



The IMMEDIACY Concept in Modern Implantology

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Course Philosophy

A practical, two-day course focused on immediate implant placement, digital planning, and simplified regenerative workflows.

The goal is to help clinicians shorten treatment time, reduce surgical stages, and increase predictability, using 3D planning, guided surgery, and implant designs that support immediacy.

Immediacy is presented as a strategic decision, with clear advantages in its implementation.

This course will include two interactive hands-on sessions including immediate implant placement in premolar with surgical guide, bone regeneration and IOS, and immediate implant placement in a central incisor with VISTA connective tissue graft. In addition, a live immediate implant placement and hard and/or soft tissue regeneration surgery will be broadcast live.

Day 1 | Thursday, November 12

Digital Planning and Guided Surgery for Immediacy

- 3D diagnosis and CBCT-based planning
- Prosthetically driven implant positioning
- Guided vs freehand surgery: indications and limitations
- Guided surgery as a tool for precision, efficiency, and safety
- When guided surgery truly adds value in immediate cases

Immediacy: When, Why and How

- Immediate vs early vs delayed placement
- Case selection and risk assessment
- Primary stability and implant macro-design
- Implant positioning in immediate sites
- When immediacy adds value: clinical efficiency and profitability

Immediate Implant Placement – Premolar

Hands-on #1

- Atraumatic extraction
- Immediate implant placement
- Gap management and bone regeneration
- Simple suturing and closure

Immediate Implant in the Anterior Zone

Hands-on #2

- Central incisor immediacy
- 3D implant positioning
- Buccal gap management
- Connective tissue graft for soft tissue stability with VISTA

Decision-Making and Complication Management in Immediacy

- When immediacy is not the best option
- Infected or compromised sockets
- Bone and soft tissue limitations
- Managing intraoperative complications
- Converting immediacy into early or delayed protocols safely
- How to “step back” without compromising outcomes

Day 2 | Friday, November 13

Soft Tissue Management in Immediacy

- Thin vs thick phenotype
- When to graft soft tissue
- Minimal incision / tunnel concepts
- Long-term tissue stability around implants

Live surgery

- Molar or premolar site
- immediate implant placement
- hard and/or soft tissue augmentation

Simplified Regeneration Concepts

- How much regeneration is really needed
- Bone grafts and membranes: when they add value
- Avoiding over-treatment and unnecessary staging
- Biological respect vs surgical over-complexity

Modern Restorative Concepts in Immediacy

- Intraoral scanning (IOS) in immediate and early implant cases
- Immediate provisionalization: indications and protocols
- Emergence profile design for soft tissue conditioning
- Prosthetic materials and components for long-term esthetics and stability

Dr. Alfonso Gil

Dr. Alfonso Gil earned a DDS with highest honors from the University of the Basque Country and completed advanced training in Periodontology and a Master of Science at the University of Southern California, followed by specialization in Surgical Implant Dentistry at University of California in Los Angeles. He is a Board-Certified Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology and holds a PhD from the International University of Catalunya. He also completed a specialization in Reconstructive Dentistry and a Master of Implantology at the University of Zurich. Dr. Gil is Editor-in-Chief of the *International Journal of Esthetic Dentistry*, serves as associate faculty at USC and UIC, and is a Swiss Society of Reconstructive Dentistry-certified prosthodontist. He is an EAO Junior Committee Member, SEPES Board member and EAED communications committee. His research focuses on periodontology, implantology, and prosthodontics, with 22 publications and one book. He practices at Clínica Dental Albia and directs the Advanced Esthetic Seminars education center in Bilbao.



Dr. Viraj Patel

BDS Honours (Cardiff)

MJDF (RCS England)

Certificate in Advanced Implant Dentistry (New York University)

PgCert Clinical Teaching (RCGP)

Clinical Implant Diplomate (ICOI)

Having qualified as a dentist in 2012, Viraj has set out to gain the necessary experience to help become one of the lead Implantologists in the UK for the future.

He underwent hospital training in Maxillofacial and Oral surgery in 2014 and has since attended multiple Dental Implant courses within the UK. In 2018 his passion for implants led him to New York City, where he enrolled for 2 years at New York University (NYU), on the renowned Advanced Implant Dentistry Program.

Since moving back to the UK, on completion of the Program, in 2020 he has been working as a dental implantologist in private practices across London.

Along the way he has been awarded multiple accolades including “ITI Future Star” prize by the International Team of Implantology in 2021, he received prizes for “the Best Young Implant dentist” in the UK 2022, 2023 & 2024. On the international stage he has also won the “European Prize for Clinical Innovations in Implant Dentistry” as well as winning the award for the best Clinical Case for the “Complex Implant treatment” Category and single implant tooth category at the prestigious “Clinical Dentistry Awards” years 2023 and 2024.

He is a key opinion leader for some of the leading implant companies within the UK including (Biohorizons Camlog, Geistlich and Zimvie) and is now lecturing and presenting internationally.

He also sits on the board of notable Junior Implant Organisation committees including The NextGen Committee with the Association for Dental Implantology (ADI) UK and the Junior Committee for the European Association of Osseointegration (EAO).

His passion within implant dentistry lies in Regenerative Implant dentistry including Bone and Soft tissue Augmentation.



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REGISTRATION

TUITION

1,600 EU

Limited Capacity

VENUE

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