



# is pleased to present Poverty and Oral Health: Two Research Perspectives on Reducing Health Inequities (1.0 Dental CEU)



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**Texas Recruits and Retains Lecture:** 

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Time: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Central Time

Registration: https://bit.ly/UT121820

Pre-registration is required for all attendees.

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## **Course Description:**

Poverty entails more than the lack of income and productive resources to ensure sustainable livelihoods. Its manifestations include hunger and malnutrition, limited access to education and other basic services, social discrimination and exclusion, as well as the lack of participation in decision-making. Understanding the realities of poverty and what patients encounter in their daily lives may provide dental professionals with the skills needed to apply patient-centered care in a culturally sensitive manner. This session will introduce poverty as a fundamental aspect of the social determinants of health (SDH) through two research projects conducted at the University of Texas Health-San Antonio, School of Dentistry. The first project focused on income, education, and population size in relation to the availability of dental products in various geographic regions. The second project addressed enhancing the cultural competency training among dental and allied healthcare students through an innovative interprofessional learning paradigm. Emphasis on the importance of dental professionals' knowledge regarding the impact of poverty on oral and general health will be discussed. The session aims to inspire new outreach programs to reduce health disparities and enhance health outcomes among low-income groups. Furthermore, it will provide substantial insights to build a more inclusive and SDH-oriented mindset among oral health professionals.

## **Educational Objectives:**

The learner will be able to:

- Describe poverty and understand its impact as an integral component of the social determinants of health.
- Identify the correlation between income, education, and population size in relation to the availability of dental products in different geographic regions.
- Understand the importance of cultural competency training among future health care providers through analyzing a SDH-based interprofessional experiential learning model.





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