Amanda Seay, DDS, is the award-winning owner and solo practitioner of Park West Dentistry, a private practice in Mount Pleasant, SC. Her expertise ranges from complex restorative treatment planning to comprehensive preventative and restorative dentistry, as well as from dental implant and reconstructive dentistry to dental photography. A graduate of New York University College of Dentistry, Dr. Seay remains committed to continuous improvement and education, attending hundreds of hours of continuing education per year. She has been appointed clinical instructor and mentor to other dentists at the Kois Center in Seattle, Washington and is also a graduate of The Pankey Institute in Key Biscayne, Florida. Dr. Seay is an Accredited Dentist in the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry (AACD), which is recognized as the top cosmetic designation in the world. Becoming an AACD Accredited Professional is a rigorous process that requires dedication as well as clinical and artistic skill. The group of Accredited Dentists is an exclusive group; only 359 dentists in the world have attained this honor.

Dr. Seay has published articles covering the art and techniques of aesthetic dentistry, dental materials, oral health and practice management. In addition to serving on the Editorial Advisory Board for Inside Dentistry, Dr. Seay is on the Kois Center Editorial Board for cases submitted for publication to Compendium of Continuing Education in Dentistry. She is also a Key Opinion Leader for Ivoclar Vivadent and Heraeus Kulzer. Recognized by Dental Products Report as one of the top 25 Women in Dentistry, Dr. Seay also served as the Promotional Expert Spokesperson for the Orbit for Kids Sugarfree Gum product launch. Dr. Seay remains passionate about sharing her knowledge and expertise with other dental and health professionals.

In addition to operating a thriving full-time dental practice, Dr. Seay is the mother of four children, all under the age of nine. By balancing the professional and personal facets of her life, she remains active in such outreach initiatives as “Give Back a Smile,” Our Lady of Mercy Wellness Center, and the East Cooper Community Outreach (ECCO) Dental Clinic. Dr. Seay has an authentic passion for food, exercise and preventative medicine.
Lectures & Topics

With artistic talent, technical competence and case after case of beautiful results, Amanda Seay, DDS, focuses her attention on complex, multi-faceted cosmetic and restorative dental procedures and techniques. Her half-day or full-day, lecture or hands-on programs inspire a higher level of esthetic aptitude and enable a precise and detail-oriented approach to treatment planning. From direct composite restorations to ceramics and implants, Dr. Seay presents relevant and immediately applicable information and techniques that empower attendees to reinvent their treatment strategies and re-energize their practices.

**Capitalizing on Composites**
Half-day or full-day presentations provide hands-on instruction designed to demystify the composite selection and placement process based on case criteria. Anterior or posterior, multi-shade vs single-shade composite restorative options are discussed and demonstrated, in addition to techniques for incorporating more aristry into direct composite dentistry.

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It is no secret that the number of women in the dental industry continues to grow. According to the American Dental Association, since 2001, the total market of active licensed women dentists has gone from 26,870 to 47,814 — a 43.8% increase. By the end of 2011, 29,055 women were members of the ADA. These numbers don't take into account the ladies making their mark as dental lab technicians, sales representatives, product managers, educators and dedicated team members.

Now in its third year, the Top 25 Women in Dentistry feature is one way Dental Products Report seeks to recognize not just the power of the contributions women are able to make, but also the richness of diversity in the ways they choose to make a difference.

This spring, we received hundreds of nominations. Winners were chosen based on the number of people who nominated them, the quality of those nominations, and the ability to demonstrate a clear contribution to the dental community.

We hope the stories told here, with a focus on mentorship and the balance between aspiration and accessibility, motivate you to either become an outstanding woman in dentistry, or to recognize the outstanding women you work with each day.

Profiles by Anna Sacks

“While parents understand the importance of brushing and flossing twice a day, many don't realize the importance of proper oral care throughout the day,” said Dr. Amanda Seay, DDS, “A lot of damage can be done to teeth between brushings, so it's vital to educate patients and parents about easy, and fun, ways to help protect teeth—like chewing Orbit for Kids sugarfree gum.”