

SDS OCCLUSION



ROY HIGSON

With 30 years' experience in the field of occlusion and the management of temporomandibular disorders in the UK, Roy has become the pre-eminent speaker on this subject both at home and abroad. Consistently appearing in the Dentistry Top 50 Most Influential Dentists, in 2009 Roy was voted 7th, up from 12th the previous year.

Roy organises the highly regarded GSK "Talking Points in Dentistry" series, which have now been running for the 25 years in succession, and was editor of Dentistry Video magazine. Roy has also served as Adviser in General Dental Practice, President of the British Society for Occlusal Studies (BSOS) for many years and provides clinical support and advice for Dental Protection Ltd.



ANDY LANE

Andy has worked in the field of occlusion and TMD since 1978, attended the very first SDS courses with Jim Orr of the Pankey Institute in the early 1980's and the first NGA courses in 1985. Andy was co-founder and Secretary of BSOS, served as Associate Adviser in GDP, International Chairman of the American Equilibration Society and on the editorial board of The Probe.

Andy was one of the first dentists in the UK to lecture on porcelain veneers in 1985-6 and since then has run/taught hundreds of courses on aesthetics, occlusion, TMD, orthodontics, practice management and the aetiology of caries. Andy has published scientific papers on occlusion, impression techniques and the properties of light-cured materials and won the Manchester Medical Society Research Award in 2000.



Academy of Clinical Excellence

Superb, state-of-the art dental training facilities very close to Jn 39 of the M1, with good rail and air links, reasonably priced accommodation locally and delicious home-cooked food.

The Complete TMD and Occlusion Teaching Programme

SDS have been running occlusion courses since 1980, bringing training to the UK that had previously only been available by travelling to the USA. Roy Higson had studied at the Pankey Institute in Florida for several years, but was frustrated that it was so difficult to translate laboratory training to treating patients in the practice. In his own words, he had become an expert in adjusting plaster teeth. Despite being called "Stockport" Dental Seminars we are now based in Saddleworth and course venues are scattered around the UK for the convenience of delegates.

Clinical Training on your own patients

It was for this reason that he invited Niles Guichet and the NGA Seminars team to teach in the UK in 1985. Uniquely, NGA courses included a clinical element run in real dental practices so that delegates could bring along their own patients for treatment. The first of these courses ran in Walsall, at Peter Mason's practice, and they have run every year since then around the UK. The Introduction to Occlusion (Parts 1 and 2) course replaces what was a three-day lecture with more practical elements that students seem to find a better way to learn.

POS (1st Year)

This 7-day course, 1 x 3-day and 2 x 2-day clinical sessions, known as the Principles of Occlusion Seminars (POS) follows the Introduction Course. Here delegates learn to apply occlusal principles through the use of appliances, moving onto the equilibration of the natural dentition on 2 cases. We also introduce the principles of computerized jaw tracking using the Cadiax to accurately programme fully-adjustable articulators. Max. 10-12 delegates.

IRS (2nd Year)

Next comes the Intermediate Restorative Seminars course, where the principles learned in POS are transferred into more complex restorative dentistry. IRS comprise of 4 x 2-day clinical sessions interspersed with lectures and distance learning projects. Here two patients are treated, one an anterior case and the other a posterior case. Max 8 delegates.

ARS (3rd Year)

Finally everything comes together for the Advanced Restorative Seminars (ARS), another 4 x 2-day clinical session course, this time treating a complex restorative case including a change in vertical dimension, for a full mouth or full arch rehabilitation, carried out under close clinical and technical supervision from the experienced SDS team of instructors. Max 8 delegates.

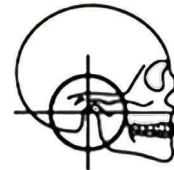
SDS Occlusion Seminars

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SDS Occlusion Seminars

The Complete TMD and Occlusion Teaching Programme

Introduction to Occlusion

Distance Learning Package
+ Intensive 2 day Hands-On Course

Academy of Clinical Excellence,
Wakefield

12th/13th or 19th/20th March 2011

approx. 8:30am—5:30pm



Presented by

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and

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The Complete Introduction to Occlusion

PART I

DISTANCE LEARNING PACKAGE

5 MODULES (start immediately)

Module I-1

Definitions, relevance of occlusion in dentistry, range of occlusal disease, tooth anatomy and contacts, goals of occlusal therapy, optimal occlusion, practical exercise, reading material, test.

Module I-2

Mandibular movements, envelope of motion, working and non-working sides, canine guided disclusion, group function, opening and closing paths, practical exercise, reading material, test.

Module I-3

Muscles of mastication and head position/posture; trigger points and referred pain; muscle palpation; practical exercise, reading material, test.

Module I-4

Temporomandibular joints (TMJs); anatomy and physiology; relationship between TMJ anatomy, jaw movements and occlusion; articulators and articulator adjustments; practical exercise, reading material, test.

Module I-5

Parafunction; signs and symptoms of parafunction; causes of parafunction; management of parafunction; practical exercise, reading material, test.

Each module is delivered by post once the previous module has been completed. Please supply delivery address where someone will be able to sign for the parcel. Includes presentation folder.

N.B. Part I must be completed before Part 2

PART 2—2-DAY HANDS-ON SESSIONS

Theoretical basis of occlusion (lecture)

Review of Distance Learning Package in greater depth

Muscles of mastication (lecture + practical)

Review of Distance Learning Package in greater depth

Articulators (lecture + practical)

Introduction to the Denar Articulator System

Facebows (lecture + practical)

Introduction to the Kois Dento-facial Analyser

Leaf gauge (lecture + practical)

How to use a leaf gauge to deprogramme and determine the first prematurity with confidence

CR records (lecture + practical)

How to determine true Centric Relation and record this position with confidence every time

Cast mounting (lecture + practical)

How to mount study casts using Kois DFA and CR records on a Denar articulator with confidence every time

Verify mounting (lecture + practical)

How to verify that you have achieved a precise CR mounting on your Denar articulator

Anterior deprogrammer (lecture + practical)

A quick, cheap and easy method for making an anterior deprogrammer appliance using pre-formed jigs (NTI-tss)

Stabilisation splints (lecture + practical)

How to use construct, fit and adjust a Stabilisation Splint

Occlusal Screening (lecture + practical)

How to screen all your patients for potential occlusal problems

Muscle palpation (lecture + practical)

How to determine muscle tenderness and relate this to symptoms

TMD questionnaire (lecture + practical)

A simple to use tool to aid diagnosis, record keeping and patient communication

Introduction to Equilibration and TMD

These subjects covered in more depth in later courses, i.e. POS 7-day Clinical Course

Cost: £1297 (inc VAT and refreshments)

Part 1 + Part 2 provide 30 hours verifiable CPD

Maximum 20 delegates per course

Order Form

Please accept my booking for:

Introduction to Occlusion Course

Part 1 (Distance Learning Modules)

£1297

+ Part 2 (hands-on at ACE, Wakefield)

(includes VAT)

Preferred date for Part 2:

March 12/13th 2011

March 19/20th 2011

No preference (either)

Name

Address

Phone

Email

N.B. Please supply a suitable delivery address for distance learning

Method of Payment

Cheque enclosed (payable to "SDS")

Visa/Mastercard

Debit Card

Credit Card #
For security please call 01457 821800 with 3 digit number from back of card

Exp. date

Cancellations for Part 2: Refund of £1,000 if cancelled prior to 12th February 2011. We regret that no refunds can be made after that date.

Signature

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