



## Dental Nurse Education & Training Centre

### Aims

This course will provide the practical and theoretical knowledge and skills needed in order for dental nurses to competently apply topical fluoride to adult and child patients.

### Objectives

This course will cover:

- Law, Ethics and Professionalism
- Health, Safety and Infection Control
- Medical Emergencies
- Communication
- Introduction to Clinical Patient Management
- Oral Disease
- Preventative Dentistry
- Dental Materials

### How do I achieve the qualification?

- 80% attendance on course dates
- Successful completion of a portfolio of experience
- Pass set assignments.

### Outcomes

By the end of the course dental nurses will be able to:

- Demonstrate an up to date knowledge in Health and Safety, Infection Control and Medical Emergencies
- Be competent in the safe selection and dosage of topical fluoride and have the knowledge of how to deal with an acute overdose of fluoride vanish
- Be familiar with the aetiology of dental disease and the principles of prevention
- Demonstrate competency in safely applying fluoride through completion of a portfolio of experience
- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding through set assignments.

### What do I need?

- Dental Nursing Qualification
- GDC Registration Number
- Self motivation
- Time to complete a Record of Experience
- Supportive employer
- Access to adults and children requiring topical fluoride application