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Dear Dental Hygienist(s);

Happy New Year! Thanks for your patience regarding the study club details for 2026. I am excited for another year. The format this year will be different, all Zoom meetings. This change is focused on reducing the issues with traveling and parking and providing better flexibility to “attend” given your busy lives. After each meeting, the CE certificates will be emailed to all attendees. Similar to last year, a Zoom lecture on Local Anesthetic will be provided for those needing this.

Please make sure you download Zoom. I will send out Zoom details via email well in advance of each meeting.

The 2026 dates for the year (Starting at 6:00pm) will be:

~~March 3rd: Importance of the CEJ~~

April 21st: *Bonus Meeting: Dr Bill Claytor on Mental Health and Substance Abuse

May 12th: The Many Faces of Squamous Cell Carcinoma (+ Treatment considerations)

September 8th: Treatment of the Vertical Defects

October 6th: *Bonus Meeting: Eileen Clark RDH on Local Anesthetic
2 hours of CE for your LA license

November 10th: Orthodontic Implications of Periodontal Health

I am also excited to announce the addition of a **monthly newsletter** (beginning February) that will cover various topics like summaries of the lectures, patient care scenarios, Q&A's; study club updates, etc. I will post this information on our website, www.northstateperio.com, and will send out via email.

Change: You can pay by filling out and returning the attached 2026 membership form with payment or pay by Zelle using the QR Code. **(One payment/form per dental hygienist please).**
Please email me your name, office, and email address. drvank@northstateperio.com

New members are always invited so please spread the word!

Sincerely,

Jan Upton, BS, RDH

Nicole McDermott, BS, RDH

Ramsey Rogers, BS, RDH

Ken Rasenberger, DMD

Chris van Kesteren, DDS

George Getz, DDS



North Charlotte Dental Hygiene Study Club 2026 Registration Form

Membership Fee: \$80

Continuing Education Credits: 6.0 hours (1.5 hours per lecture x 4)
+ 2.0 hours for the Local Anesthesia Course

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October: Date TBD for the LA course

All meetings this year will be via ZOOM. Meeting: 6:00 - 7:30pm (will try to end by 7:00-7:15)

Please Print & Return w/ Payment

Name: _____

Practice Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

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