



Impression Taking for Dental Nurses

Venue: The University of Liverpool, School of Dentistry Seminar Room 1 (and a Restorative Dentistry Clinic)
Date: Friday 9th October 2015
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.

Who should attend? GDC Registered Dental Nurses

Aim

The aim of this course is to enable dental nurses to learn about the background of impression taking, take an accurate impression of the dentition, recognising any errors in the impressions and learning how to avoid these. At the end of the course, registered dental nurses should be able to undertake impressions under the prescription of a dentist in a wide range of applications including for 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

Please note you will be required to wear appropriate clinical attire for this course

Course Fee and Booking Details

This course is subsidised by Health Education North West. The subsidised fee for this event is £50.00 per person, which 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 **Wednesday 30th September 2015**. To reserve a place please follow this online payment link:
http://payments.liv.ac.uk/browse/extra_info.asp?compid=1&modid=5&catid=65&prodid=413

Cancellation policy: A refund, less £20 administration fee, is guaranteed for cancellations received up to three weeks before the start of the course (**Friday 18th September 2015 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.

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