## Hands-on

# Fiber post and core

### Dr Ho Ting Khee at Borneo Dental Congress

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Day	Time	Speaker	Topic
March 22 2019	2:30 to 5:30pm	Dr Ho Ting Khee	Fiber post and core

#### Event synopsis

#### Fiber post and core

Endodontically-treated teeth with significant tooth structure loss have to be restored with a core as foundation which retains the final crown. Its success depends on the quality of endodontic treatment, shape of the canals, status of the remaining tooth structure and the periodontal support. Traditionally, posts were always metal, and they were prefabricated or cast. However, this will possess esthetic issue with full ceramic restoration and higher root fracture incidence compared to fiber posts. The modulus of elasticity of fiber posts is similar to that of dentine, they are more biologically compatible with tooth tissue. In addition to that, they can be bonded to dentine.

This workshop will aim to demonstrate the steps needed to provide a predictable fiber post in endodontic treated tooth. Participants will need to prepare one extracted upper anterior tooth which has been endodontically treated and post-endo radiograph taken to provide the information for working length which simulate clinical scenarios. After the post-endo radiograph, the tooth can be mounted on dental stone to provide stability during post preparation.



#### Dr Ho Ting Khee

Dr Ho Ting Khee received her dental degree from Universiti Sains Malaysia in 2007. She has completed her postgraduate training in the field of fixed and removable prosthodontics with distinction from the University of Manchester in 2014. Dr Ho possesses a wide knowledge and hands on experiences in prosthodontics, aesthetic dentistry, restorative dentistry and dental materials.

Dr Ho Ting Khee returned to Malaysia in 2014, and appointed as lecturer and prosthodontist at the Faculty of Dentistry, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM). She actively involved in teaching of dental undergraduates and postgraduates in DClinDent (Restorative Dentistry) course.

She is an active member of Malaysia Dental Association and Malaysian Association for Prosthodontics(MAP). Currently she is Honorary Secretary of MAP from term 2017-2019.

