



LOCAL ANALGESIA FOR DENTAL HYGIENISTS

COURSE NUMBER:
2114

CONVENER:
Ms Julie Owen (Dental Therapist)

PRESENTERS:
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Ms Julie Owen (Dental Therapist)

COURSE FORMAT:
Lecture program/hands-on labs session

DATE:
Wednesday 14 July 2010
Thursday 15 July 2010
Friday 16 July 2010
(9.00am – 5.00pm each day)

VENUE:
Melbourne Dental School
720 Swanston Street, Carlton

FEE (GST incl.):
\$1,600

REGISTRATION LIMIT:
20

CPD CREDIT:
18 hours Scientific CPD

AIMS

To develop the ability of dental hygienists to deliver local analgesia that will meet the needs of:

- dental hygiene practice
- the standards required by the Dental Practice Board of Victoria

OBJECTIVES

On the successful completion of this course participants should be able to:

- demonstrate an understanding of the principal clinical application of anatomy to the administration of local analgesia
- demonstrate an understanding of the pharmacology and action of local analgesia
- identify the need for and selective application of pain control strategies
- administer local analgesia appropriate to the practice of dental hygiene including topical analgesia, infiltration and inferior dental nerve block
- understand and apply the indications and contra-indications for administering local analgesia
- demonstrate an understanding of the management of complications associated with local analgesia

Pre-reading material will be supplied including refresher material on anatomy of the head and neck.

This course comprises a combination of didactic and practical work incorporating supported clinical experience and small group work. It will include clinical experience in the administration of local analgesia and also externally supervised practice experience.

This program contains all the elements of the Bachelor of Oral Health undergraduate program in local analgesia and the 'pain control' competencies defined for Dental Hygienists by the ACTRAC registered program and is designed to meet the needs of the Dental Practice Board of Victoria's Codes of Practice for Dental Auxiliaries. This course has also been accepted by the Dental Board of Queensland and the Dental Council of New Zealand as appropriate for practice in the administration of local analgesia in these jurisdictions.

MELBOURNE DENTAL SCHOOL REGISTRATION CONDITIONS AND ADMINISTRATION

Disclaimer:
Should the minimum enrolment number for a course not be achieved, the Melbourne Dental School reserves the right to cancel that course. Applicants will be notified of a course cancellation and a full refund of the course fee will be made.

PARKING FACILITIES

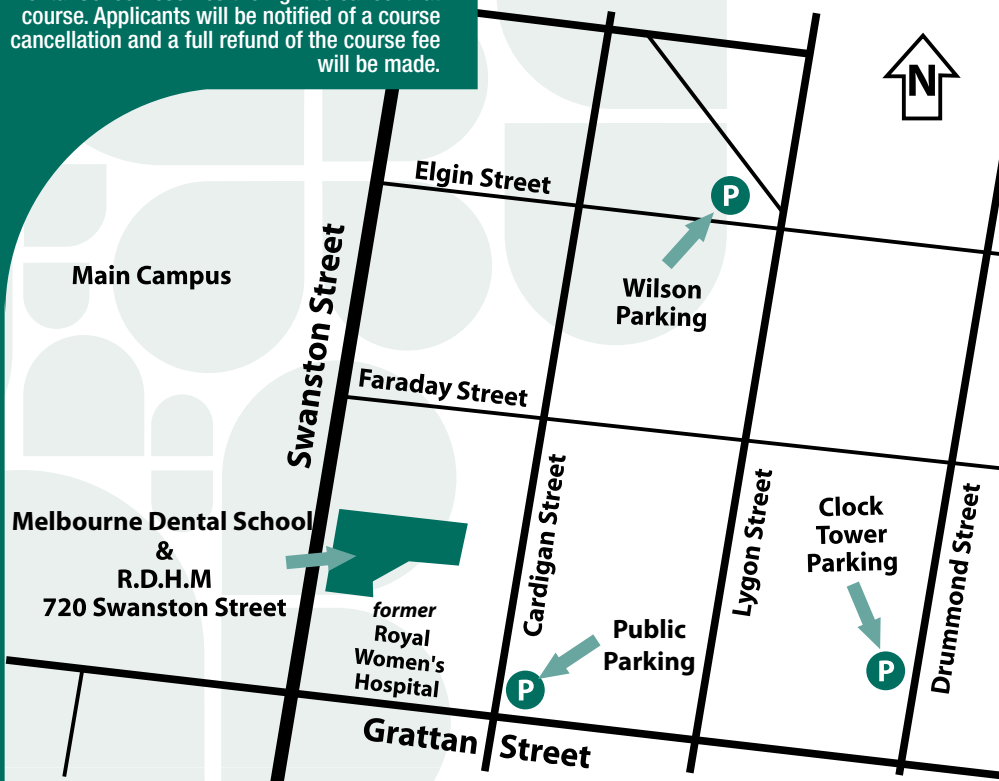
Please note there are no car parking facilities at the building. However, should you wish to utilize public transport, there is a tram stop right outside the main entrance. Trams run frequently along Swanston Street from the City. Melbourne Central is the closest railway station and numerous bus routes run close by. For metropolitan train, tram and bus information, call Metlink on 131 638.

LOCATION & PARKING MAP

Melways Reference 2B E7

- Cardigan Street Parking—former Royal Women's Hospital \$16.00 per day
- Elgin Street—Wilson Parking \$14.00 per day
- Drummond Street—Clock Tower Car Park \$8.00 per day

(Prices are subject to change without notice)



CATERING

Catering will be provided for each course. Full day courses will have morning, afternoon tea and lunch provided. Half-day courses will have morning or afternoon tea provided. Vegetarian and Kosher meals are available on request along with any other specific dietary requirements.

2010 PROGRAM BROCHURE AND THE WWW

A copy of the 2010 Program is located on the Melbourne Dental School homepage which lists all course details with a registration form that can be downloaded. Our address is

www.dent.unimelb.edu.au/dsweb/continuing_dev/index.html

DISCOUNTS

The following discounted places are available:

- a once-only per year \$200 discount to pro bono Melbourne Dental School demonstrators who have been given an honorary title by the School's Appointments Sub-committee
- a once-only per year \$200 discount to full-time staff of the Royal Dental Hospital of Melbourne, who undertake clinical teaching and who have been given an honorary title by the School's Appointments Sub-committee
- a once-only per year \$200 discount to full-time staff of the University of Melbourne
- a once-only per year \$200 discount to full-time postgraduate students of the University of Melbourne if registering for the entire course.

Please note there is only **one discounted place** available in each course. Postgraduate students who are studying the area(s) covered in the course may attend the lecture portion of the course, free of charge.

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