NHS Education South West Dental Postgraduate Department



Occlusion with out Confusion

Date and venue:

Friday 21st October 2016 Mercure Exeter Southgate Hotel North and East Devon

Course Organiser:

Samantha Braddock

Course Lecturers:

Professor Brian Millar BDS, FDSRCS, PhD, FHEA

Programme

09.15	Registration
09.30	Introduction
09.40	Seminar
10.15	Coffee
10.45	Hands on- session 1
13.00	Lunch
14.00	Hands on- session 2
15.00	Tea
15.15	Hands on- session 3
16.15	Questions and Close

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Aim:

The aim of this course is to train dentists in the important features of occlusion and what to look for in clinical dentistry in the management of various occlusal problems

Objectives: by the end of the course, participants will;

- 1. Have understanding of how to correct occlusal problems such as tooth wear, poor aesthetics, cracked cusp syndrome, fractured restorations, overeruption, TMD and bruxism.
- 2. Know how to avoid creating occlusal problems
- 3. Gain practical experience of repairing worn teeth and correcting occlusion
- 4. Gain knowledge and practical experience of how to distalise and when and how to use high restorations
- 5. Know how to select the correct splint and had practical experience of making splints
- 6. Understand what clinical records are required in different situations
- 7. Know how to use a facebow and when to and how to record an intraocclusal record
- 8. Have knowledge of the safe use of anti-snoring appliances

Learning outcomes:

- 1. Have knowledge of how to correct a range of occlusal problems encountered in clinical dentistry and how to avoid creating them.
- 2. Have had practical experience of restoring a worn dentition which has altered occlusion
- 3. Have practical knowledge of the need for facebows and intra-occlusal records and how to obtain centric occlusion.
- 4. Have knowledge of different types of splints and anti snoring appliances and will have made a series of splints.