## PHILOSOPHY

Nurses working in Primary Care are frequently requested to see patients with excessive wax. This study day gives the practitioner a knowledge and understanding of safe wax removal

## ADVANTAGES

 Taught in the primary setting by specialist nurses with extensive primary care and ENT practical experience

✓ Enables nurses to take a more active role in the prevention of ear problems.

Highly Commended: Innovation in your Speciality, Nursing Times Award 2009 Winners: National Training Award 2006 Primary Care Professional, Outstanding Achiever Award Health & Social Care Awards 2004

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# PROGRAMME

	9.30 am Introduction and Aims for the day	
	9.45 am Anatomy & Physiology of the ear	Da
	11.00 am Coffee	Tit
	11.15 am Anatomy and Physiology continued including The Theory of Irrigation	Sı
	12.45 pm Lunch	Fii
	1.30 pm Practical Workshops:	Ho
	i. Otoscopy ii. Instrumentation iii. Irrigation	
	3.00 pm Tea	Qı
	3.15 pm Hearing Loss & Tinnitus: aids and services to help	Jo W
	4.20 pm Evaluation	vv
	4.25 pm Certificates and Conclusion	-
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	If you have no previous experience of ear irrigation, it will be necessary for you to have supervised practice following this	
	study day	Er
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# **Application Form**

Ear Care Study Day (Day 1) for Primary Ear Care Practitioners

Date of Course:	
Title:	MRS/MISS/MS/MR
Surname:	
First Name(s):	
Home Address:	
Qualifications:	
Job Title:	
Work Address:	
Post Code:	
Work Tel No:	
Email address:	
Do you have any die YES/NO	etary/special needs?

If 'Yes' please state

#### **PAYMENT**

Invoice Address & Contact Name:-

Tel No:-\_\_\_\_\_

Please return to :
Primary Ear Care & Audiology
Services
Rotherham Community Health Centre
Greasbrough Road
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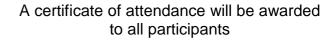
E-mail:- earcarecentre@rothgen.nhs.uk

**Please note** should there be an insufficient number of students, Study Days will be cancelled and either an alternative date offered or a full refund made. A minimum of 10 days notice will be given. If, for any reason, you are forced to cancel your booking, a minimum of 10 days notice is required, or loss of part of the course fee will result

## LEARNING OUTCOMES

Participants will have:-

- a. an understanding of the basic anatomy and physiology of the ear
- b. an understanding of the prevention of ear problems
- c. a foundation of knowledge on which to base practical aural toilet, wax instrumentation and ear irrigation according to their own level of practice competence
- d. a better understanding of people with hearing loss and the availability of aids to hearing
- e. reflected on accountability, documentation and management of change in relation to ear care
- f. an understanding of decontamination of equipment
- g. considered the patient with ear problems holistically
- h. thought about the future management of people with ear problems
- i. the ability to undertake ear care within the boundaries and limits of their professional competence, responsibility and accountability
- j. an understanding to complete achieved competencies as documented in the competency handbook, consistent with their individual level of skill and knowledge





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# STUDY DAY 1 EAR IRRIGATION & INSTRUMENTATION

