



# Functional and Airway Focused Pediatric Orthodontic Care



**JAN 24-25, 2025 | FEB 28-MAR 1, 2025 | MAR 28-29, 2025 | MAY 9-10, 2025**

FOR GENERAL AND PEDIATRIC DENTISTS | 128 CE HOURS\* (16 PER SESSION) AGD CODE 370

This course is targeted toward pediatric and family dentists and hygienists and will explore the rationale and practice of orthodontic and myofunctional intervention from infancy to the teen years. The goal of functional and airway focused orthodontic diagnosis and treatment is to not only provide a child with a beautiful smile and proper dental occlusion, but also to help develop a stable and healthy skeletal support system for the dentition and for the airway, in addition to providing a proper dental occlusion.

Each 2-day session will be lecture and hands-on format with part of the afternoon of the second day of each session devoted to case presentation and treatment planning for cases of the class participants. One should be comfortable with basic orthodontic diagnosis and treatment prior to attending this class.

### COURSE OBJECTIVES:

- Diagnosis of airway and myofunctional disorders and arch development
- Pediatric orthodontic mechanics and appliances
- Managing patients with myofunctional disorders
- Putting the pieces together

Course can be monitored within 12 months of completion and is included in the course fee (membership required).

### EARLY BIRD FEE: \$4980/doctor

If paid in full by December 24, 2024. Price increases to \$5480 on December 25, 2024. \$1995 per team member. Payment plans are available.

*AOS membership is required at time of registration. Refund policy is 50% of course fee two weeks prior to course date. AOS membership of \$500 per doctor and \$25 per team member is required and is non-refundable.*

*\*The second year of monitoring is included for members.*



### Instructor: JEFFREY DAHM, DDS

Dr. Dahm received his DDS degree from the University of Iowa in 1991 and then completed an AEGD program from the University of North Carolina in 1992. He has always had an interest in comprehensive dentistry and TMD and studied with the Dawson and Piper institutes. After joining the AOS, he studied with Dr. David Jackson, Dr. Leonard Carapezza and Dr. Jay Gerber. His practice focuses on General dentistry, orthodontics and the diagnosis and treatment of airway, myofunctional and temporomandibular disorders.



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