

**Dr. Richard Miron** is currently lead educator and researcher at Advanced PRF Education and an Adjunct Visiting Faculty in the department of Periodontology in Bern, Switzerland, where he completed his PhD studies since 2009. He has currently published over 350 peer-reviewed articles and lectures internationally on many topics relating to growth factors, bone biomaterials and guided bone regeneration. For the past eight years, Dr. Miron has been recognized by Dentistry Today as being one of the top 100 CE providers in the country and the youngest to ever make the list. He is also the top ranked researcher on Platelet-Rich Fibrin therapy as per Expertscape independent review. He has recently been awarded many international prizes in dentistry and is widely considered as one of the top contributors to implant dentistry having won the ITI Andre Schroeder Prize, the IADR Young Investigator of the Year in the field of Implant Dentistry as well as the IADR Socransky Research award in the field of Periodontology (2020). He has written eleven textbooks widely distributed in regenerative dentistry including his best-seller in 2019 titled: “Next Generation Biomaterials for Bone and Periodontal Regeneration”, in 2021 titled: “Understanding Platelet Rich Fibrin” and in 2023 titled: “Modern Implant Dentistry”.



**Shaun Fix** has been practicing and teaching in the hospital and pre-hospital fields since 1983. As the president of Emergency Medical Consultants, Inc., his team provides CE programs to over 15,000 professionals annually. Shaun spent 36 years practicing in pre-hospital emergency medicine, the last 30 of which he served as a company officer in charge of EMS at Boca Raton Fire Rescue Services in South Florida.



Since the 1990s, Shaun and his team have been delivering *Management of Office Emergencies for Dental Professionals* and *Dental Specialty ACLS and PALS* courses. They also were involved in developing the original *Dental Airway Course* curriculum alongside members of the FSOMS board.

Shaun has presented at state, national, and international conferences and has been featured on FETN, Pulse, 24-7 EMS, Medic Monthly, and *Emergency Medical Update* videos. A frequent lecturer, author, and consultant, he and his team are known for keeping their programs engaging, practical, and tailored to the specific needs of healthcare providers, bringing “the reality of emergency medicine” into the classroom.

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FAP Welcome Reception  
Friday, August 8th  
5:00pm - 6:30pm • Exhibit Area



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# 2025 SUMMER MEETING



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# A message from Dr. John Thousand, IV FAP President

Dear FAP Members,

We would like to provide clarification on the hands-on portion of our summer meeting. Dr. Miron will be bringing his PRF team for the event. It will be quite comprehensive, as he would with any of his courses. The hands-on stations will include: (1) Phlebotomy, (2) Dental PRF applications, (3) BioHeat and liquid PRF facial/ lip fillers, (4) PRF microneedling, and (5) Exosomal injections. The training will be set up in stations that FAP members and their teams can freely move to and from, allowing them the flexibility to acquire as much or as little experience in each workstation as they desire.

Additionally, the FAP members should know that Dr. Miron will be providing the doctors and assistants the opportunity for Florida (and National) licensure in Phlebotomy should they choose to do the additional coursework. **Please see this message from Dr. Richard Miron below:**

During the meeting, I will be bringing Jose Lopez, one of my nurses that is also a National Phlebotomy Instructor that will be able to provide licensures to any assistant in attendance. You read that right, we will be able to provide the dental assistants of any periodontist in attendance with a Florida (and National) state licensure to perform phlebotomy!  
<https://www.prf-edu.com/p/prf-phlebotomy-national-certification-program>

### The program works in 3 steps.

- An 8 hour of training day must be completed. That will be the Saturday during both the didactic and hands-on Session.
- They must take our online training. In it, they will need to download a form and complete 30 blood draws under the guidance of a doctor at their own leisure. They can do this both prior to or after the FAP.
- Once the 30 sticks has been completed, then they will submit that sheet to Jose, and he will send them to take the National Online Exam. It is 100 questions over 2 hours, it can be taken anytime from any computer. We’ve never had anyone fail. It’s a sure bet to getting your license to be able to perform phlebotomy legally. The program is typically \$995 but we will be offering a half price discount and that weekend only, the cost will be \$495.

Trust me when I say this, we’ve never made the price that low ever. There are significant costs that we have to the National Phlebotomy Services (NPS) but I am doing this to help out the academy. Here is a small synopsis of the online training below. Can’t wait to see you in a few short months.

Rick

*“This program is tailored to meet the growing global interest in phlebotomy, with a special focus on PRF (Platelet-Rich Fibrin) production for both dental and medical settings. Most traditional phlebotomy courses mainly prepare students for work in blood labs like Quest Diagnostics. They cover test protocols, tube types, and the order in which to draw blood. However, they often leave students ill-equipped to confidently perform PRF production, which is often their primary goal. This course was created to bridge this knowledge gap. While it does cover phlebotomy basics, the main emphasis is on PRF therapy. Our training videos are designed to help assistants, nurses, and phlebotomists understand how to optimize PRF production effectively and based on the latest evidence. Join us and embark on your journey to becoming a skilled and confident phlebotomist, well-versed in the art of PRF production!”*

# MEETING SCHEDULE:

## Friday, August 8

8:00am-12:00pm	Shaun Fix, President Airway Management
12:00pm-1:00pm	Lunch on your own
1:00pm-5:00pm	Dr. Richard Miron - Next Generation Biomaterials, PRF, and Exosomes for Bone and Periodontal Regeneration – Part 1 <b>For Dentists</b>
5:00pm-6:30pm	FAP Welcome Reception

## Saturday, August 9

7:30am-9:00am	Light Breakfast
9:00am-12:30pm	Dr. Richard Miron - Next Generation Biomaterials, PRF, and Exosomes for Bone and Periodontal Regeneration – Part 2 <b>For Dentists/Team Members</b>
12:30pm-1:30pm	FAP Members/Dentists FAP Business Meeting/Lunch For Dental Team Members - Lunch on your own
1:30pm-5:30pm	Dr. Richard Miron Utilization of PRF in your private practice: Hands-On Training <b>For Dentists/Team Members</b>

Continuing education vouchers will be distributed at the conclusion of each lecture.  
FAP reserves the right to change the meeting schedule as deemed necessary.

# COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:

## Friday, August 8

**Mr. Shaun Fix – 4 CEUs**  
Emergency Medical Consultants, Inc.

**Management of Medical and Airway Emergencies In The Dental Office**  
The course will provide didactic, video, and case-based hands-on skills labs dealing with medical and airway emergencies possible in the dental and sedation settings. Participants will review, practice, and demonstrate proficiency in managing emergencies including but not limited to respiratory distress and failure, using bag mask, oral and nasal airways, perilaryngeal devices, as well as intubation and cricothyrotomy. Recognizing and treating emergencies such as cardiac events, stroke, syncope, seizures, allergic reactions, and laryngospasm will be reviewed and practiced. *This program meets the Florida Board of Dentistry requirements for sedation permit holders.*

**Dr. Richard Miron 4 CEUs**  
**Next Generation Biomaterials, PRF, and Exosomes for Bone and Periodontal Regeneration – Part 1**

**Attendees: Doctors Only**  
The first part of this course will include a review of the biologic background and applications of bone grafting materials in periodontology. We will review the principles of guided tissue regeneration in detail including many recent advancements in barrier membrane technology, PRF, and various other growth factors such as rhPDGF, rhBMP2, Enamel Matrix Derivative and Exosomes. The second part of this course will include the introduction of next-generation materials such as Tetranite and non-resorbable bone allografts that will optimize future bone and periodontal regeneration along with a discussion regarding the newest groundbreaking research in exosomes.

# Saturday, August 9

**Dr. Richard Miron – 3.5 CEUs**  
**Next Generation Biomaterials, PRF, and Exosomes for Bone and Periodontal Regeneration – Part 2**

**Attendees: Doctors and Dental Team Members**  
The first section of this course is designed to help clinicians select appropriate biomaterials for each specific regenerative protocol. Much like one implant size and shape cannot be utilized for every indication in implant dentistry, one bone grafting material, barrier membrane, or growth factor cannot maximize regenerative outcomes in all clinical situations. This course teaches clinicians how to utilize biomaterials in an appropriate, predictable, and evidence-based manner. The second section of this course is designed to showcase how PRF is integrated into clinical practice with ideal protocols utilizing adjunctive team members.

**Dr. Richard Miron – 4 CEUs**  
**Utilization of PRF in your private practice: Hands-On Training**

**Attendees: Doctors, Assistants, and Doctor’s Significant Others (if they trust you!)**  
This hands-on course is designed to provide the doctor and dental team members instructions on how to use the PRF products in the clinical setting. The course will provide the doctor and team a step-by-step process for collection and utilization of autologous blood products for use in surgical regenerative treatments as well as facial esthetic treatments. Subjects will have the opportunity to use these techniques in the course.

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## – Regular Meeting Registration Fees –

\_\_\_\_\_ I am an FAP Member (active/retired/life) - \$100.00  
Fee includes: Friday afternoon lecture, Reception, Saturday morning lecture and lunch. 7.5 CEUs

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a perio resident/dental student - \$50.00  
Fee includes: Friday afternoon lecture, Reception, Saturday morning lecture and lunch. 7.5 CEUs

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a periodontist, not a member of the FAP - \$350.00  
Fee includes: Friday afternoon lecture, Reception, Saturday morning lecture and lunch. 7.5 CEUs

\_\_\_\_\_ Referring dentists (general dentist/non-specialist) - \$200.00  
Fee includes: Friday afternoon lecture, Reception, Saturday morning lecture and lunch. 7.5 CEUs

Names/Emails of Referring Dentists: \_\_\_\_\_

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## ADDITIONAL: REGISTER FOR HANDS-ON WORKSHOP HERE!

\_\_\_\_\_ Dentist Fee - \$100.00, includes 1 team member\* Additional Team Members\* - \$50.00 each.

\*Team Member Fee includes: Friday Afternoon: Reception, Saturday: Light Breakfast, Dr. Miron Lecture, (Lunch on your Own), Hands-On Workshop 4 CEUs

Names of Team Members/Designations (Ex.: Jane Johnson, RDH): \_\_\_\_\_

## ADDITIONAL: REGISTER FOR AIRWAY MANAGEMENT COURSE HERE!

\_\_\_\_\_ YES! Register me for the Airway Management Course on Friday, August 8th.

Cost per dentist/periodontist: \$525.00

The following dental team members\* will be attending at \$250.00 ea. List staff below and designation (i.e. dental assistant):

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

\*Dental Team Members are defined as: Dental Assistant, R.D.H., Office Manager, and other support personnel and does not include dentists/periodontists.

## Late Registration Fees and onsite registration (August 5-9, 2025) Add \$50.00 to above fee schedule

\_\_\_\_\_ YES, I will be attending the Business Meeting Luncheon Saturday, August 9, 12:30pm- 1:30pm  
**Only those indicating by checking above will be given a lunch ticket. Please, if you commit to attending lunch, we ask that you stay for the luncheon and business meeting. Team Members lunch on your own.**

\_\_\_\_\_ YES, I want a vegetarian lunch. Please, no last-minute requests the day of the business meeting lunch.

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