

Dermal Fillers

Foundations

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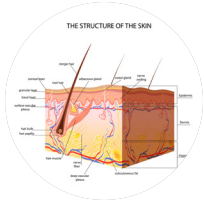
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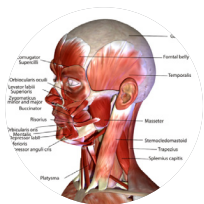
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Your Name

Welcome to your course!

Aim:

To ensure that student practitioners have the required skills and knowledge to complete the procedure for Basic Dermal fillers and to ensure that the procedure is carried out to the highest professional standards including the consultation process.

Objective:

That on completion of the course all students/practitioners will be competent and professional in relation to the procedure and be able to perform at the highest standard to ensure that clients receive the best possible advice and treatment and they will be confident to recommend you and your services to others.



HEE Report & Industry Guidelines

The HEE Report is the Health Education England Annual Report commissioned by the Department of Health to develop standards of training and improve the quality of care given to patients.

It is advised to read this document in full to enhance your understanding of legislation surrounding aesthetic treatments.

You can find the full report by visiting:

www.gov.uk
www.hee.nhs.co.uk
www.jccp.org.uk

Principles of Dermal Fillers in Aesthetic Medicine

There are many types of Dermal Fillers and they can be identified by the following characteristics:

- Mode of Action
- Duration of the product
- Biodegradability
- Composition

The most popular dermal fillers only provide a temporary result, these are biodegradable (naturally broken by the body) and will require several treatments over a given period agreed during the consultation process.

The treatment is far less invasive than surgical procedures and with the benefit of being inexpensive by comparison it becomes an accessible choice. Also, the recovery time is minimal when contrasted with surgical procedures.

There are several options available regarding Dermal Fillers and these have been used world-wide.

Dermal Fillers: Their composition and function

Dermal Fillers are temporary and are gel-like cross linked synthetic materials which consist of Hyaluronic acid.

Their Function:

- Hydrating the connective tissue
- Regulating immune cell proliferation and cell nutrition (this assists with the repair of any wounds also skin cell regeneration)
- Fibroblast production (this encourages collagen to increase and therefore improving collagen and elastin in the skin)



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