**AESTHETIC LASER & LIGHT BASED PROCEDURES
Indiana Course Outline and Faculty**

**Professional Medical Education Association, inc.
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Classes held at INDY LASER
172 W. Carmel Dr., Carmel, IN 46032

**Day 1**

8-8:20    Registration & Coffee
8:20-8:30 Introduction
8:30 - 12:00 - Morning Session, with breaks.
    Skin & Hair Biology as it relates to Light Based Procedures
    Laser & Energy Concepts
    Tissue Optics & Laser Effects
    Aesthetic Laser Safety
12:00 LUNCH - Brought in.
1:15pm - Afternoon Session, with breaks
    Aesthetic Laser Safety Continued
    Laser & Light Based Hair Removal
5:00 - Adjourn

**Day 2**
7:45 am - Sign In, Coffee
8:00 - 12:00    Morning Session, with breaks
   Skin Rejuvenation
    Pigmented Lesions & Tattoos
    Vascular Lesions
12:00 LUNCH - Brought in
1:15pm - Afternoon Session, with breaks
        Hands-On Orientation with various Lasers & Equipment of the well equipped Indy Laser Center
5:00 pm Adjourn

**Day 3**
7:45 am - Sign In, Coffee
8:00-12:00 Morning Session, with breaks
    Ablative Laser Skin Resurfacing
    Fractional Laser Skin Resurfacing
 Business Aspects of starting a Cosmetic Laser Practice - 45 mins. Chris Dryden
   Course Evaluations & Certificates

**CERTIFICATION REVIEW** - NCLC Aesthetic Laser Operator Certification
12:00 - LUNCH - Brought in so that we can review during lunch
1:15 or earlier  NCLC Laser Certification Exam - Optional, but included in the course.
 3 Hours allotted. Course Adjourned when you're finished with exam.
 (Review your exam and see grade prior to leaving)

**FACULTY:**

**Gregory T. Absten BSc, MBA**Executive Director of Professional Medical Education Association,
Chairman, National Council on Laser Certification
Mr. Gregory Absten, has been actively involved in the Medical Laser field for more than 35 years, with an initial background in critical care and surgery in the Allied Heath areas and Critical Care Medicine. He is an internationally recognized lecturer and author on medical lasers, and has taught hundreds of surgical and nursing courses in every specialty over the years. He is founder and Executive Director of the nonprofit Professional Medical Education Association, and chairs the National Council on Laser Certification - a laser credentialing board of the nonprofit group. A Scientific Fellow with the American Society for Laser Medicine and Surgery (ASLMS), he served as the Course Director for their "Laser Biophysics and Safety" workshops for more than eight years, and as the Exhibits Chairman at their annual scientific meeting for more than 15 years. He has served on the Board of Directors of the ASLMS in the Laser Safety seat, and has sat on the  Education &  Training, Safety, and Communications Committees. He is on the Board of Directors for the International Aesthetic & Laser Association (IALA) and also sits on the A.N.S.I. Z136.3 Committee for the "Safe use of Lasers in Health Care Facilities". Mr. Absten is the recipient of an American Society for Laser Medicine and Surgery award for "Excellence in Education". This background has enabled us to offer a variety of standardized and customized laser training programs for physicians, nurses, laser safety officers, technicians and biomedical engineers -- utilizing both Mr. Absten and Physician, Nursing & Technical faculty from around the nation. He holds NCLC Certifications of Medical Laser Safety Officer, Aesthetic Laser Operator and Certified Laser Repair Technician.

**Chris Dryden, CLO-A, CLRT, CLSO-M, CLHR/Specialist, CLHR/Supervisor**

Chris has owned and operated a successful laser spa in the Indianapolis area since 2009, which has a stellar reputation and consistently draws from a 3+ hour radius. This trusted reputation has made them the provider of choice over the years of the Indianapolis Colts Cheerleaders, Indiana Pacemates, multiple TV personalities, and hundreds of state and national pageant title holders (including Miss America, Miss USA, and USA National Miss title holders and contestants ). He holds all NCLC certifications. He trains and consults within the aesthetic laser industry helping to ensure those entering the industry have the proper basics to succeed in the industry. He offers advanced hands-on training, equipment selection, site layout and selection, practice operations, staffing, and marketing.