

“Predictable Root Canal Treatment In Practice”

Date and venue:

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Clinical Skills Laboratory (P.R.I.D.E Unit),
Level 7, Zone E
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Programme

0900 - 0930 Registration – Tea & Coffee.

0930 -1100 Session 1 Lecture:

- Diagnostics
- Preoperative assessment
- Case complex assessment
- Recap of tooth morphology
- Patterns & Pitfalls of canal location
- Techniques relevant to practical 1.

1100 -1115 Coffee

1115 -1300 Session 2 Practical1:-

- Special awareness exercises
- Access cavities in simulated teeth
- Canal location

1300 -1400 Lunch: PGMC Coffee Shark

1400 -1500 Session 3 Lecture:-

- Technical milestones & their relevance to biological aims
- Recap of common problems encountered during root canal treatment
- Techniques & skills necessary to overcome common problems
- Restorative considerations for root filled teeth

1500 Coffee

1500 -1615 Session 4 Practical:-

- Instrumentation technique workshop
- Endo Vu blocks, blind preparation test & one to one analysis
- Practicing techniques to overcome iatrogenic errors
- Interactive seminar on the restoration of root filled teeth
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1615 – 1630 Discussions & Questions.

Course Aim

To update knowledge and skills required for root canal treatment.

Course Objectives:

1. Revision of diagnostics and triaging relating to endodontic problems for busy practitioners.
2. To update knowledge of tooth morphology, canal location, and methods to manage difficult cases.
3. To practice techniques used to overcome common problems in root canal treatment.
4. To recap on the restoration of a non-vital, root filled tooth.