

Viet Nghiem DDS

TMD / OROFACIAL PAIN BOARD CERTIFICATION/ SLEEP MEDICINE AWARDED IN JUNE 2003

DENTIST PRACTICING IN CALIFORNIA SINCE 1985

1984 NATIONAL BOARD PART 1 SCORE: 97

1984 NATIONAL BOARD PART 2 SCORE: 95

Summary

OROFACIAL PAIN BOARD CERTIFICATION SINCE 2003, INDEPENDENT CLINICAL RESEARCHER, LECTURER AND INSTRUCTOR FOR UNITED STATES DENTAL INSTITUTE, DENTAL, DEA LICENSES, OROFACIAL BOARD CERTIFICATION, QUALIFIED MEDICAL EVALUATOR IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DIPLOMAT IN AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PAIN MANAGEMENT, CE, CPR-BLS CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE ON DEMAND

Work experience

OROFACIAL PAIN AND SLEEP SPECIALIST

Viet Nghiem DDS Managing Dentist for Dr Beauchamp from 1985 to 1988

Viet Nghiem DDS Managing Dentist for Dr Campbell from 1988 to 1989

Viet Nghiem DDS in Private Practice since June 1989 to Present

Orofacial Pain Board Certification in August 2003

Orofacial Pain is recognized as the 12th and most recent Dental Specialty by the American Dental Association in September 2020.

Specialist treating Orofacial Pain/TMD/Sleep Apnea

TMD Orthotics / Oral Sleep Appliances

Neck Pain / Headache / Migraine / Insomnia

Orthopedics / Orthodontics / Clear (Aligners Invisalign / Clear Correct)

Non extraction Orthopedics / Orthodontics

Myofunctional Therapy, Breathing exercises

Full Mouth Reconstruction, Dental Implants

Full Dentures in one or two appointments

General Dentistry

Dentist Manager for Beauchamp Western Dental and Dr Campbell from 1985 to 1989

Lecturer in Orthodontics, TMD, Orofacial Pain and Sleep Disorders

Independent Clinical Researcher in TMD and Sleep Disorders

Diplomate, American Academy of Integrative Pain Management since 1997

Q.M.E. Qualified Medical Evaluator in the state of California since 1997

Expert Witness in legal cases.

Winning \$ 500,000.00 Worker's Comp award in a case of Misdiagnosis / Untimely Diagnosis of OSA in September 2019 with only one report.

Winning several 6 numbers award cases in the past.

Never lost a Legal, Civil, Malpractice or Worker's Compensation case.

Expert and Lecture in Cephalometric Sassouni Plus Cephalometric analysis in screening and diagnosis of TMD and OSA

Presented in the First World Congress of AAMS (Academy of Applied Myofunctional Sciences) in Los Angeles 2015

Education

D.D.S., in Orofacial Pain Board Certification / TMD / Headache / Migraine / Sleep

Medicine / Orthodontics / Orthopedics

Diplomat, American Academy of Integrative Pain Management – 1997 to Present

Doctorate in Dentistry

Paris V Descartes, Paris, France, Dental School 1979-1984

UCLA Extension 1984-1985 **Skills**

Winning Expert for a difficult Worker's Comp case against Disney Land. The injured worker was denied proper diagnosis and treatment for 10 years

Patient Care

NEVER HAVE A COMPLAINT OR LAWSUIT SINCE 1985.

Employee Orientation

**MANAGING DENTIST FOR TWO BIGGEST DENTAL CORPORATIONS IN LOS ANGELES ;
DRS. BEAUCHAMP AND CAMPBELL**

Non Surgical treatment of TMD and OSA together with ENT, Neurologists, Pediatric MD, Orthopedic Surgeon, Internal MD, Kinesiologist, Physical Therapist, Myofunctional Therapist, Speech Therapist

Orofacial Pain Board Certification since 2003

Non Extraction Orthodontic / Orthodontic treatment of Malocclusion. Extraction is now proven scientifically as one of the Predisposition Factor in the development of TMD and OSA with all the associated Medical Fatal Comorbidities in children and later in life

