



**Suffolk County**  
DENTAL SOCIETY

# SEMINAR SERIES 2023

**Course #2022-03 7 m.c.e. credits**  
**Wednesday, March 1, 2023**  
**Frank J. Tuminelli, D.M.D., FACP**



**We have come a long way in treating edentulism, yet there is much more to do - solutions in the reality of private practice.**

## COURSE CONTENT

The past few decades of implant therapy have presented numerous restorative options to the dental professional. Reduced healing times refined surgical approaches, the emergence of digital technologies, and exciting new dental materials have enabled the dental team (surgeon, restorative dentist, and dental laboratory technician) through multi-dimensional cohesion to achieve unprecedented therapeutic results.

Soft and hard tissue replacement for intra oral anatomy must provide functional and esthetic outcomes for our patients. In the reality of clinical practice implants are not always in ideally placed, complicating the restorative scheme. The financial constraints of patients require the dental team to provide options across a broad spectrum while providing optimal results. The evolution of digital treatment planning focused on a restoratively driven surgical approach is the standard.

This discussion will revolve around treatment planning and restoration of the completely edentulous arch. Basic restorative principles for single unit and multi-unit restorations will be reviewed. Emphasis will be placed on the methodology and fabrication of a variety of dental prostheses along with rationale for each. The incorporation of all ceramic restorations, CAD - CAM technology and digital treatment will be explored. Finally, a look at restoring our most challenged patients through comprehensive therapy, with using technology and skeletal anchorage will be presented. Course Objectives:

- The specific requirements of the maxilla and mandible.
- A review of the basic design principles and fundamentals
- The application of both conventional and CAD/CAM technologies.
- The concepts of immediate loading - immediate function
- A review of different restorative options available
- The team approach to therapy and restoring Oral Health Quality of Life.

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**Bio:** Dr. Frank J Tuminelli received his Dental Degree and specialty training in Prosthodontics from Fairleigh Dickenson University School of Dental Medicine. Dr. Tuminelli is a Diplomate and Director, of the American Board of Prosthodontics and is currently the Program Director of Graduate Prosthodontics at the Manhattan Veterans Administration, New York campus. He served as Program Director for Graduate Prosthodontics, New York Presbyterian Hospital at Queens from 2010 – 2016, and as the Program Director of Advanced Prosthodontics and Implantology, for the NSHLIJ Health System 2000 -2010 He is a past President of the American College of Prosthodontists, and The Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics. He serves as the Chair, and American College of Prosthodontists (ACP) Commissioner to the National Commission on Dental Specialty Recognition. Dr. Tuminelli is a clinical assistant professor in the Department of Dental Medicine at the Hofstra Northwell School of Medicine, and adjunct clinical assistant professor NYU School of Dentistry. He was the Team Dentist for the New York Islanders for ten years. He lectures locally, nationally and internationally, presenting over 70 invited lectures. He has contributed to the scientific literature authoring / coauthoring multiple scientific papers. Dr Tuminelli is the recipient of the 2017 Educator of the Year Award from the ACP. He maintains a private practice limited to Prosthodontics on Long Island and in New York City.

**Location: 150 Motor Parkway; Lower Level; Hauppauge, NY 11788**

**Time: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Continental breakfast and check-in at 8:30 a.m. Buffet lunch 12 noon – 1:00 p.m.**

**Tuition: ADA members \$300, Non-ADA \$525, Aux: \$125, ADA Residents: \$60**

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