Non-Member RDH's/DDS/Dental Staff**

- **\$ 135** postmarked by Feb. 16, 2018
- **\$ 165** after Feb. 16, 2018

#### **Student**

- **\$25** postmarked by Feb. 16, 2018
- **\$35** after Feb. 16, 2018

**RAFFLE TICKET purchase: 1 for \$10 or 3  
for \$25-No purchase limit  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ for # tickets \_\_\_\_\_**

**\*\* Lunch and snack included in fee\*\***

Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***Please detach this portion of the brochure and  
return it with your check made payable to:***

***“Kansas Dental Hygienists’ Association”***

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