Construct and insert an implant retained overdenture (HLTDEP008)
Course code: S155118

Description
RMIT University is pleased to offer this accredited course that will provide you with the skills, knowledge and troubleshooting techniques required to construct and insert an aesthetic and functional implant retained overdenture, treat patients in need of an implant overdenture and add this valuable practical skill to your daily patient practice.

All procedures are carried out in accordance with work health and safety (WHS) policies and procedures, current infection control guidelines, Australia and NZ Standards, State/Territory legislative requirements and organisation policy.

Content
The course covers the following topics:

- advantages and disadvantages of an implant retained overdenture,
- Work health and safety (WHS) procedures and Infection Control Guidelines,
- planning and placement parameters (treatment planning, charts, records, PPE, required lab work and selection of instruments),
- prosthetic considerations (take a primary impression),
- bars, balls or locators (attachment and bar extension options),
- indications and contra-indications,
- complications (troubleshooting),
- client pre and post-operative instructions,
- practical activities to reinforce knowledge.

Course outcomes
To provide Dental prosthetists with the fundamentals, knowledge and practical skills required to construct and place an aesthetic and functional implant retained overdenture.

Participants should be able to understand and competently apply the techniques of implant overdenture treatment planning, restorative protocols and practical skills for adding this treatment to their scope of practice and treating patients.

Course presenters
The course will be delivered by specialist prosthodontists, periodontists and dental prosthodontists.

Dates/Times
Thursday, 4th May, 2017  9.00 am - 5.00 pm
Friday, 5th May, 2017    9.00 am - 5.00 pm
Saturday, 6th May, 2017  9.00 am - 4.00 pm

Once enrolled, you will be forwarded the assessment activity which must be completed and brought to the first class.

Suitied to
The course is designed to:

- qualified Dental prosthetists with existing registration who are looking at extending their scope of practice,
- Dental prosthetists who obtained their qualifications prior to 2006 and have not had formal training to extend their scope of practice.

Accommodation
Suitable accommodation is available in the surrounding Carlton precinct or in the City of Melbourne.
Parking
Public car parking is available Cnr Grattan and Cardigan Streets, Carlton, Victoria.

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Award
On successful completion of the assessments, participants will be awarded a Statement of Attainment for “HLTDEP008 Construct and insert an implant retained overdenture”.

Catering
Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea is provided.

Course location
The course will be conducted at The Royal Dental Hospital of Melbourne, 720 Swanston Street, Carlton, Victoria and offers excellent teaching and dental practice facilities.

Public transport
Trams running along Swanston Street include routes 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 16, 64, 67 and 72, from which you can connect to the train at Melbourne Central or Flinders Street.

Materials supplied
Denture teeth and models will be provided for participants to construct FL dentures that will be utilised in the course and all implant components.

Materials to bring
Participants must bring safety glasses, laboratory coat, process tools and a willingness to participate, apply your understanding and complete the assessment activities.

How to enrol
To enrol, please follow the steps below:
- Google:  www.shortcourses.rmit.edu.au
- Click:  A-Z
- Click:  C
- Open:  “Construct and insert an implant retained overdenture”.

Enquiries
Phone: (03) 9925 8111
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(Course Coordinators)

Fee:  $3,500.00.

Further course information
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