



## Save the Date Virtual Course

Monday, September 23, 2024 7:00-10:00 pm CE: 3

## New Mandated Continuing Education Courses

A course on 'Opioids', 'Ethics for the Dental Professional' and 'Infection Control' is required by the NJ State Board of Dentistry for each license renewal cycle. 1 CE 'Opioids', 1 CE 'Ethics', and 1 CE 'Infection Prevention' are being offered by BCDHA and will satisfy your mandatory requirements for license renewal by December 2025.

The courses have NJState Board of Dentistry Approval.

**Course Title:** Opioids

<u>Speaker</u>: Tom Viola, R.Ph. It is imperative that Dental Hygienists are equipped with the tools necessary to identify opioid misuse and abuse. The course will discuss prescription opioid drugs, including alternatives to opioids for managing and treating pain, and the risks and signs of opioid use and abuse, addiction and diversion.

<u>Course Title</u>: Infection Prevention for the Dental Professional <u>Speaker</u>: Linda Hecker, MA, BS, RDH Former Member, NJ SBOD The course is designed to review best practices in infection control and prevention. It will provide an overview of CDC guidelines and OSHA regulations.

**Course Title: Ethics** 

**Speaker**: Linda Hecker, MA, BS, RDH Former Member, NJ SBOD This course is designed to fulfill the NJ State Board of Dentistry's requirement for a course concerning professional ethics.