



Health Education North West Department of Postgraduate Dentistry

Dental Medical Emergency! Would you know what to do?

Dental Medical Emergency Course

Incorporating

Emergency First Aid at Work

Course Fee £55.00

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This course has been specifically developed to meet the needs of dental professionals and to comply with guidance from the CQC, Resuscitation Council and the GDC. At the end of the course, the candidate will be awarded an EFA first aid certificate, HSE approved to comply with the CQC recommendations and will also be awarded a certificate in the management of medical emergencies within the dental practice.

This course is especially suitable for the "nominated first aider in the practice".

Date: Monday 1st December 2014 – **Time** 9:00am-5:00pm, Registration 8.45am

Venue: Wythenshawe Hospital Education & Research centre, M23 9LT

The 1- day Dental Medical Emergency first aid course is required by employers, where their Risk assessment has shown a need for appointed persons for the purposes of the Health and Safety (First aid) regulations. There is also additional guidance for example from the CQC, UK resuscitation Council and the GDC. This course is aimed at all practice staff. However, due to the additional components e.g. drug use, it is highly recommended for clinical staff.

This bespoke course has been compiled with the need of dental professionals in mind and also focuses on medical emergencies and the use of emergency equipment within the practice including the use of drugs.

Tea & Coffee will be available

*This course meets the GDC's educational criteria for verifiable CPD and qualifies for 6 hours

To book a place on this course, please telephone the booking line on: 0161 665 5882, with your **credit or debit** card details and GDC registration number.

Closing date: Thursday 20th November 2014

Refreshments will be provided.

Cancellations:- Refunds will not be given after the closing date; however, you can nominate another delegate

Aim:

The aim of this course is to educate delegates in the principles of First Aid and medical emergencies including:

- Basic life support-Adult, Child & AED
- Airway management & use of oxygen
- · Control of bleeding
- Fractures
- Causes of unconsciousness
- Treatment of burns & scalds
- Major/minor illnesses & the use of emergency drugs & IM injection technique
- Risk assessments
- Use of emergency equipment within the practice

Once trained, successful candidates will be deemed competent to carry out the duties of an Emergency First Aider at work in a dental practice known as 'the appointed person' for the purposes of the Health & Safety (First Aid) regulations 1981.

In addition, this course will also cover the use of emergency drugs and emergency equipment available in the dental practice.

Learning Outcomes:

Once competence has been assessed and this qualification awarded, the candidate will have demonstrated:

- All the skills to properly assess/diagnose major conditions & injuries
- Management in a simulated environment treatment of a casualty with various medical conditions/emergencies & give appropriate treatment within the parameters of their knowledge & training until more skilled personnel assume responsibility
- Team/scene management skills
- Knowledge of appropriate drug use for medical emergencies
- The safe & effective use of emergency resuscitation equipment

Course Outline:

Much of this course will be delivered in small facilitated groups and will be practical in nature, focussed around clinical scenarios.

- 1. Course introduction & the purposes of first aid, CQC & Resuscitation council guidance
- 2. Managing an incident
- 3. Asphyxia & Hypoxia
- 4. Resuscitation & oxygen (Rescue breathing)
- 5. Resuscitation & AED (Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation)
- 6. Recovery positions & Airway management
- 7. The choking casualty
- 8. Wounds & bleeding
- 9. Dressings/Bandages & first aid supplies
- 10. Shock
- 11. Burns & scalds
- 12. Major illnesses & conditions and emergency drugs in the practice
- 13. Fractures & dislocations

Pre-course Information Reading:

Each candidate will be provided with a first aid manual together with medical emergencies flow charts & the guidance from the UK Resuscitation council four weeks prior to the course.

Each candidate will be asked to complete an application form and then sent comprehensive joining instructions with the pre-course reading.