School of Medicine
Short Course Program
Recognising and Responding to Medical Emergencies in Dental Settings
Workplace training for Dental Practices

This program is aimed to further develop the dental team’s skills in preventing, recognising and responding promptly to medical emergencies that occur in dental settings.

Dental practitioners and practice staff undergoing this training are offered the opportunity to practice emergency and life support procedures in their workplace using simulated training resources. Our customised workplace training programs are designed to meet the specific educational needs of your team and can be conducted at a time that suits your practice. Select from the following options or develop your own program with our training consultants.

**Option 1**
Intermediate Life Support (adults and paediatrics) for Dentists and Allied Dental Practitioners
- Basic Life Support with introduction of airway adjuncts (i-Gel and oropharyngeal airways)
- Administration of Oxygen using Bag Valve Mask
- Administration of Adrenaline via intramuscular route and Adrenaline Auto injector
- Use of Automatic/Semiautomatic External Defibrillators

**Duration**: 4 hours

**Option 2**
Recognising and Responding to Medical Emergencies (conscious, rapidly deteriorating patient) for Dentists and Allied Dental Practitioners
- Anaphylaxis, Hypoglycemia/ Hyperglycemia, Chest pain-Angina/ Myocardial infarction, Asthma/other respiratory emergencies, Stroke, Seizures, Faint/Syncope
- Clinical skills training: vital signs monitoring, use of pulse-oxymeter, use of glucometer, nebulisation using nebuliser masks and oxygen, oxygen administration

**PLUS**
Intermediate Life Support (adults and paediatrics) for Dentists and Allied Dental Practitioners
**Duration**: 8 hours

**Option 3**
Basic Life Support (hands on CPR) for Dental Assistants and Receptionists
**Duration**: 3 hrs

**Facilitators**
- Jasmine Raju, RN, MHPE, GCCS, MACN
- Senior Dental Clinicians – Oral Health Services Tasmania

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