



**FRIDAY  
3RD JUNE  
INDUCTION NIGHT**

# MJDF TUITION IN SCOTLAND

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## What is the MJDF?

The aim of the MJDF is to assess knowledge, application of knowledge and candidates' understanding of the structures and processes required to provide quality-assured dental healthcare. The MJDF is ideal for dentists completing their vocational year and beyond. Successful candidates receive the MJDF Diploma, validating a period of vital postgraduate training that prepares you for general or specialist practice in either primary or secondary care.

### The MJDF examination consists of:

- » A Part 1 examination in the form of one written paper containing multiple choice questions (MCQs)
- » A Part 2 examination in the form of an objective structured clinical examination (OSCE) and structured clinical reasoning (SCR) exercises

## The west of Scotland MJDF study group

Our MJDF study group programme in Glasgow is designed to give you a broader and more comprehensive understanding of the topics and skills covered in part 1 and 2 of the exam. Every year we guide up to 20 candidates through the process and have success rates between 90 and 100%.

When you sign up for our course you'll gain all the information and support you need from experienced tutors. We begin our academic year with an induction evening in June, followed by study evenings starting in August which focus on passing part 1 of the exam in October. You then qualify for free attendance at our annual Study Day in December, before resuming course work in January to pass part 2 in May 2017.

### Who we are

The tutors who run Scotland's MJDF groups are practising dentists who have all gained the MJDF qualification. We understand what it's like to have to juggle work and study and so we have tried to tailor the course to be of maximum benefit to you. Our team for 2016-17 includes tutors Paul Cooney, Sharon Letters, Patricia Thomson and Robbie Thomson.

The MJDF examination is organised in to spring and autumn diets. You need to take the MJDF over two diets so in Scotland we offer tuition to take Part 1 in October 2016 and part 2 in May 2017.



Paul Cooney



Sharon Letters



Patricia Thomson



Robbie Thomson



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## HOW TO PAY

You can pay for the MJDF exams and tuition in a variety of ways\*.

**Option 1:** Pay for your exams and tuition together in monthly instalments. Beginning in June 2016 we'll take monthly payments of £83 over two years to cover everything. We'll sign you up and pay for your MJDF part 1 exam and then Part 2 in 2017. If for any reason you need to delay Part 2 then you can come back and sit it any time in the next five years.

**Option 2:** Pay for your exams and tuition separately. In June 2016 you can sign up for the tuition group and pay for MJDF Part 1 (£522). Then at the first study evening in August you can pay for your yearly tuition fee (£750). Once you have passed Part 1 you can then pay the Part 2 exam fee (£660) in January 2017.

**Option 3:** Pay for your exams and tuition separately but split your lump sum payments further. In June 2016 sign up for the tuition group and pay for MJDF Part 1 (£522). Then at the first study evening in August you can pay for your Part 1 tuition fee (£375). Once you have passed Part 1 you can then pay for your Part 2 tuition fee (£375) in November and exam fee (£660) in January 2017.

## Returning to the MJDF for Part 2

If you have already passed Part 1 of the MJDF and have taken a break from studying you can join us for Part 2 in January 2017. You will need to sign up and pay for Part 2 yourself and then our tuition fee is £450.

*\*All rates quoted are correct in January 2016. Your fee will be confirmed prior to starting.*

### How to secure your place on the study group

Please contact Andrew Miller at [events@fgdp-scotland.org](mailto:events@fgdp-scotland.org).

### How to apply for the MJDF parts 1 and 2

Visit [www.mjdf.org.uk](http://www.mjdf.org.uk) and fill in the online application form.

## What you get for your study group membership

For your tuition fee you receive:

- » Expert tuition during study evenings and dedicated practical days under exam conditions
- » A free place at the 2016 Glasgow study day on Friday 9 December, the largest one-day dental event in Scotland
- » Access to all of the essential MJDF resources on our online Moodle page
- » Reduced rates at FGDP(UK) Scotland events in 2017-18



# SOCIABLE

STUDY WITH YOUR PEERS  
WITH INVALUABLE ADVICE  
FROM YOUR TUTORS

The 2016-17 west of Scotland study group will begin with an induction evening on Friday 3 June.

