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Program: How to Incorporate Maxillary Skeletal Expander (MSE) in Your Practice Immediately: The Nuts and Bolts of MSE Application
Date: Saturday, February 27, 2021 **Time:** 7pm – 10pm EST
Location: Zoom (virtual)
Instructor: Dr. Won Moon
CE Hours: **3 Lecture Hours** **Format:** 3-hour Lecture followed by Interactive Discussion

The non-surgical Maxillary Skeletal Expander (MSE) has evolved since 2004, and its application has steadily been growing globally. With the proliferation of MSE-related publications by multiple authors, there is clear evidence to support its impact. The essential nuts and bolts of the diagnosis, treatment planning, appliance selection, fabrication, expansion protocols, patient management, and troubleshooting process related to MSE will be highlighted. Some recent discoveries will be explored with research data. The aim of this presentation is to relay the most practical information for immediate implementation of this novel technique in everyone's clinical practice.

Learning Objectives:

- Overall concept of MSE, Dx and Tx planning, and patient selection
- Craniofacial vs dentoalveolar changes with MSE
- Proper appliance selection and fabrication
- Optimal activation protocol based on mechanical and biological considerations
- Solution for patients with narrow palates
- Solution for patients requiring multiple MSEs
- Asymmetric patients and asymmetric expansion
- Cortopuncture and MSE for challenging cases
- Combining minor surgical procedure with MSE for even more challenging cases
- MSE and airway changes
- Troubleshooting

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