

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Day One– This lecture will review the most common categories of soft tissue lesions that are regularly encountered in the head and neck region. It will also review basic categories of soft tissue lesions and emphasize the importance of developing a reasonable differential diagnosis. The lecture will review the etiologic factors associated with both oral and oropharyngeal cancer. Day 2- will be a hands-on endodontic laboratory exercise on endodontic diagnosis, treatment, instrumentation and obturation.

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

Dr. Mark W. Lingen

Professor of Pathology and Medicine at the University of Chicago Medicine. He is a graduate of Northwestern University Dental School. He also completed his residency in Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology as well as a PhD in Cellular and Molecular Pathology at the Northwestern Feinberg School of Medicine. Dr. Lingen is the Editor-in-Chief for the journal Oral Surgery, Oral Medicine, Oral Pathology Oral Radiology (Triple O). He is a Fellow of the American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, the American and International Colleges of Dentist, and the Royal College of Pathologists. Dr. Lingen is a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathology. His NIH-funded research, which focuses on several aspects of oral cancer and has resulted in more than 200 manuscripts and book chapters.

Dr. Marvin L. Spear

Currently, Dr. Spear serves as Program Director for Advanced Endodontics at Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine in Alton, IL. He has held that position since 2018. There he began a CODA approved Specialty Certificate program in Endodontics. He has graduated four classes. Dr. Spear previously served as the Program Director for Endodontics at West Virginia University (2015-2018) and prior to that served as Director of the Division of Endodontology in the Department of Surgical Sciences at ECU School of Medicine (2012-2015). He earned his DDS from Loyola University School of Dentistry in Chicago. He also earned his MS in Oral Biology with an emphasis on Immunology. His certificate of Specialty in Endodontics was obtained at Loyola under the mentorship of Dr. Frank Weine. Dr. Spear is the former Chairman of the Department of Endodontics and the Director of Graduate Endodontics at Washington University in St. Louis (1989-1992) In addition, Dr. Spear has been in private practice for more than 37 years.

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Presents

Oral Pathology Update: with Focus on Head and Neck Soft Tissue Lesions

Dr. Mark W. Lingen

Friday, March 20, 2026

**(Virtual and In-person for
Friday's Lecture)**

Endodontic Update

Dr. Marvin L. Spear

**With special presentations by
Dr. Lily Kytridow-Vital Pulp Therapy**

&

Dr. Juan Pacheco-CBCT for Endodontic Diagnosis and treatment

Saturday, March 21, 2026

(Hands-on In person only)

**Southern Illinois University
School of Dental Medicine
Hoag Hall, Bldg. 283
2800 College Avenue
Alton, Illinois**

CENTRAL ILLINOIS ACADEMY OF GENERAL DENTISTRY



Modern Paradigms of Direct Restorations
Dr. Mark W. Lingen
Dr. Marvin L. Speer DDS, MS, FACD
Course Objectives:

- Day One:
1. Distinguish between benign/active and neoplastic conditions.
 2. Appreciate the critical role of dental health care professionals in screening for oral premalignancy and oral/oropharyngeal cancer.
 3. Understand the importance of performing a thorough visual and tactile exam on all patients.
 4. Implement the ADA Clinical Guidelines algorithm for oral cancer screening.
 5. Day Two:
 6. Learn Critical Endodontic diagnosis & treatment of the maxillary and mandibular dentition.
 7. Learn & participate in a hands-on demonstration of the challenges and solutions for diagnosis, treatment, instrumentation & obturation of endodontically involved teeth.
 9. Review cone beam Radiology used for endodontic diagnosis & treatment.

Supplies: For the hands-on session please bring magnification eyewear; Highspeed handpiece to connect with 4-hole adaptor hose; Low speed with latch attachment. and extracted teeth.

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For questions and need for more information.

If you are participating in the Friday session virtually and have not received the ZOOM link on 3/18/26 please contact Dr. Bishop at bish887@aol.com

Presenting a program of this nature is a group effort and would not be possible without the assistance of many individuals and companies. A complete listing of contributing companies will be available at the program site.

