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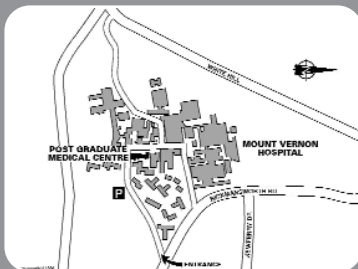
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## HOW TO FIND US



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#### By road

M25 exit Junction 18 (A404). Follow signs for Rickmansworth and Northwood. From the West, M40 exit Junction 1 (A412). Follow signs for Denham, Harefield and Northwood.

From London A40 to Ruislip turning (A4180). Follow signs for Ruislip and Northwood.

Enter the hospital by gate 1. There is a 'pay as you leave' barrier system.

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#### By tube

Underground: Metropolitan Line to Northwood, not Northwood Hills – take a train marked Watford. Catch bus 282, 348/347 from Northwood Station..

#### By bus

From Watford Nos. 348/347; from Rickmansworth No. R2; from Uxbridge

Nos. 331/R1; from Ealing No. 282

## Law, Ethics & Complaints

Date: **08/04/2009** Time: **09:00 – 17:00**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **6**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

Participants will understand/and able to apply to practice General Dental Council guidelines on principles of ethics and law for dentists and dental care professionals (particularly consent, confidentiality and handling complaints).

Speaker/s: : **Mr Mark Brennan**

## Best Practice For Facial Deformity Patients

Date: **13/05/2009** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

This lecture describes current surgical/orthodontic management of patients with skeletal imbalance and severe malocclusion

By the end of the course delegates should be able to:

1. Recognise patients who would benefit from jaw (orthognathic) surgery to correct their facial disproportion and malocclusion
2. Understand the team approach required to provide the most optimal care for such patients

3. Witness examples of successfully treated patients with a wide range of malocclusion

Speaker/s: **Mr Graham Bounds & Mrs Claire Nightingale**

## Orthodontics- To Refresh and Update

Date: **10/06/2009** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

The course aims to:

1. Revise the basic principles of orthodontic assessment and treatment planning
2. Update on orthodontic developments
3. Provide an overview of adult orthodontics

By the end of the course delegate should be aware of:

1. How to assess a patient's orthodontic needs
2. The principles of orthodontic treatment
3. The limitations of orthodontic treatment
4. Different orthodontic techniques suitable for the adult patient

Speaker/s: **Mrs Claire Nightingale & Mr Howard Moseley**

## Prescribing In Dental Practice

Date: **06/07/2009** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

The course aims to:

1. Review with practitioners the drugs that they are able to prescribe
2. Discuss with them the current views on the prescribing of antibiotics in the context of the increasing number of emerging antibiotic resistant organisms.
3. Discuss the prescribing of antifungal drugs and topical steroids.

By the end of the course delegates should:

1. Have refreshed their knowledge of the drugs available for them to prescribe
2. Have an increased awareness of the risks and benefits of antibiotic, antifungal and topical steroid prescribing.

Speaker/s: : **Dr Simon Carruthers**

## Managing Mouth Cancer and the Role of the Dental Practitioner

Date: **14/09/2009** Time: **09:00 – 17:00**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **6**  
 Open to DCPs: **Yes**

The Course aims to:

1. Inform Practitioners about the causes, identification, incidence and contemporary management of oral cancer
2. Help Practitioners play an informed part in the management of patients affected by this disease

Speaker/s: **Mr Bhavin Visavadia, Dr Humaira Jamal, Dr Catherine Lemon, Dr Mike Felon & Dr Michael Gihooly**

## Legions In and Around the Mouth

Date: **12/10/2009** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

To show lesions that commonly arise in and around the mouth and discuss with the attending practitioners what should be done when a patient presents with one.

By the end of the course delegates should be able to:

1. Identify common lesions.
2. Know how they are managed.
3. Know which should be referred, to whom and how quickly.

Speaker/s: **Mr Graham Bounds**

## How to Organise Your Finance

Date: **11/11/2009** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

The course looks at different ways of managing dental finances and will provide key indicators to measure the financial well-being of a dental practice.

Participants should understand and be able to calculate:

1. Break-even point
2. Realistic fee setting

Speaker/s: **Mr William Carr & Mrs Josephine Carr**

## Cross Infection Control

Date: **18/01/2010** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**  
 Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**  
 Open to DCPs: **No**

To update delegates on current issues in infection control.

The course aims:

1. To help to optimise cross infection control procedures
2. To identify key markers of best practice in cross infection control
3. To highlight the healthcare worker roles in relation to infection control
4. To raise awareness of good practice, audit and recording of the decontamination process.

Speaker/s: **Mr Daniel McAlonan**

## Bisphosphonate-associated Osteonecrosis of the Jaws

Date: **11/02/2010** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**

Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**

Open to DCPs: **No**

Osteonecrosis of the jaws is a recently described complication of bisphosphonate medications that can cause severe bone infection and chronic oro-facial pain. Bisphosphonate-associated osteonecrosis is often triggered by surgical dental procedures as well as long-standing dental infection, and is incurable in the majority of cases. The aim of this lecture is to update general dental practitioners about the epidemiology, clinical and radiological features of bisphosphonate - associated osteonecrosis. Current recommendations regarding dental management of individuals using bisphosphonate medications will be critically reviewed in order to help clinicians to transfer them into practice and take sensible and non-detrimental clinical decisions

By the end of the course participants should understand:

1. The indications of bisphosphonate therapy
2. The epidemiology, clinical and radiological features of osteonecrosis of the jaws
3. How to categorize patients into high and low risk
4. How to plan dental treatment in patients on bisphosphonate

5. How to diagnose and manage osteonecrosis of the jaws

6. How to reduce the risk of osteonecrosis of the jaws

Speaker/s: **Mr Stefano Fedele**

## Oral Surgery for Dental Practitioners

Date: **15/03/2010** Time: **18:30 – 21:30**

Style: **Lecture** CPD Points: **3**

Open to DCPs: **No**

To Update Practitioners on Contemporary Intra Oral Surgical Procedures.

The course will cover assessment, consent, flap design, equipment required, procedures and post-operative care including management of common complications

By the end of the course delegate will know:

1. How to Assess Patients for Oral Surgical Procedures
2. How to Surgically Remove Retained Roots Impacted or Buried Teeth and Biopsy Oral Lesions
3. How to Suture Intra Oral Wounds

Speaker/s: **Mr Graham Bounds & Mr Mahesh Kumar**