

**MEDICAL EMERGENCIES IN  
GENERAL DENTAL PRACTICE  
SW15-10-12-1**

Date and venue:

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October  
The Mount Somerset Hotel, Taunton

Course Organiser:

Lucy Silk

Course Lecturers:

Mr Manuel Blanco Guzman, Consultant in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery  
Ms Caroline Harvey, Associate Specialist, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

**Programme**

0900- 09.25	Registration and Coffee
09.25 -09.30	Introduction and Welcome
09.30-09.45	General Dental Council Requirements and Good Practice
09.45- 10.00	Medical Risk Assessment in General Dental Practice
10.00 – 10.40	Emergency Drugs and Equipment: What's in your emergency drugs kit, where is it and how do I use it?
10.40- 11.00	Common Medical Emergencies in Dental Practice Angina Asthma Anaphylaxis
11.00-11.30	Coffee
11.30- 12.10	Common Medical Emergencies in Dental Practice Cardiac Emergency Epilepsy Hypoglycaemia Syncope Steroid Crisis
12.10-12.30	Self Assessment video quiz and discussion
12.30-13.30	Lunch

13.30-14.00	Adult and Paediatric Life Support
14.00-14.20	Demonstration of AED defibrillator
14.20-15.00	Skills stations
16.00-16.15	Discussion and evaluation
16.15	Close

**Aim:**

The aim of this course is to be able to recognise and safely manage medical emergencies in dental practice.

**Objectives:**

- Name the seven drugs contained in the emergency drugs box
- Identify the key signs and symptoms of common medical emergencies
- Demonstrate how to prepare and use standard emergency drugs and medical equipment
- Demonstrate practical experience with hands on life support and CPR