PARKING: Available behind Hoag Hall. No permit is necessary. Do not park in clinic lot. You will be ticketed.

SCHEDULE

Southern Illinois University
 School of Dental Medicine

FRIDAY, March 20, 2026
 Lecture: ZOOM and In-person
 7:45 am Registration
 8:00 am - 10:30 am Lecture in Hoag Hall Auditorium (Bldg. 283)
 10:30 am - 10:45 am Break and Discuss
 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch and Learn
 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Lecture in Hoag Hall Auditorium (Bldg. 283)
 3:00 pm - 3:15 pm Break and Discuss
 3:15 pm - 5:00 pm Lecture in Hoag Hall Auditorium (Bldg. 283)

SATURDAY, March 21, 2026
 Hands-On-In Person only
 7:45 am Registration
 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Hands-on
 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm Lunch & Discuss
 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm –Hands-on

Hotel Reservations based on availability. Identify yourself as attending the Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine AGD Programs. Only necessary for Thursday if attending Friday in-person rather than ZOOM.

Great Rivers Hotel
 3559 College Avenue
 Alton, Illinois 62002
 (618) 462-1220

Directions: Take 55 North or South to the Alton Exit #30, Route 140. (140 becomes College Avenue)

PAYMENT

Return the completed registration form and check made out to CIAGD to:
 Dr. Susan Bishop
 7314 N. Edgewild Dr.
 Peoria, IL 61614

DEADLINE:
March 17, 2026
 May register for lecture only on 3/20/26
 3/21/26 Hands-on
 has limited space available

For information call:

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 e-mail at
 bish887@aol.com

SEMINAR COSTS

	AGD/ADA/ PUBLIC/HEALTH	NON-AGD/ADA
<input type="checkbox"/> Dentist: 2 day participation course (limit 30 participants on 3/21/2026)	\$695	\$795
<input type="checkbox"/> Dentist: 3/20/2026 Lecture only	\$285	\$335
<input type="checkbox"/> Staff (non-dentist) per day (must be accompanied by dentist)	\$50	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> SIU Instructors/Students 3/20/2026 Lecture and Lab 3/21/26 observation only. Everyone must register for the seminar. (Observation or participation will be permitted at 3/21/26 participation course (includes faculty/students) if course limit is reached, but costs and attendee numbers must be approved by .)	N/C	\$10*

Lunch is included in all day seminar cost.

*Includes 1 year AGD student membership

Non-Members: Join AGD and receive seminar at AGD member cost.

Contact Dr. S. Bishop for information.

REGISTRATION FORM

Check appropriate box:

Number Attending:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AGD/ADA/ Public Health	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Staff Member/AGD/ADA Dentist	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-AGD/ADA Dentist	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Staff Member/Non-AGD/ADA Dentist	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SIU/SDM Student/Resident	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SIU/SDM Faculty	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Late Fee if paid after 3/18/26 (\$75)	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

If you want the Zoom on Friday, please circle the word ZOOM and make sure we have your email below.

AGD/ADA No. _____

Total Number Attending _____

Amount Enclosed _____

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(Make check payable to the Central Illinois AGD)

Name: _____

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In Office Protocol

Please send me a new AGD member packet.

If more than one person is attending, please list their names on a separate sheet of paper.

Return by 3/17/26 (Limited attendance for second day on 3/21/26)

CE CREDITS:

(towards AGD Fellowship or Mastership)
 8 hours of oral pathology dentistry lecture credit for those who attend the 3/20/26 lecture only; 16 hours of Oral Pathology/Endodontic Dentistry participation credit for those who attend 3/20/26 lecture and 3/21/26 hands-on. (36 hours for those who complete an in-office protocol assignment and report).

(May substitute some course credit for operative dentistry)
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Refunds are available for courses, minus \$50 processing fee, will be granted if requested at least ten days prior to the start of the course.

PROTOCOL ASSIGNMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE