

Dental Postgraduate Department

How to take good intra-oral radiographs and OPTs

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Date and venue:

Saturday 2nd March 2019

Dental Radiography Room
Level 7 Dental Specialities
Derriford Hospital (Main Building)
Plymouth PL6 8DH

Course Organiser:

Heidi Mills

Course Lecturers:

Tim Huckstep
Dental Radiographer

Programme

09:00 – 09:30	Registration and Refreshments
09:30 – 11:00	Session 1: How to take good intra-oral radiographs.
11:00 – 12:00	Session 2: How to take good OPTs
12:20 - 12:30	Questions and course close

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Aims

To give participants an opportunity to revise their intra-oral radiography and OPT skills.

Objectives

By the end of the session, delegates will:

1. Have revised the techniques for the use of equipment used to take intra-oral radiographs using the paralleling technique.
2. Have revised the positioning of the patient to take high quality OPTs.
3. Have had an opportunity to gain insight on the equipment they use in their practice.

Learning Outcomes

Those delegates should be able to take high quality intra-oral radiographs and OPTs at the first attempt thus reducing the ionising radiation dose to their patients.