

## English dental psychology teaching program

2025/2026

2nd semester

FOKVMAG233\_1A

The lectures will be at 12:30 - 14:00 on Wednesday in EOK, Hevesy lecture hall (Tűzoltó utca 37-47. sz.).

### Course syllabus:

Week 1.	February 18	Psychological Thinking, Models, Theories	Dr. Péter Ujma
Week 2.	February 25	Principles of perception, pain, consciousness, emotions and communication -and their relations to dentistry	Dr. Péter Ujma
Week 3.	March 4	Stress and stress management in dental practice	Dr. Adrienne Stauder
Week 4.	March 11	Breaking bad news and disclosing medical errors	Dr. Szilvia Ambrus
Week 5.	March 18	Psychological crisis, presuicidal syndrome, and burn-out prevention	Júlia Andróczi
Week 6.	March 25	Psychosomatics in dental practice	Tamás Fenyves
Week 7.	April 1	Motivational interviewing and its application in dental practice	Dr. Adrienne Stauder
Week 8.	April 8	Depression and its relation to dental practice	Dr. György Purebl
Week 9.	April 15	Hypnosis and relaxation therapies, and their possible use in dental practice	Tamás Fenyves
Week 10.	April 22	Conscious states, sleep, dreaming, general anesthesia	Dr. Róbert Bódizs
Week 11	April 29	Psychotherapeutic Methods	Tamás Fenyves
Week 12	May 6	Substance misuse, substance abuse, drug addiction	Tamás Fenyves
Week 13	May 13	Case presentations from an oral surgeon – Balancing emotional labor and patient care	Dr. György Komlós
Week 14	May 20	Dental consequences of eating disorders	Tamás Szalai

The slides of the lectures will be made available in PDF format on the course website and in the Moodle system.

Written exams will be held during the exam period. Students can sign up for exams through the Neptun system.

**Recommended textbooks:**

Behavioral dentistry. Mostofsky DI, Forgione AG, Giddon DB (eds.), Blackwell Munksgaard, 2006.

Behavior & Medicine. 4th Edition, Danny Wedding, Hogrefe & Huber Publishers, Seattle, 2006.

Fadem B: Behavioral Science, Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, 5th ed., 2008.

Sarafino E.P.: Health Psychology. Biopsychosocial interactions. 6 th ed., New York, Wiley, 2008.

Kopp M. – Skrabski Á.: Behavioral Sciences Applied in a Changing Society, Corvina, 1996.

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