



Prevention and Preservation

PREVENTIVE APPROACHES ACROSS MULTIPLE AREAS OF DENTISTRY

The Hub, Hobbiton – Matamata Friday 15th May 2026

Join us for Prevention and Preservation, a full-day course dedicated to modern, proactive, patient-centred dentistry.

Explore practical strategies to limit disease progression, enhance clinical outcomes, and support practitioner wellbeing across multiple areas of practice.

PRESENTERS WILL ADDRESS;

- The Magic of Modern Materials and Simplifying Clinical Cases
- The Role of Modifying and Predisposing Factors in Perio and Preventive Strategies in Mitigating Tooth Loss
- Deep caries management and preservation of pulp vitality
- Current and near future uses of AI in dentistry
- IADR Research and Material Update
- Raising the Stress Threshold: A Physiological Approach to Preventing Burnout in Dentistry
- BLIS - Probiotics to promote and preserve oral health

WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO BRING YOUR WHOLE TEAM.

GUEST SPEAKERS



PROFESSOR IAN MEYERS

Honorary Professor, School of Dentistry, The University of Queensland



PROFESSOR TINO MERCADO

Associate Professor, Oral Sciences (Periodontics), University of Otago



DR SHAYDEN BELL

Endodontist, Anglesea Endodontics



DR TONY DEY

General Dentist, Founder of LANZ.Dental



COLLEEN COULTER

New Zealand Manager, GC Corporation



NIGEL BEACH

Physiotherapist and Performance Consultant



JOHN HALE

Chief Technology Officer, BLIS Technologies, Senior Lecturer, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, University of Otago

COSTS

\$325	Branch Members
\$425	Non-Branch Members
\$225	Hygienists and Dental Therapists
\$225	Dental Technicians
\$160	Dentists graduated in 23/24/25
\$125	Dental Students and Auxiliaries

Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided.

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ACTIVITY.**

TO REGISTER

For enquiries or to register, please email the WBOP NZDA Branch Administrator:

admin@wbopnzda.org.nz