*Please note this content is provisional and may be amended.*

## Part 1 timetable

Date	Content	Group/Venue
16 August 2016	- PBLs 1-3 - Coffee and discussion - Key skills 1, 3, 5, 7 - MCQs	FGDP/Novotel
30 August 2016	- PBLs 4-6 - Coffee and discussion - Key skills 2, 4, 6, 8 - EMQs	FGDP/Novotel
06 September 2016	- PBLs 7-9 - Coffee and discussion - Key skills 1, 3, 5, 7 - MCQs	FGDP/Novotel
20 September 2016	- PBLs 10-13 - Coffee and discussion - Key skills 2, 4, 6, 8 - EMQs	FGDP/Novotel
<b>3 October 2016</b>	<b>Part 1 Exam</b>	<b>London, Belfast or Stirling</b>

All study evenings are from 18:30–21:00.

## Part 2 timetable

Date	Content	Group/Venue
10 January 2017	- OSCE exam technique - Coffee and discussion - Mini Mock OSCEs	FGDP/Novotel
07 February 2017	- Critical reading - Coffee and discussion - Reading papers	FGDP/Novotel
14 March 2017	SCR exam introduction and techniques	FGDP/Novotel
28 April 2017	Mock Part 2 exam with East of Scotland	FGDP/Novotel
<b>May 2017</b>	<b>Part 2 Exam</b>	<b>TBC</b>

All study evenings are from 18:30–21:00. The Mock Exam is from 09:00–16:30.

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## Provisional MJDF Study Group Topics for MJDF part 1

**PBLs** (3 x 10mins each study night 1-4)

- Problem-based learning format
- 10 minute talk (maximum)
- Powerpoint
- Powerpoint presentation will be uploaded to Moodle for revision material

### Study Night 1 (16 August 2016)

1. Tooth whitening: clinical and legal aspects
2. Crown options (anterior/posterior, indications/CI)
3. Consent issues

### Study Night 2 (30 August 2016)

4. Oral manifestations of psychiatric disorders
5. Clinical considerations for anterior/posterior bridges
6. Assessment of the Cranial Nerves
7. Antibiotics in Periodontal Diseases

### Study night 3 (6 September 2016)

8. Management of the avulsed tooth
9. Common definitions used in Medical Statistics
10. Causes of oral ulceration
11. Causes of delayed eruption

### Study night 4 (20 September 2016)

12. Definitions in occlusion
13. Oral manifestations of viral disease
14. Orthodontics: IOTN and URA design
15. Behavioral management of kids

These study evenings will prepare you for the  
MJDF Part 1 Exam on Monday 3 October

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## Key Skills

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MJDF 2016–17 Group discussion topics (based on POE key skills)

### 1. Risk Management and Communication

- Risk Assessments
- COSHH
- Occupational exposure policy
- Occupational dermatitis
- Mercury hygiene
- Complaints procedure

### 2. Infection Control

- HTM105 (cleaning, disinfection, sterilization, storage of instruments and practice layout)
- PPE
- Blood spillage management
- Staff immunization
- Surgery design
- Management of care equipment
- Hand hygiene

### 3. Dental Radiography

- RPF
- Legislation
- Legal person
- RPA/RPS
- Local rules
- Quality assurance programmes
- Frequency of bitewings
- Suitable techniques for perio diagnosis/management

### 4. Medical Emergencies

- Protocols for medical emergencies
- Emergency drugs
- UK Resuscitation Guidelines (esp BLS)

### 5. Clinical record keeping

- Consent issues
- PMH update
- Confidentiality issues
- Medico legal issues
- Staff training

### 6. Legislation and Good Practice Guidelines

- Health and Safety at Work Act 1974
- Health and safety policy
- RIDDOR 2013
- Clinical governance
- Audit
- SEA
- BDA Good Practice
- Waste disposal policy

### 7. Team Training

- Staff appraisal
- Staff meetings
- CPD
- PDP
- Direct Access 1st May 2013

### 8. Critical reading

- Common definitions
- Hierarchy of evidence
- Study design
- The Cochrane Collaboration