Which CEREC® course is right for me?

cerecdoctors.com offers one of the world’s most comprehensive CEREC® curriculum. With nine levels of hands-on education at two state-of-the-art learning campuses, we offer more for CEREC users of all proficiencies.

Our goal is to create empowered CEREC users who enjoy the technology and use it passionately for clinical and financial success.

The cerecdoctors.com curriculum begins after you have completed Initial Training, and guides you to advanced CEREC aptitude. While our courses do not need to be taken sequentially, we do recommend beginning with our Level 2 course. Many seasoned doctors benefit from Level 2 because of the solid foundation it provides for both new and experienced users.

The cerecdoctors.com curriculum differs from other CEREC training centers because of our unique approach to learning. Each course is very thorough and comprehensive. Even if you have attended CEREC training at other venues, what you learn from cerecdoctors.com will definitely take you beyond the knowledge and skills you currently have.

So that you get the most from your CEREC journey, and to ensure that you are in the most appropriate course, we recommend that you review the following criteria to gauge where you should begin your CEREC journey.

REMEMBER – COURSES FILL UP QUICKLY

CL2 - CEREC Foundation
Rapid Integration Into Your Practice

CL3 - CEREC Implants Restorative
Provisionalizing and Restoring Implants with CEREC

CL4A - CEREC Esthetics
Mastering Multiple Anterior and Esthetic Cases with CEREC

CL4B - CEREC Full Arch
Treating Comprehensive Cases with a Digital Workflow

CL5 - CEREC Advanced
Advanced CEREC Software Mastery

ICA - CEREC Cone Beam
CEREC and Cone Beam Integration in Surgical Implant Dentistry for Guided Surgery

ICB - CEREC Implants Surgical
Hard and Soft Tissue Grafting in Digital Dental Implant Therapy

ICC - CEREC Implants Full Arch
Digital Fixed Full Arch Dental Implant Therapy

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Level 2 is recommended for doctors who:

- Cannot consistently finish a restoration in 90 minutes or less
- Are not familiar with all the software tools and menus
- Do not understand the differences in the design modes
- Do not thoroughly understand what Parameters are
- Do not know how to efficiently design and finish an anterior ceramic bridge
- Do not realize the concept of proper preparation design with the CEREC
- Do not understand the concept of over-milling and the different milling modes
- Are not using the CEREC machine to the fullest capacity
- Wish to completely master the fundamentals of CEREC dentistry

Level 2 is NOT a replacement for Initial Training, which is a prerequisite for this course. Whereas Initial Training (through your branch), concentrates on one design technique (Biogeneric Individual) on single teeth, Level 2 teaches ALL available design techniques on multiple units. Additionally, time is spent on designing and finishing chairside bridges, provisional and permanent. It is recommended to take Level 2 after you have completed a minimum of 35 restorations.

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Level 3 is recommended for doctors who:

- Wish to learn the differences between the various blocks for fabricating provisional and permanent chairside abutments
- Would like to fabricate chairside abutments for implants utilizing CEREC software
- Want to use CEREC to create temporary and permanent implant restorations
- Want to utilize CEREC to create and restore both screw-retained and cement-retained implant restorations
- Want to understand how different tools affect implant proposals and where and when to use them
- Would like to explore the CEREC/Galileos connection and the integration between cone beam and CAD/CAM
- Would like to create provisional and permanent Maryland bridges
- Want to understand File and image management as it relates to implant restorations fabricated with CEREC
- Would like to create Maryland bridge temporary restorations for patients waiting for implant integration
- Want to fabricate custom healing abutments with CEREC

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CL2- CEREC FOUNDATION - RAPID INTEGRATION INTO YOUR PRACTICE

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Once you have mastered the basic and advanced techniques taught in Level 2, and want to test and expand your knowledge, consider the Level 4 course. Level 4 is intended for doctors who have completed Level 2 and want to apply the knowledge to go deeper with the CEREC and utilize the technology for larger cases.

Note – Completion of Level 2 is strongly recommended prior to attending Level 4.

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Participants will learn:

- To master the art of color and shade selection
- To understand the differences between all CEREC blocks and when to use one block over another for a cosmetic result
- How to prepare anterior teeth for optimal esthetics and how preparation plays an integral role in your success
- How to create a roadmap for staining and glazing success
- How to design in Biogeneric Individual and Biogeneric Copy, and when it is appropriate to use each in anterior situations
- The principles of Smile Design and how to apply them to treatment planning and case presentations, and more importantly the final outcome of the case
- How to do anterior cases same day, as well as indirect in two visits and the advantages/disadvantages of each
- Contouring anterior restorations for optimal esthetics
- How to esthetically enhance restorations milled from the CEREC system
- How parameters affect anterior restorations
- File and image management as it relates to the CEREC system
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- File and image management as it relates to the CEREC software
- How to predictably treat multiple units with perfect occlusion and contacts

Plus:

- Understand the appropriate parameters that affect anterior teeth
- Easy and predictable multiple anterior cementation techniques
- Effective techniques to image large cases
CEREC goes beyond just single-tooth dentistry. This workshop will explore techniques for comprehensive cases and teach users to perform virtual wax ups, utilize the virtual articulator and incorporate cone beam scans to evaluate the patient’s dentition and occlusion.

