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Dr. Firoozeh Samim received her DMD from Shiraz University of Medical Science. She completed the Oral Medicine & Oral Pathology residency program at UBC and obtained her Master of Science in craniofacial and pediatric dentistry. After holding the position of an assistant professor at UBC and a staff of BC Cancer agency, she is currently an assistant professor at McGill University and a staff of pathology and laboratory medicine at the Health Science Center of NL. Dr. Samim's expertise lies in the diagnosis, nature and primarily non-surgical management of oral, maxillofacial, and temporomandibular disorders.



**Erin Watson**

BSc, DMD, MHSc,  
(Candidate, 2020)

Dr. Erin Watson is a general dentist at Princess Margaret Cancer Centre, where her practice is limited to the treatment of cancer patients. She obtained her DMD at McGill University in 2012 and completed a residency at Mount Sinai hospital, in Toronto. She currently holds an appointment as an Associate in Dentistry at UoF. Dr. Watson is an executive member of the Canadian Association of Hospital Dentists, the Princess Margaret Cancer Centre Young Leaders Advisory Board and the Princess Margaret Cancer Centre Cancer Education Advisory Committee. She has also lectured on behalf of Amgen Canada on the topic of prevention of medication related osteonecrosis of the jaw and is a guest lecturer at McGill University.



**Peter Chauvin**

Bsc, DDS, MSc, Oral  
Path, Oral Med, FRCD(c)

Dr. Peter Chauvin obtained his dental degree from McGill University in 1988. Following a Multidisciplinary Residency Program at the Royal Victoria Hospital he completed his Graduate Training at the University of Western Ontario in Oral Pathology. He is a Fellow of The American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists in Oral Medicine and Oral Pathology. He is currently an Associate Professor and Director of the Division of Oral Diagnostic Sciences in the Faculty of McGill University. He maintains a clinical practice with a focus on mucosal disorders.

## Oral Cancer and Oral Pathology Update

### Course Summary

The goal of this update is to provide the dentist with current guidelines and information regarding the diagnosis and treatment of mucosal diseases with a focus on premalignant lesions and oral cancer.

This update will also review the common side effects of cancer treatments and the dental management of these patients.

This course will provide the dentist with the fundamental knowledge of the oral manifestations and complications of cancer and its treatment. Particular focus will be placed on the oral/dental management of patients treated for head and neck cancer, as well as anti-resorptive therapies.

### Course Objectives

Following completion of this course, the clinician should be able to:

- Recognize premalignant mucosal lesions
- Diagnose oral cancer
- Understand the role of biopsy
- Manage dental patients being treated for cancer
- Manage dental patients with side-effects from cancer therapy

### Course Agenda

9:00 – 9:45 Mucosal lesions and the importance of biopsy – Dr. Chauvin

10:00-10:45 Premalignant lesions of the oral cavity – Dr. Samim

11:00-12:00 5 pitfalls of cancer treatment and how to avoid them: Part 1 – Dr. Watson

#### Lunch

13:00 – 13:45 HPV and oral cancer - Dr. Chauvin

14:00- 14:45 Oral Cancer : A case-based review - Dr. Samim

15:00- 16:00 5 Pitfalls of cancer treatment and how to avoid them: Part 2 - Dr. Watson

### Full-Day Lecture

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

**\$399** (dentists)  
**\$199** (others)

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