

**SOVA and dementia  
SW17-11-17-1**

Date and venue:  
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Marsh Farm Hotel, Royal Wootton Bassett, Swindon, Wilts SN4 8ER

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**Programme**

<b>0900- 09.30</b>	Registration
<b>09.30 -11.00</b>	<b>Session 1:</b> What is dementia Who does it affect
<b>11.00 -11.15</b>	Coffee
<b>11.15-12.45</b>	<b>Session 2:</b> Impact on family and friends Abuse and Dementia
<b>12.45-13.30</b>	Lunch
<b>13.30-14.45</b>	<b>Session 3:</b> Keeping Dementia safe (Safeguarding) What impact can dementia have on dental visits
<b>14.45-15.00</b>	Coffee
<b>15.00-16.15</b>	<b>Session 4:</b> Resources (what support is available
<b>16.15 – 16.30</b>	Question session and day end

## Dental Postgraduate Department

Health Education South West

### Aim

Gain an understanding of what dementia is and how to support patients within the dental environment

### Objectives

- Gain knowledge of current guidelines in regards to safeguarding
- Gain the knowledge to identify signs of neglect, harm and abuse
- Be able to identify who could be an abuser and who could be abused
- Be able to support dementia patients within your practice
- Be able to outline practice procedures for effective safeguarding measures

### Learning Outcomes

- Help you safeguard the patients in your care, spot signs of abuse and know how to report and to whom
- Help you gain understanding on how to help patients with dementia in your dental environment