



## Impression Taking for Dental Nurses

**Venue:** The University of Liverpool, School of Dentistry Seminar Room 1 & 2 and Restorative Dentistry Clinic

**Date:** Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2017

**Time:** 9:30 am to 4:00pm - 9:00am to 9:30am Arrival, Registration & Coffee

**Course Co-ordinator:** Dr Sophie Desmons – Senior Clinical Lecturer in Restorative Dentistry, University of Liverpool School of Dentistry.

### Course requirements:

To be accepted onto this course, candidates must:

- be GDC Registered Dental Nurses
- have a current BLS certificate
- have Professional Indemnity cover
- have written confirmation from a supervising dentist that they take responsibility for overseeing the nurses training in the workplace.

**\*Proof of the above will be a requirement prior to attending the course\***

### Aim

The aim of this course is to enable registered dental nurses to learn about the background of impression taking and undertake an accurate dentate impression under the prescription of a dentist, in a wide range of applications including bleaching trays, study models and mouth guards.

### Course Objectives

By the end of the course participants will be able to:

- List the Restorative procedures that require the use of dental impressions.
- Explain the Health and Safety issues which should be taken into account when taking impressions.
- Undertake a Patient Assessment to gauge whether they will be able to obtain a successful impression.
- Explain complications which can arise as a result of taking impressions and how to deal with them.
- List the use of different materials available for impression taking.
- Describe the advantages and disadvantages of the different materials and their uses.
- Present the different trays available for impression of a dentate arch.
- Select the correct size impression tray for an individual.
- Achieve a sound impression of the dentition using alginate impression material.
- Identify whether an impression is fit for its purpose.
- Undertake appropriate infection control procedures for impression taking.

**This programme qualifies for 5.5 hours of verifiable CPD**

### Course Fee and Booking Details

The course fee is £75.00. However, if the workplace in which you are employed, treats predominately NHS patients and is located within the boundaries of Health Education England North West (HEENW) a subsidised course fee of £50.00 will be applicable. This fee includes: a practical session and consumables, a sandwich lunch and refreshments. Places on this course are limited to 12 and will be allocated on a first come first served basis. The course closing date is 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017. To reserve a place please follow this online payment link: <http://payments.liv.ac.uk/short-courses/cpd/institute-of-learning-and-teaching/school-of-dentistry/impression-taking-for-dental-nurses-21-july-2017>

Cancellation policy: A refund, less £20 administration fee, is guaranteed for cancellations received up to three weeks before the start of the course (**30<sup>th</sup> June 2017 at 5pm**). No refund will be made for cancellations received after this date or for failure to attend. Substitutions fulfilling the criteria may be made at any time prior to the course start.

Any queries, please contact Julie Brannagan on email address [jbrannag@liv.ac.uk](mailto:jbrannag@liv.ac.uk) telephone number: 0151 706 5203.