

Dental Postgraduate Department

**Managing caries in the Primary Dentition
(SW17 05-05-01)**

Date and venue:

Friday 5th May 2016

The Mount Somerset Hotel, Taunton

Course Organiser:

Lucy Silk

Course Lecturers:

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Programme

09.15	Registration
09.30	Introduction
09.40	Why Bother? They are baby teeth after all!
10.40	Coffee
11.00	Determining the pulp status in a primary tooth
12.00	Pulp therapy in the primary dentition
13.00	Lunch
14.00	Demonstration of preformed metal crowns for restoring primary teeth
15.00	Tea
15.15	Workshop – Pulp status
16.30	Close

Aims

To equip participants with the knowledge, evidence and basic skills required to manage caries in the primary dentition.

Objectives

- To discuss the need for restoring primary teeth
- To select the appropriate restorative material for restoring carious primary teeth
- To discuss application of pulp therapy techniques in the light of new evidence
- To review the Hall Technique and evidence relating to its effectiveness

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- To demonstrate hands on practice of placing Hall crowns on models

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, participants will be more confident in managing caries in the primary dentition