

## **Anticoagulants, Endocarditis, Bisphosphonates, and All That!!**

Lecturers:

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&  
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Date and venue:

**Tuesday 19 July 2016  
The Rose in Vale Country House Hotel, Mithian**

Course Organiser:

**Carrie Bradburn, Dental Postgraduate Tutor**

### **Programme**

<b>09.00 – 09.30</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee/Registration</b>
<b>09.30 – 10.00</b>	Introduction
<b>10.00 – 10.30</b>	ASA grade - what is it and why is it relevant to me?
<b>10.30 – 11.15</b>	Management of dental patients undergoing/receiving chemo or radiotherapy
<b>11.15 – 11.45</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee</b>
<b>11.45 – 12.30</b>	Bisphosphonates – Management of the dental patient. What are they? How do they work? What do you do?
<b>12.30 – 13.00</b>	What do I do about steroids?
<b>13.00 – 14.00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>14.00 – 14.45</b>	Anticoagulants/ anti-platelets- current guidance and patient management
<b>14.45 – 15.15</b>	Endocarditis – NICE guidance/treatment controversy. Management of the dental patient.
<b>15.15 – 15.45</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee</b>
<b>15.45 – 16.15</b>	Clinical Scenarios
<b>16.15 – 16.30</b>	<b>Final comments/questions. Close.</b>

**Aim:** To review and discuss current national guidelines and guidance on the management of the dental patient undergoing invasive and surgical treatment and how this may be affected by their medical issues

**Objectives:** By the end of the day delegates should feel more confident about:

- ✓ Bisphosphonates, warfarin, antiplatelet agents and steroids
- ✓ NICE guidelines for prophylaxis against endocarditis - what we should tell patients
- ✓ The dental patient with medical conditions in terms of ASA grading and its relevance
- ✓ Management issues of the dental patient who has/is receiving radiotherapy and/or chemotherapy

**Outcome:** Delegates should feel better able to make decisions about their patients' overall health and whether or not they are safe to treat in the dental surgery