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10th September 2025 Teachers Branch Study Day
11th and 12th September 2025 Conference



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DAY ONE – THURSDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER 2025

08:15 DELEGATE REGISTRATION

Chairs: Urshla Devalia & Dania Siddik

Welcome and opening address

09:15 Dr Urshla Devalia, BSPD President Elect & Dania Siddik, BSPD Local Organising Committee Chair

Session 1: Managing Neurodiverse children

09:20 Oliver's story and the importance of reasonable adjustments

Paula McGowan OBE, Founder of The Oliver McGowan Mandatory Training, NHSE

Session title to be confirmed (update on epidemiology, definitions, etc. around neurodiversity)

10:10 Dr Richard Pender, Clinical Research Fellow, Department of Clinical, Educational and Health Psychology, University College London

10:50 Questions for the Speakers

11:00 REFRESHMENTS, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

Chairs: Sondos Albadri & Monika Ivanova

11:30 Running a neurodiverse friendly dental service

Ms Sadie Hughes, Consultant in Special Care Dentistry, Hertfordshire Community NHS Trust

11:55 Using Pet Therapy to Support Paediatric Dental Treatment

Miss Laura Walter, Director of Services, Spread

12:20 Questions for the Speakers

12:30 LUNCH, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

12:30 BSPD Annual General Meeting

13:30 Prize Presentations – Clinical Governance



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Chairs: Franchesca Fong & Sanjeev Sood

CG1: Are we on-time? Achieving the ideal extraction time for first permanent molars

Orion O'Brien, General Professional Trainee, Newcastle Dental Hospital

CG2: Paediatric Endodontic Outcomes in a District Hospital

Nicola Storch, Dct 2, Surrey And Sussex Healthcare Trust

CG3: How well do we communicate? A post-EPIC audit

Nur Farhana Mohd Fikri, Postgraduate In Paediatric Dentistry, King's College London

CG4: Collaborative Dental Care For Paediatric Liver Patients: Clinical Guideline Development and Implementation

Ella Holden, Speciality Registrar, King's College Hospital

CG5: Parental referral of paediatric patients to a UK dental hospital: A pilot

Lauren Pickles, Clinical Teaching Fellow, University Of Leeds

CG6: Results of 1-Year Pilot of Level 2 Paediatric Dentistry in Primary Care

Harriet Jones, Speciality Paediatric Dental Registrar, Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust

14:30 Prize Presentations – Clinical Research

Chairs: Richard Welbury & Rosie Whatling

R1: The challenges facing Community Dental Services adopting Minimal Invasive approaches for sixes

Zeinab Atiah, Post-graduate Student, King's College London

R2: Properties of a Novel Brominated Radiopaque Dental Resin with EDAB as Photoinitiator

Aljawharah Aleydan, Paediatric Dentistry PG, QMUL

R3: What are the Oral Health Needs of Children with Phenylketonuria (PKU)?

Laura Johnston, Post-ccst Paediatric Dentistry, Birmingham Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust

R4: Investigating the relationship between childhood attachment and dental anxiety in secondary care.

Kirsty Dickson, StR Orthodontics, NHS Tayside

R5: Benzocaine 20% and Hall Technique Separator Pain: A Randomised Controlled Trial

Simran Kaur Sura, Dentist, MBRU

R6: Care pathways for Paediatric Dentistry services in England: A mapping study

Emma Morgan, ACF Paediatric Dentistry, University of Liverpool



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15:30 REFRESHMENTS, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

15:45 Prize Presentations – Clinical Cases

Chairs: Mina Vaidyanathan & Armaana Ahmad

CC1: Safeguarding Young Carers: The Role of Paediatric Dentists in Child Protection

Abdulaziz Alkandari, Postgraduate Student in Paediatric Dentistry, University of Leeds

CC2: Complex management of impacted tooth and incidental finding of a fibro-osseous lesion.

Rachael O'Rorke, Specialty Registrar In Paediatric Dentistry, Department Of Paediatric Dentistry, Royal National ENT And Eastman Dental Hospital

CC3: Management of a child with Hypocalcified Amelogenesis Imperfecta, defective STIM1 and Immunodeficiency-10

Hiba Al-diwani, Specialty Registrar in Paediatric Dentistry, Leeds Dental Institute

CC4: Multidisciplinary management of patient with Gorlin-Goltz syndrome- a 10 year case series

Yit Shern Ho, Dental Core Trainee 2, Portsmouth Hospital Foundation Trust

CC5: When is “good enough” good enough?

