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## ADA NSW LAUNCHES NEW DIGITAL TRAINING CENTRE

**Sydney, NSW**– ADA NSW is proud to announce the official launch of its new **Digital Training Centre (DTC)** and **Learning Management System (LMS)** – a landmark investment in the future of dental education and professional development in Australia.

Opening on **13 May at ADA NSW headquarters in St Leonards**, the DTC represents a bold step forward in delivering the most advanced learning experiences for dental professionals. This purpose-built facility is equipped with the latest digital dentistry tools, including intraoral scanners, CAD/CAM systems, and 3D printers – ensuring dental practitioners have access to the most current technologies available.

“The DTC is more than a modern training space – it’s a strategic investment in the future of dentistry,” said **ADA NSW President Dr Dominic Aouad**. “The overwhelming support from the profession confirms the need for dedicated spaces for digital workflows, hands-on training and clinical innovation.”

The development of the DTC has been made possible through a strong partnership with **Henry Schein**, a global leader in dental technology. “Our collaboration ensures that dental professionals are trained using real-world digital applications, setting new standards in treatment accuracy and patient care,” Dr Aouad added.

**Henry Schein Australia’s General Manager of Commercial Dental, Michael Fahey**, highlighted the significance of this partnership: “By combining ADA NSW’s educational leadership with our technological expertise, we are creating an environment where practitioners can refine their skills using cutting-edge digital tools.”

Alongside the DTC, ADA NSW is also rolling out a **new Learning Management System (LMS)** through its CPD program, further supporting the strategic vision of becoming the leading provider of dental education and professional development.

This platform will enable flexible, on-demand, and interactive learning opportunities – particularly benefiting dental professionals in rural, regional, and remote areas. Features of the LMS include:

- On-demand and self-paced learning
- Hybrid course delivery to maximise hands-on training time
- Integrated CPD tracking for streamlined compliance

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“This LMS is a significant step forward in how ADA NSW delivers education,” said **Dr Cathleen Dong, ADA NSW Board Director**. “We’re evolving to meet the changing needs of our members while maintaining the high standards our CPD programs are known for.”

The LMS and DTC will expand access to workshops, seminars, online courses, and expert-led sessions across a range of dental disciplines – with a focus on digital innovation and clinical excellence.

Courses on artificial intelligence, smile design, and other innovations in dentistry are now available through the ADA NSW CPD Hub at [www.adansw.com.au/cpd](http://www.adansw.com.au/cpd).

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