

**Dental Postgraduate Department**

**Endodontics – ‘Why does the endodontist do that’ – an update  
of endodontic procedures  
(SW17-10-13-2)**

Friday, 13th October 2017  
Holiday Inn, Marlborough Road, Swindon SN3 6AQ

Course Organiser:  
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Course Lecturers:  
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A hands on course for both clinicians and nurses

**Programme**

09.00 – 09.30 Registration  
09.30 – 10.30 Intro to aetiology of apical periodontitis, Biofilms - treatment aims Access, isolation, preparation and irrigation  
10.30 – 10.45 Coffee  
10.45 - 12.30 Cleaning shaping and obturation, post op restoration  
12.30 - 13.00 Discussion  
13.00 - 14.00 lunch  
14.00 - 14.30 Reciprocation v rotary files  
14.30 – 15.15 Hands on prep  
15.15 – 15.30 Tea  
15.30 – 16.30 Obturation/Rubber dam demonstration  
16.30 – 17.00 Discussion

**Aims and objectives** - To review and explore why dentists use different techniques to root fill teeth. Using current literature we will look at current best practice and the evidence to support it. Hands on element will introduce newer file systems and introduce DCPs to rubber dam placement.

**Learning outcome** - GDPs and DCPs will have a deeper understanding of the cause of apical periodontitis and will therefore treat it more effectively using up to date techniques.