



A Technovent 'Hands On' Technique Workshop

## 'Step -by-Step Guide to the Construction of a Magnet Retained Facial Prosthesis'

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This workshop will cover all aspects of constructing a magnet retained facial prosthesis using state-of-the-art techniques and materials. All areas will be covered from impression taking, carving and mould making right through to silicone selection/manipulation and colouring methods. The workshop will be a mix of presentations, live demonstrations, and hands-on segments to enable a full understanding of all key areas of prosthesis construction.

The workshop is aimed at those with some anaplastology experience who want to sharpen their skills with silicone, colouring and the use of magnets to retain prostheses. The presenters have a wealth of experience in silicone/colour science and anaplastology and the workshop gives the opportunity for the participants to 'pick their brains' in an informal atmosphere.

The workshop will include:

- Overview of Technovent magnet system, with an emphasis of the parts needed for different implant systems.
- Demonstration and hands-on session on impression technique for magnets with various implant systems.
- Carving and moulding tips/techniques and use of 3d scanning technology.
- Overview of silicone technology applicable to maxillofacial prosthesis, and correct selection of silicone for prosthesis making.
- Demonstration of various colouring techniques, including Spectromatch Eskin colouring technique.