



Dr. Finlay lectures in the United Kingdom



This past winter, Dr. Finlay represented the Dawson Academy in the United Kingdom when he was invited to present a 3-day hands on program in dental esthetics to a group of dentists



from the UK and Europe. This is the same lecture the Dr. Finlay presents 3 times a year at the Dawson Center in Virginia. Dr. Finlay joined the Dawson Academy as a senior faculty member in 2008 with a special focus in teaching dentists the relationship between dental esthetics and the functional health of an individual's smile. Although his primary attention will always remain his private practice in Arnold, Maryland, he has enjoyed sharing his experiences and clinical successes with other dentists. Dr. Finlay subscribes to a restorative philosophy that is based upon proper functional design that is conducive to a healthy, durable and predictable result. "True dental esthetics is only a mirror of the relative health of an individual's smile. Successful cosmetic enhancements require a keen eye on the functional design and health to insure restorative success," reports Dr. Finlay. For more information about Dr. Finlay's lecture schedule, visit our site at www.annapolissmiles.com/media/lectures.html.



Digital Impressions in 3D

The first step in creating a new restoration or to obtain records for orthodontic treatment is to make a dental impression. In the past, this means having to use a tray filled with putty like impression material. Dr. Finlay and his team have invested in the latest technology that helps to replace this unpleasant procedure 80% of the time! This cutting edge technology allows us to take extremely accurate digital impressions of your teeth. We are the only practice in the Annapolis area with this technology and one of only a handful in the state of Maryland that have implemented digital impressions to benefit or treatment protocols.



The current version that Dr. Finlay and Dr. McLellan employ is called the Lava C.O.S. It is a breakthrough in imaging technology and is one of the most sophisticated optical systems in dentistry. The process involves an optical wand that contains tiny camera lenses. These lenses capture detailed video images, ensuring extraordinary accurate impressions. The result is a precise-fitting restoration.

Although the technique does not totally replace the use of traditional impressions, it comes a long way in making the majority of the procedures more comfortable with the added benefit of predictable accuracy. For more information visit our site at www.annapolissmiles.com/technology/digital-impressions.html.

Finlay's Finest is here to serve!

It's always nice to see familiar friendly faces when you walk through our door for your dental visits. Our team, Finlay's Finest, remain a professional and talented group that are truly committed to providing you the service you have come to expect and deserve from our practice. Here is a sample of their tenured service:



Linda Finlay RDH	23 years
Connie Dennison	14 years
Mary Warner	12 years
Candy Wiggans RDH	11 years
Christine Boone RDH	9 years
Cindy Filanowski	9 years
Wendy Green CDA	7 years
Mandy Ramey RDH	4 years
Kelly Hill DA	3 years
Kathleen Kenny DA	1 year

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Sincerely,

Scott Finlay, DDS, FAGD, FAACD