

Dental Postgraduate Department

**OCCLUSION IN EVERYDAY PRACTICE
(SW16-11-08-1)**

Tuesday, 8th November 2016
Future Inns Bristol, Bond Street, Bristol BS1 3EN

Course Lecturer:
Dr Kevin Lochhead

Programme

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| 18:00 – 18.30 | Registration |
| 18:30 – 19:45 | Lecture 1 – concepts of occlusion |
| 19:45 – 20:30 | Hot buffet |
| 20:30 – 21:45 | Lecture 2 – case histories |
| 21:45 – 22:00 | Closing remarks and questions |

Aim

To give delegates an overview of the various 'concepts' of occlusion in order to understand where and why 'conflict' exists

Objectives

- To understand the relationship between the teeth, the TMJ's and the muscles of mastication
- To understand why working in centric relation is important for some patients and totally unnecessary for the majority
- To understand the two minute occlusal examination for all patients
- To understand when and why antero/canine guidance is important
- To understand why 'bruxing' may have nothing to do with occlusion

Learning Outcome

To update general practitioners with contemporary best practice in occlusion, relevant to their everyday practice.