

Resources for Treating People with Special Needs

1. Oral Health for People with Special Needs On-Line Education Course (Special Care Dentistry Association)
 - The 16-CE credit self-paced online learning program is located on a web-based learning management system called Canvas CLE hosted by the Virtual Dental Home Consulting LLC. There are sixteen learning modules in total; each learning module contains a short description, a list of learning objects, the presentation and a self-assessment quiz. There is also a course tutorial located at the beginning of the course and a continuing education testing module at the end of the course.
 - \$350 for SCDA members
 - \$450 for nonmembers
 - <https://www.scdaonline.org/page/pacificonlinecourse>
2. Free Modules on Special Care Dentistry
 - T. Still University Arizona School of Dentistry & Oral Health in collaboration with the University of California San Diego School of Medicine proudly offer 10 professional development modules on special care dentistry. These modules are available at no charge and provide one continuing education credit each. Topics include:
 - Introduction to Treating Patients with Special Needs
 - Legal & Ethical Issues in Special Care Dentistry
 - Learning & Intellectual Disabilities
 - Treating People with Autism
 - Introduction to Geriatric Dentistry
 - Neuromuscular Disorders
 - Genetic & Congenital Disorders
 - Seizure Disorders
 - Approaches to Oral Disease Prevention, Treatment Planning & Delivery
 - Sedation & Special Care
 - Create an account and access these 10 FREE continuing education courses at:
 - <https://ucsdatsu.wcea.education/>
3. Special Care Advocates in Dentistry Professional Modules (free)
 - 15 modules using an article-like format covering a variety of areas in special care dentistry. Can be printed using a PDF format.
 - <http://saiddent.org/modules.php>
4. Fact Sheets from the Dental Education in the Care of Persons with Disabilities (DECOD) clinic at the University of Washington School of Dentistry
 - <https://dental.washington.edu/dept-oral-med/special-needs/patients-with-special-needs/>