All cerecdoctors.com hands-on workshops are conducted on Omnicams or Primescans, utilizing the latest CEREC software. Before attending the workshop, review the latest videos on abutments. There will be other videos that are

Participants will learn:

- How to perform the new patient exam in the digital age
- The difference between the CEREC Software design techniques as it relates to comprehensive dentistry
- The appropriate way to stage cases to help with financial need patients
- The proper way to program and utilize the virtual articulator in the CEREC software
- How to use the SICAT Function software suite
- Efficient placement and use of the SICAT JMT device
- Virtual wax ups and mock ups
- Cementation techniques for large comprehensive cases
- Material selection for comprehensive cases
- Utilizing photography for patient education and communication
- Understand how 3D printing plays a role in the digital workflow
- Explore the currently available printers as well as their current indications
This course will give you the experience to utilize the Sirona Cone Beam CT (Galileos or XG3D) for surgical planning of implants and may help you to understand the fundamentals of guided implant surgery. Intended for clinicians who are interested in, new to, or moderately experienced with implant therapy. This two-day lecture will take you from A to Z in all aspects of guided-implant planning using the Galileos/XG3D and the CEREC, as well as provide a complete understanding of all the different guided systems that are available to work with the CEREC and Galileos integration protocol. Learn the basics of implant placement using the guided protocol, and the advantages and disadvantages of each surgical system.

In the demonstration portion on Day 2, students will watch a surgical case that imports the CEREC models into the Galileos software, and virtually places the implants in the ideal position. Participants will then view a fabrication of a surgical guide for implant placement and learn how to utilize this guide according to the guided surgery protocol. This will provide a thorough understanding of the integrated digital implant dentistry protocol, where accurate treatment planning provides a blueprint for the surgical phase, thereby rendering the final restorative phase predictable and ideal.

Participants will learn:

- The fundamentals of guided surgery over current freehand techniques
- The fundamentals, differences, indications, and step-by-step directions for the various surgical guide options available within the CEREC-Galileos integration workflow
- To import prosthetic proposals designed in CEREC into Galileos Implant Software to be used for implant planning
- To digitally treatment plan simple to complex dental implant cases
- Guided surgery tips and tricks to ensure a predictable implementation
- The steps involved from start to finish in planning, placing and restoring an implant using the guided protocol and CEREC

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This course builds on the foundation of digital treatment planning for restoratively-driven implant placement and surgical guide fabrication taught in Level ICA. Level ICB will allow you to take your education further and learn more advanced surgical techniques. This 3-day workshop is designed for advanced users and those who want to learn more ways to treat their implant patients ideally and predictably. This workshop will show you the latest techniques, materials, and procedures to provide the most ideal dental implant therapy.

The focus of this workshop will be bone and soft tissue grafting in digital dental implant therapy. We will focus on predictable techniques soft tissue flap management, suturing, socket grafting with not just bone but also soft tissue grafts, soft tissue grafting in esthetic sites, connective tissue graft harvesting techniques, simultaneous bone grafting with implant placement techniques, predictable transcrestal sinus lift techniques, and esthetic implant dentistry strategies. We will also cover staged bone grafts/ridge augmentation and lateral window sinus lift techniques but to a lesser degree.

Participants will learn:

- Learn the appropriate surgical armamentarium for bone and soft tissue grafting
- Learn predictable soft tissue flap management and suturing techniques
- Learn how to choose the appropriate type of bone grafts, membranes, and soft tissue grafting materials for specific indications
- Learn how to incorporate platelet-rich fibrin (PRF) technology
- Learn predictable socket grafting techniques
- Learn predictable bone grafting and transcrestal sinus lift techniques
- Learn how to harvest autogenous connective tissue grafts
- Learn how to perform soft tissue grafting in esthetic dental implant therapy
- Learn predictable esthetic implant dentistry strategies
- Learn predictable staged ridge augmentation and lateral window sinus lift techniques
- Learn how to minimize complications and treat complications in conjunction with bone and soft tissue grafting

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This 3-day workshop will take participants through the full digital workflow on how to treat a fully edentulous patient. Utilizing CEREC and cone beam, users will learn the tips and tricks for a systematic workflow for treatment planning, designing and executing full arch implant therapy for patients.

Designed for users that have completed levels ICA and ICB, this intensive workshop will give you the tools you need to treat a fully edentulous patient with a completely digital workflow. All aspects of the CEREC chairside and InLab workflow relevant to the process will be discussed in this workshop.

Participants will learn:

- Intro to digital full-arch implant prosthetics
- Edentulous options – Indications and Contraindications
- Pros and cons of various options, space requirements, maintenance
- Materials review for fixed hybrids
- Review of analog concepts
- Treatment planning for full arch implant prosthetics
- Records collection
- Classic Guide vs Digital Guide workflow
- Soft-tissue supported vs tooth supported guides
- Galileos/CBCT/CEREC/InLab integration concepts and the available file types - Ortho models, .dxd, .cmgdxd, .ssi, .iLab, .stl
- Ortho imaging for diagnostic models
- CBCT anatomy review and Galileos features
- Positioning multi-unit abutments for angled implants
- Guide sleeve considerations
- Surgical considerations (lecture)
- Implant selection
- Multi-unit abutment and gingival collar selection
- Serial extractions and staging multiple guides
- Prosthetic design and hygiene/maintenance
- InLab review and overview of InLab software
- When do we need SICAT and when must an analog workflow be used?
- Hardware and software limitations of the Dentsply Sirona workflow

Need additional guidance?

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