

Acne Management

Course Aim

To update knowledge on the range of treatment and management options for acne, including practical advice on skin care and support for people with acne

Programme

9.00am COFFEE AND REGISTRATION

9.15am Introductions to the day

9.30am Lets look at Acne

- Pathophysiology
- Types of acne and severity classification
- Acne assessment

10.30am COFFEE

10.45am De-busting acne myths and skin care

11.30hrs Acne guidelines: Practical session on topical and oral treatments

1.00pm LUNCH

1.45pm Monitoring and managing the patient on isotretinoin

2.30pm Let's see how we can put this into practice

Patient scenario's - role-play and case studies

3.30pm Practice reviews, competencies and reflective discussion

4.00pm Revisit learning objectives, action planning and evaluation

Who should attend?

Primary care health care professionals who wish to update and improve knowledge in acne management. This course is particularly useful for school nurses working in the NHS or private sectors This course is designed to be multi-disciplinary and practical.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the day, delegates should:

- Understand more about the aetiology of acne
- Be able to identify different presentations and grades of acne
- Improve prescribing and practical knowledge on the range of treatment and management options for acne according to local CCG and European guidelines



- Have confidence to advise on general skin care, de-bunk acne myths and direct patients to sound information sources
- Appreciate the impact acne has on people's lives and the psycho-social effects

This study day can be used towards CPD for health care professional revalidation; reflective discussion is included within the programme

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DEP Ltd offers dermatology education on behalf of the NHS and health care organizations, including, academic departments, professional groups and patient support groups. These have included training courses, interactive on-line education programmes, films, patient education (including self-management courses), articles, courses and hands on practical dermatology clinical skills and dermatology service development. Julie has 25 years clinical dermatology experience; and is passionate about improving skin care and support for people through developing educational initiatives for both healthcare professionals and patients.

Cost: £110.00

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