Great offers available on PracticeSafe refill disinfectant spray.

Surgery professionals appreciate the versatility of PracticeSafe spray. Not only can it disinfect the alcohol resistant surfaces of a Dental Practice but medical products such as hand and angle pieces can be cleansed and disinfected to a very high standard.

PracticeSafe disinfectant spray is alcohol based and highly effective against MRSA, HBV/HIV, C. V. D., vaccinia, tubercaloidal, hospitalism prophylaxis, bactericidal, fungicidal.

Kemdent have successfully introduced PracticeSafe spray in 500ml spray bottles and want to ensure Dental Professionals are aware that Practicesafe spray is available in 5L and 10L refills. If you buy a 5L refill before the end of March you will receive a 10% price discount and on a 10L refill, 15% discount.

For further information on special offers or to place orders call Helen on 01795 770236 or visit our website www.kemdent.co.uk

PracticeWorks Kodak Dental Systems’ Online “Backup Recovery Service”

Every business, and especially those in health care, needs access to its records. However confident you are in your computer system and the competence of your staff, it only needs one failure for vital information to vanish forever.

PracticeWorks easy to use, totally secure, archive backup system enabling instant access to any of your saved files or data from anywhere in the world, retrieval of any destination you specify.

The PracticeWorks Online Backup Recovery Service is also versatile, allowing you to backup or access your entire system or only selected files of particular importance.

Nearly half (40%+1) of tape backups fail at some time during either the saving or recovery process. In current practice management systems, the PracticeWorks Online Backup Recovery Service offers complete peace of mind to you and your patients, with instant data recovery guaranteed.

To safely back up your practice records and day to day data call PracticeWorks on 08001099092.

The Non-Alcoholic Solution to Surface Cleanliness

Citrox Bio™ is the 100% natural way to meet infection control protocols. Extracted from orange pith, this natural and organic microbial agent gives you the edge you need against MRSA, Clostridium Difficile, Hepatitis B and Streptococcus.

Due to its residual effect, Citrox Bio™ keeps working long after it has been applied and since the range of Citrox products includes hand gels, waste cleaner, cleaning & disinfectant liquid and surface wipes, you have an option for every surface in the practice.

By breaking down biofilm and destroying cell walls, Citrox Bio™ is even effective in the presence of organic matter. Lethal against up to 99.9998% of dangerous pathogens (that’s 100 times more potent than products boasting 99.8% effectiveness), Citrox Bio™ provides valuable peace of mind in the busy modern practice.

Non-volatile, non-toxic, environmentally friendly and biodegradable, Citrox Bio™ is an effective line of defence against bacteria, viruses and fungi.

For more information please call 01480 862080, email enquiries@oraldent.co.uk or visit www.oraldent.co.uk

Hands-On With The Inman Aligner

The British Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry invites you to get stuck in with the Inman Aligner Hands-On Certification Course in association with StraightTalk Seminars. The ITI Centre, Straumann UK Ltd in Crawley, Sussex will host the course on Friday the 13th of March 2009.

Invented in the US by Donald Inman CDT, the Inman Aligner was used to treat orthodontic relapse. Dr. Tif Qureshi presents the course as the first UK dentist to pioneer the appliance.

For more information contact Suzy Rowlands on 0207 612 4106, email: info@bacd.com or visit www.bacd.com
Isoplan

Stewart Angus is the UK Director of Sales for Isoplan, one of Britain’s largest practice membership plan providers.

Dental Centre to discuss the vital second stage of the Clinical Governance Programme. Smile-on’s programme was selected by the Dental Governance Committee (representing three local Primary Care Trusts) and the KSS Dental Postgraduate Deanship to enable practices to meet Clinical Governance core requirements.

KSS Postgraduate Dental Dean Stephen Lamberti-Humble analysed feedback from the first stage, and Dental Clinical Governance Lead Bernard Swinther described the two-year journey of the 150 practices involved. Chief Dental Officer Barry Cockcroft celebrated the programme’s significance before Dental Adviser Rattan provided strategies for continual improvement. Then, Smile-on’s Noam Tamir introduced the Clinical Governance Performance Management (CGPM) system.

Because the responsibility for implementing such implantation rests with the PCTs, Smile-on has provided CGPM, which allows practices to upload progress details to http://www.cgpmuk.com for easy monitoring by PCTs. Key features of CGPM include a free-of-charge messaging system and resources from the KSS Deanship and PCTs that are constantly updated. Practices that had already uploaded their information were awarded with Plaques, valid for one year.

For more information please call 020 400 8890 or email info@smile-on.com

Laser With KaVo

KaVo Dental Ltd is one of the world’s leading dental manufacturers dedicated to achieving excellence in all their products. KaVo continue to provide exceptional products based on the needs of their customers. The extensive range offers dental professionals an elite selection of laser technology.

The GENTLEray 980 diode laser offers a large touch screen display with intuitive user interface. It is the first perfect step into soft tissue surgery and can be used in a variety of applications. This particular laser therapy reduces bleeding and pain during the procedures and after. It is easy to disinfect and lightweight so it can be transported easily.

The DIAGNoDent laser carries detector is the perfect device for finding hidden caries in tooth surfaces. The DIAGNoDent ensures a precise measurement detecting incipient lesions or sub surface. Customers now have the choice of the DIAGNoDent Classic or the Pen version.

