

**Biography:****Lindsey Billing, LDH, B.S., M.Ed.**

Lindsey is a Clinical Assistant Professor at the Indiana University School of Dentistry, Dental Hygiene Program. She graduated from IUSD's dental hygiene program in 2011 and has worked in a periodontal office ever since. She started serving at IUSD as adjunct clinical faculty in 2013. She obtained her master's degree in education in 2018 and was appointed full-time faculty at IUSD in August 2022. She teaches the Periodontics and Dental Materials courses and is the clinical course director for the third-year dental hygiene students. Lindsey is a travel enthusiast and loves spending time with her husband and daughter.

**Course Description:****Periodontal and Peri-implant Diseases and Conditions Classification and Treatments**

The new AAP classification of periodontal and peri-implant diseases and conditions has been an important development for improved diagnostics and treatment in dentistry; however, for those who graduated prior, it can be confusing! This course will help explain the differences and improvements of the new classification system and provide useful tips and tricks to come to the proper periodontal diagnosis. We will also discuss the use of Guided Biofilm Therapy as a useful and effective tool for treatment of periodontal and peri-implant diseases.

At completion of the course, attendees should:

- Have a better understanding of the new AAP classification system
- Gain insight on how to best diagnose their patients periodontal and peri-implant conditions
- Have a newfound appreciation for the new AAP classification system
- Gain insight on the use of Guided Biofilm Therapy for the treatment of periodontal disease