

大学院特別講義のご案内

- **Date and time: 5:00-6:30 pm, March 28, 2018.**

- **Speaker: Douglas B. Berkey, DMD, MPH, MS**

Professor emeritus at the University of Colorado, School of Dental Medicine

- Place: 示説室

- **Title: “Making the Medical-Dental Connection for Older Adults: U.S. Perspectives”**

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- Abstract:

Growth of geriatric populations globally is quite dramatic and will greatly impact the dentist. The general and dental disease burden afflicting the elderly is typically very substantial. Oral, chronic, and other systemic conditions share common risk factors that require close collaboration between oral health professionals and other health care providers. This presentation will address the critical need for and tips regarding how a dental professional should perform a thorough multidimensional assessment of a geriatric patient. A United States perspective on the importance of and examples regarding how to better collaborate with physicians and other health care providers as a best practice approach will be discussed. In conclusion, emerging present and future trends pertaining to the coupling of oral and general health care delivery will be considered.

- Objectives:

The participant will understand at the conclusion of this presentation:

- ✓ The impactful burden of chronic and oral disease afflicting many older adults
- ✓ Reasons and strategies to more thoroughly assess geriatric dental patients
- ✓ How to better collaborate with medical and other key interdisciplinary health partners to provide better dental care for the frail elderly.

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