All the laser equipment from KaVo is user-friendly, compact and portable. Whatever your needs, KaVo will find a laser product to suit the individual needs of your practice.

For further information, please contact KaVo on 0141 757 000, email: sales@kavo.com or visit www.kavo.com

Clinical Governance Performance Management Points The Way Forward

On the 28th of November 2008, Smile-on sponsored a Kent, Surrey and Sussex Dysentery Lunch at the Eastbourne Postgraduate Medical and Dental Show 2009

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UCL Postgraduate Certificate in Dental Sedation and Pain Management

The UCL Eastman Dental Institute will next deliver their Dental Sedation and Pain Management Course on 6th, 7th, 9th and 10th May 2009 with practical training and further didactic teaching being delivered over the following six months.

Professor James Boelofse, Professor of Anaesthetics, is Programme Director and is supported by Dr Yusof (Joe) Omar and Dr Andre du Plessis and a faculty of experienced teachers.

Some of the topics to be covered include:

• Treatment planning and pain management
• Behavioural management techniques
• Patient assessment and clinical examination
• Introduction to paediatric sedation
• Practical aspects of setting up a sedation service

Course participants will administer conscious sedation to patients under the close supervision of experts. They will be encouraged to demonstrate this in their own practices, seeking advice from their course mentors when necessary. The course will focus on equipping dental professionals with precise knowledge, skills and practical training. Once they have attended, participants will have the confidence to administer effective and safe sedation to their patients.

The course is suitable for both dental and medical practitioners as well as hospital based clinicians from all specialities.

For more information contact Nerys Fordham, Manager, on 0207 970 1251, email v.banks@eastman.ucl.ac.uk or visit www.eastman.ucl.ac.uk/cpd

Smile-on Showcases Learning Solutions to Inspire and Involve at The Dentistry Show 2009

Smile-on is proud to announce that it will be exhibiting at The Dentistry Show at the NEC in Birmingham from the 15th and 14th of March 2009. This event will include rewarding workshops and lectures from internationally recognised experts.

Thousands of delegates from across the dental team have already registered, and attendees are invited to discuss the latest integrated learning breakthroughts with the Smile-on team.

Visitors to the stand are advised to ask about webinars, which enable dental professionals to take part in interactive lectures from the comfort of the armchair. Webinars can be replayed, to go over valuable points (visit www.dentalewebinars.co.uk and watch the informative showreel).

The team will discuss the innovative features of its three-module programme Communi cation in Dentistry: Stories from the Practice, the Clinical Photography Course: DNSTART and Clinical Governance Progress Management.

Smile-on understands the need for learning solutions that meet the changing needs of the industry. With the latest technol ogical innovations and forward thinking approaches, Smile-on helps dental professionals develop their skills and knowledge, regularly refreshing their newfound expertise.

For more information please call 020 400 8890 or email info@smile-on.com
This programme for this year's Young Dentist Conference features contributions from a number of successful young dentists with their own businesses, others in specialist and a group of well-known figures who have achieved success in business beyond dentistry.

The speakers this year include Shaheen Rahman a young barrister from a well-known London chambers, and Anna Heyes, founder and Managing Director of Liverpool-based Active Profile marketing and PR agency. Shaheen and Anna will speak during a session entitled Because you’re worth it; offering a practical approach to recognising and managing your worth.

This exciting one-day programme has been organised by Dental Protection together with the BDJ and BDA. As in previous years, delegates can expect challenging ideas and facts as well as lots of practical tips which are particularly relevant to recently qualified dentists.

The programme

Surgery 101 – Can we live without it

Some take the view that endodontics can never compete with implants. Others believe that extractions and implants are more predictable than long-term periodontics. And a few argue that orthodontics is a beauty treatment, not dentistry at all. If one of these three branches of dentistry had to be discontinued by NICE on the grounds of cost-effectiveness, which would it be? Three young dentists in specialist training will make a case for the preservation of their speciality:

• Phil Thomson (endodontics)
• Claudia Wellman (periodontics)
• James Grant (orthodontics)

Then you get the chance to vote, consigning one of them to the clinical waste.

Because you’re worth it

One of the challenges frequently reported by younger dentists, are the issues of cost, price, worth and value. One minute we are dental students with a debt – but overnight we become a professional person with earnings that many other young graduates can only dream about. Many young dentists find it difficult to discuss fees, and to feel comfortable about charging an appropriate amount for their services. An articulate trio:

• Neal Raval (dentist)
• Shaheen Rahman (barrister)
• Anna Heyes (Young Business Person of the Year 2007)

will debate the issues, share their experiences and suggest ways to manage this aspect of a professional career.

Are you ready for this?

Three UK dentists, who aimed for success early in their careers, and have set up successful (but very different) practices, describe their journey and what they have learned from the experience.

• James Hamill (Blueapple in Northern Ireland)
• Chris Barrowman (Infinity Blu Dental Care in Pitlochry)
• Saqib Ali (Sherwood Dental Practice in Birmingham).

Tickets are £100 (inc VAT) and include five hours verifiable CPD. Contact Sarah Garry on 020 7399 1339 or email sarah.garry@mps.org.uk

Don't miss this one-day programme taking place on February 7 at the Royal College of Physicians and the chance to boost your CPD.