

Pursue excellence in dental nursing with Tempdent's National Diploma programme, providing you with a comprehensive education in dental care, patient management, and clinical skills, essential for a successful career in the field, with opportunities for professional networking and ongoing support.



#### Course Overview



The NEBDN National Diploma in Dental Nursing is a General Dental Council (GDC) recognised dental nursing qualification which covers all outcomes described within the GDC Preparing to Practice document. The purpose of the qualification is to prepare trainee dental nurses in the foundations of dental nursing so they can demonstrate the highest standards in terms of knowledge, skills and professional attributes.

The skills you will gain upon completion of the qualification are described within the extensive curriculum under the domains of Clinical, Communication, Professionalism and

Management and Leadership.

The qualification comprises of a formative workplace assessment, the Record of Experience, which enables the workplace team to become an integral part of the training of the trainee dental nurse. The summative assessment comprises a written and practical component aimed at assessing knowledge and decision making to demonstrate trainee dental nurses' understanding and competence.

The summative assessment also adheres to current educational best practice.

Candidates must be employed as a dental nurse before starting this course.

Once enrolled we offer support for candidates who are not yet employed as dental nurses to find an appropriate job placement to support you to complete the qualification

#### Course Structure

Learners must be working a minimum of 16 hours a week in order to complete the course.

#### **Start Dates**

- February
- June





## National Diploma

Learners are required to attend Online classes fortnightly either on a Saturday or weekday evening where they will be tutored by one of our many experienced GDC registered Tutor. Learners complete a Record of Experience (a portfolio that is completed by yourself and your employer) for entry into the examination.

The course ends in a final written examination which is held in April and November each year, and the candidates that pass this written examination will be invited to the OSCE's which are held every January & June where your practical and oral skills are assessed. The awarding body for the National Certificate is the National Examining Board for Dental Nurses (NEBDN) and Tempdent is an accredited NEBDN training centre.

### National Diploma Revision Classes

Tempdent also deliver National Diploma revision classes for nurses who have previously sat the exam but have failed. Individual modules are delivered separately, so you only need to attend the sessions for the parts you need to retake.

### **Entry Requirements**

No formal qualifications are required however you will need to pass a literacy and numeracy assessment in order to enrol onto the course.

Course Fees

Type of course: National Diploma in Dental Nursing

Course fee: £1450 + VAT

NEBDN Exam Fee: £525

Course length: 12 months

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#### **Benefits**

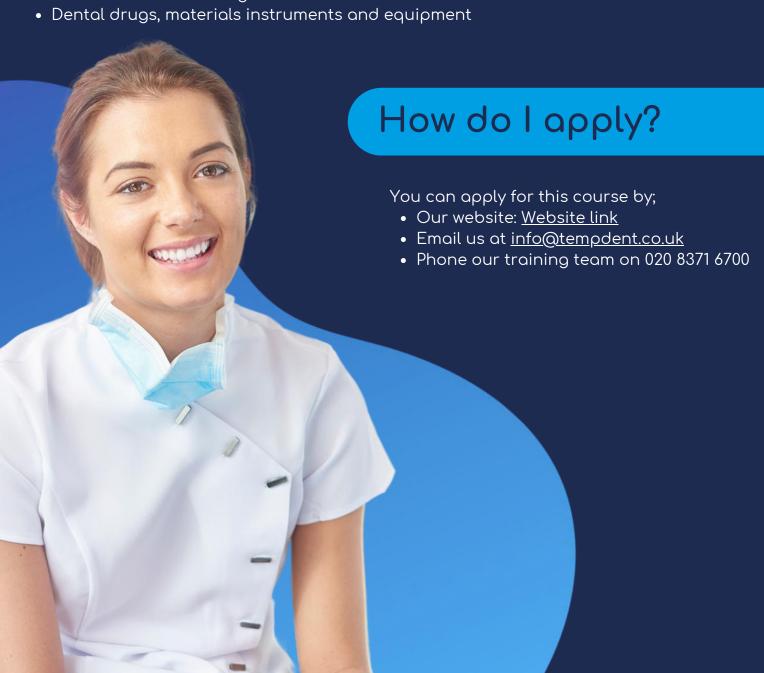
All successful learners are eligible for GDC registration as a dental nurse upon completion of the portfolio and achievement of the written and practical examinations.

- Provides dental nurses with a professional qualification and career path.
- Dental nurses can then progress onto post GDC registration courses such as the Oral Health Education, Dental Radiography and Sedation.
- The course creates an opportunity to progress into teaching, assessing or dental hygiene & therapy careers.

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# Syllabus

- Health & safety and infection control in the workplace
- Medical emergencies
- Dental radiography
- Legislation and ethics
- Dental and general anatomy
- Dental disease cause, diagnosis and prevention
- Dental check-ups, treatment planning and actual treatments
- Patient care and management



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