Faculty of Dentistry, McGill University
Research Seminar Series

Title: “Can Oral Health Technology Assessment Promote Evidence Based Decision-Making in Dental Faculties?.”

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There is general consensus amongst leaders in dental education that current methods of mastering dental training in dental faculties are outmoded. It is also evident that proper assessment of new health technologies complements the objectives of evidence based health practice. To acknowledge the rampant evolution in dental technologies, dental schools in developed and developing countries have employed the use of problem-based or case-based learning techniques to promote EBDM. Dental faculties should have strategies to conduct effective and quick assessment of new dental technologies in their own environment in order to conform to proper use of EBDM in the curriculum.

Time & Place: Tuesday, March 8, 2011
12:00 p.m. in the Rogers Faculty Council Room (M/48)
3640 University St., Strathcona Anatomy & Dentistry Bldg

Small lunch served. All are welcome. Host: Dr. Jocelyne Feine at jocelyne.feine@mcgill.ca