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License Number(s):

Is Awarded 3 Hour(s) of Continuing Education Credit for Successful Completion of:

Strategies for Searching the Literature Using PubMed

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Method: Self-instructional

AGD Subject Code(s): 130, 770

Upon completion of this course, the dental professional should be able to:

- Identify key search terms using the components of a PICO question (Patient/Population Problem, Intervention, Comparison and Outcome).
- Navigate PubMed's home page.
- Apply PubMed's Filters and Advance Search Features in conducting an efficient search.
- Search the PubMed MeSH Database to find the correct indexing terms.
- Describe how to use Boolean operators (AND, OR and NOT) to combine search terms.
- Discuss how using the PubMed 'Filters' feature assists in finding the highest levels of evidence.
- Explain how to combine previous search queries using the Advanced Search History feature.
- Effectively use PubMed to find evidence to answer a question using the PubMed features including: MeSH, Boolean Operators, Filters, and the Advance Search History.
- Conduct a PubMed search using the Clinical Queries feature.
- Compare the traditional comprehensive PubMed search with using the PubMed Clinical Queries feature.

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