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It’s difficult to find any stronger example of the ever-narrowing line between classroom and exhibit floor than during the four days of exhibits here at the Greater New York Dental Meeting.

Today’s opening day of one of dentistry’s most education-focused exhibitions — along with the three days that will follow — offers seemingly limitless opportunity to gain familiarity with the most advanced equipment, concepts and techniques in every sector of dentistry.

Live dentistry in the exhibit hall
Among the exhibit hall’s many high-lights is one of the industry’s busiest live dentistry stages, with sessions worth C.E. credit scheduled during all four days of exhibits.

First World Implant EXPO kicks off today
For the first time, the Greater New York Dental Meeting is partnering up with the American Academy of Implant Dentistry and the International Congress of Oral Implantologists to present the World Implant EXPO, taking place all this week on the exhibit hall floor.

The idea behind the expo, according to the organizers, was to add a greater collection of inspiring seminars and workshops for specialists who offer surgical and restorative dental implant treatment to their patients as well as for the general dentist who incorporates implant tooth replacement in his/her office.

The World Implant EXPO will officially kick off with a ribbon cutting at 1:30 p.m. today in Classroom 1 in Aisle 2000. An opening day reception will follow the completion of the program at 5:15 p.m. Sessions take place all four days, from today through Wednesday.