Catrinel Gheorghiu, ST5 Paediatric Dentistry, MFT

CC6: Oral lichen planus - not always what it seems: A case report

Aaya Shamekh, Dental Core Trainee 2, Guy's and St Thomas'

16:45 Closing Remarks

Dr Urshla Devalia, BSPD President Elect

17:00 CLOSE OF CONFERENCE DAY 1

19:00 Gala Dinner - De Vere Grand Connaught Rooms



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DAY TWO – FRIDAY 12TH SEPTEMBER 2025

08:00 DELEGATE REGISTRATION, REFRESHMENTS, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

08:20 CONNECT Meeting

Speakers: Prof Maria Therese Hosey & Prof Chris Vernazza

09:15 Welcome and opening address

Prof Richard Welbury, BSPD Scientific Programme Lead

Session 2: Dental anomalies and genetics: what might the future hold

Chairs: Nabina Bhujel & Prabhleen Anand

09:20 Preimplantation Genetic testing (PGT) - Referral to pregnancy

Ms Eshika Hague, Consultant Genetic Counsellor, Cooper Surgical

Clinical Genetics and Paediatric Dentistry

10:05 Prof Alan Mighell, Professor and Honorary Consultant in Oral Medicine, School of Dentistry, University of Leeds

10:50 Questions for the Speakes

11:00 REFRESHMENTS, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

11:30 Prize Poster Presentations

Chairs: David Baldwin & Janet Davies

DCPP1: Vaccinations Alongside Paediatric Dental General Anaesthetic: Establishing a New Service in Northumbria

Gemma Wardle, Senior Dental Nurse, Northumbria Healthcare Trust

DCPP2: Acceptability of Delivering Oral Health prevention intervention in a Paediatric Emergency Department.

Laura Shuter, Dental Therapist, Alderhey

DCPP3: Enhanced Ankyloglossia Assessment: A Two-Year Comparative Study in South West Wales

Nathan Morrison, Specialist Head And Neck Dental Nurse, Swansea Bay University Health Board

PP1: Multidisciplinary Management of Atypical Dentinogenesis Imperfecta in Pediatric Dentistry

Saad Alsale, Postgraduate Dentist, Eastman Dental Hospital -UCL



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PP2: Co-Design of a Resource to Support Photobiomodulation Adoption in Paediatric Cancer Care

Claudia Heggie, NIHR Doctoral Research Fellow & Specialty Trainee in Paediatric Dentistry, University of Leeds

PP3: The provision of root canal treatment in Paediatric Dentistry: a questionnaire-based study

Layla Whyatt, Specialty Registrar in Paediatric Dentistry, Leeds Dental Institute

PP4: Oral health for patients with Klinefelter's syndrome

Yi Loo, ST5 Paediatric Dentistry, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust

PP5: Applications of Intra-Oral Scanners in the Paediatric Dental Patient

Eleanor O'Grady, St3 Speciality Registrar in Paediatric Dentistry, Greater Glasgow & Clyde NHS

12:30 LUNCH, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

Chairs: Rakhee Budhdeo & Ravinder Kaur

COMPANY SYMPOSIUM: Modern Full Coverage Crowns, Veneers & Minimally Invasive

12:30 Solutions in Paediatric Dentistry.

Dr Desigar Moodle, Director of Education, EDGE dental academy

Session 3: The importance of appearance

13:30 The psychosocial impact of visible difference: an overview

Dr Maia Thornton, Senior Research Fellow, UWE Bristol

Teeth and appearance, patient and parent perspective

14:10 Ms Cheryl Somani, Consultant in Paediatric Dentistry, University College London NHS Foundation Trust

How the appearance of teeth can be affected in children

14:30 Prof Susan Parekh, Professor/Honorary Consultant in Paediatric Dentistry, University College London

14:50 REFRESHMENTS, POSTER & EXHIBITION VIEWING

Chairs: Tanika Gohil

Restorative techniques to improve appearance in children

15:20 Mr Ashok Vijayakumar, Consultant in Restorative Dentistry King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

15:50 Questions for the Speakes



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| 16:00 | The environmental impact of nitrous oxide in paediatric dentistry: national results
Ms Lexy Lyne, Consultant in Paediatric Dentistry, UCL / UCLH Eastman |
| 16:15 | BSPD Outstanding Innovation Award
Ms Harriet McQuillan, Specialist in Paediatric Dentistry, Birmingham Community NHS Foundation Trust |
| 16:30 | Presentation of Poster Prizes & Closing Remarks
Dania Siddik, BSPD Local Organising Committee Chair |

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