Bilingual: Vietnamese, French, Spanish and English

Over 10,000 hours of CE in Orthopedics / Orthodontics / Periodontal and Implants Surgery /TMJ / OSA since 1984

Full Dentures in 1 or 2 appointments only. The key is Optimal Bite Registration addressing the TMD and AIRWAY issues. Evidence based research proves almost 100% of edentulous are suffering from TMD and OSA

Expert in MRI reading. Learning with Dr David Hatcher, DDS-MD, Owner of Beam Reader Radiology. Professor in Dental Imaging since 1991 at the beginning of MRI application in TMJ evaluation Growth and Development Guidance in children and adolescent to optimize

Orofacial Development and Function. Facial Esthetics and Optimal Functions go hand in hands. The only way to prevent TMD and AIRWAY problems is to treat early, really early.

The Best Orofacial Pain Doctor in American Award by Peers in 2009 by White Memorial Hospital, ENT Department, Los Angeles

Independent Clinical Research since 1984

Pain Management

Former Senior Instructor at White Memorial Hospital, Los Angeles, ENT / Pain Clinics from 1987 to 2015 when the Pain Clinics was dissolved

MED-LEGAL EXPERIENCES

Qualified Medical Evaluator and Expert Witness in California

Experience Administering Injections

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Languages

Spanish, French, Vietnamese, English

Awards

Orofacial Pain Board Certification

Orofacial Board Certification awarded by WHITE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL in August 2003

Certifications and licenses

DDS and DEA

Over 5,000 hours of CE in TMD and OSA. Lecturer in Orthodontics/Orthopecics, TMD, Orofacial Pain and Sleep Medicine / Independent Clinical Research in TMD and Sleep

Published on Research Gate about Sassouni Plus Analysis to Screen and Diagnosis of Obstructive Sleep Apnea and Bypass the Sleep Study

Awards: Over 20 years of Outstanding Services in the ENT / TMD / Pain / Sleep at the White Memorial Hospital, Los Angeles in 2009

(October 1989 to October 2009)

The Awards was signed on November 21, 2009 by:

Dr Vanore, Chair of ENT Department

Drs Schames, Directors of the TMJ / PAIN / SLEEP Clinics

Dental License in California since 1985

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Publications

POSTER OF CEPHALOMETRIC ANALYSIS USED IN THE SCREENING AND DIAGNOSIS OF TMD AND OSA AND BYPASSING THE SLEEP STUDY

January 2017

PUBLISHED ON RESEARCH GATE AND ACADEMIA

TWO UNPUBLISHED CEPHALOMETRIC FACTORS USED IN THE SCREENING AND DIAGNOSIS OF TMD AND OSA

September 2015

LECTURE IN THE FIRST WORLD CONGRESS AAMS (American Academy of Myofunctional Science) IN LOS ANGELES 2015.

DRS. CHRISTIAN GUILLERMINAULT, MICHAEL GELB, JOHN MEW, KEVIN BOYD, MARIANO ROCABADO, MRS. JOYCE MUELLER... WERE PRESENT AND LECTURED DURING THE WORLD CONGRESS

LECTURER AND INSTRUCTOR FOR UNITED STATES DENTAL INSTITUTE.

Additional information

Lectures in local Study Clubs and Meetings since 2000

Lecture at the First World Congress of AAMS in 2015, Los Angeles (Academy of Applied Myofunctional Sciences) Drs Chritian Guillerminault were the Main Lecturers. Drs Michael Mew, Michael Gelb and Professor Mariano Rocabado and Mrs Joyce Mueller were also lecturers in this important event.

Lecture in LA Dental Meeting 2017 in Pasadena about TMD / OSA and Medical Billings

Lecture in the Italian-American study club in Santa Monica in 2018

Official Instructor for USDI, United States Dental Institute, A National Educational Organization for Orthodontics since 2022

Coaching several dentists in Orofacial Pain / TMD and Sleep nationally and internationally

REFERENCES

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