

POSTGRADUATE PROGRAM IN DENTAL HYGIENE FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS



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The **Postgraduate Course in Dental Hygiene for People with Special Needs** aims to train oral health professionals to promote health education, disease prevention and preventive care in oral health in people with disabilities.

Its objectives are the acquisition of scientific knowledge and advanced **skills** for the study and research in the field of Oral Hygiene, as well as the development of **practical applications in the area of oral health for people with disabilities.**

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

Clinic

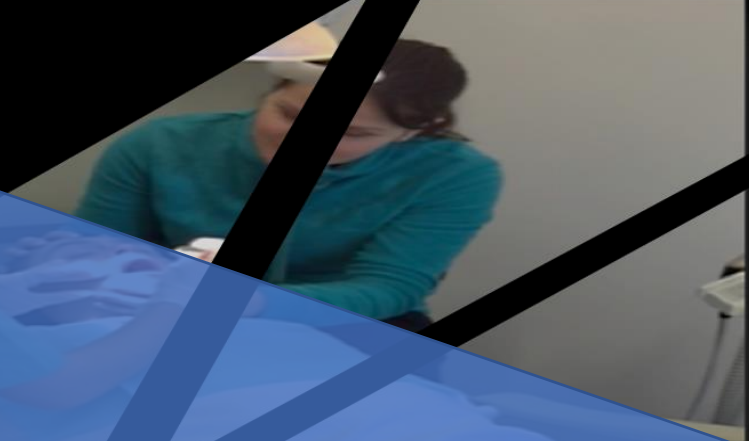
- To have a global vision of the different disabilities, including legal, psychosocial, educational, political, economic and architectural aspects;
- To prepare individualized plans, adapted to each situation and determine the need for referencing and referral;
- To develop competences for the provision of oral hygiene care to people with special needs;

Community

- To program community intervention protocols in oral health and functional applicability of new techniques, procedures and methodologies in the provision of oral hygiene care;

Research

- To develop a research project in institutions for people with disabilities



By the end of the program, oral health professionals should have the ability to produce new knowledge and develop new skills in the area of oral health for people with disabilities.

Oral health professionals are also expected to be able to master the pedagogical techniques of presenting topics in public in order to allow them to participate in the education of individuals and community as well as scientific trainings.

RULES OF OPERATION

TARGET AUDIENCE:

Holders of a degree in Oral Hygiene or in Dental Medicine or legal equivalent;

Holders of an academic, scientific or professional curriculum recognized by the Scientific Council of the FMDUL as attesting to their capacity to carry out the course

QUALIFICATION:

Certificate of registration designated Diploma, according to Decree-Law No. 115/2013 of 7 August.

ACCREDITATION & DURATION:

30 ECTS | 1 year
October to July.

TYOLOGY OF CLASSES:

Face-to-face and online with lectures, seminars and clinical practice.

COST:

1500 € (may change)

SCHEDULE:

12 hours per week on days to be designated.

REQUIREMENTS

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Admission to the Postgraduate Programme is subject to the regulations set by the university and to the calendar and number of vacancies fixed annually.

When the candidate has all the necessary documentation in his/her possession, the selection process will begin:

- **entrance test**
- **curricular assessment**
- **individual interview**

DOCUMENTATION

- Certificate of Degree
- Passport size photo
- Copy of Identification Card
- Letter(s) of recommendation
- Copy of Professional Card
- Letter of motivation;
- Application fee of 100 €

Online registration: <https://fenix.fmd.ulisboa.pt/accountCreation>

EVALUATION METHODOLOGIES

The assessment in the different curricular units is based on continuous assessment according to the following criteria:

- Participation and assiduity in classes;
- Relationship with patients, teachers and auxiliary staff;
- Evaluation of work performed;
- Application of knowledge in clinical practice;
- Presentation and discussion of clinical cases;
- Review and discussion of scientific papers.

The final classification of the course is the average, weighted by the respective number of credit units.



Teaching Staff



Professora Doutora Maria de Fátima Bizarra Coordinator

Oral Hygienist (FMDUL 1986). Degree in Oral Hygiene from Instituto Superior de Saúde do Alto Ave. Master in Health Communication from the Open University, in 2008. PhD in Oral Health Sciences and Technologies at the Faculty of Dental Medicine, University of Lisbon, in 2016. Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Dental Medicine, University of Lisbon. Private practice in private practice since 1987. Member of the research unit UICOB - Oral and Biomedical Sciences Research Unit. Exclusive clinical practice at the Implantology Institute in the area of Oral Hygiene. Founding member of APHO. Member of the Coordinating Committee of the Degree in Oral Hygiene. Author and co-author of various publications in national and international journals with scientific arbitration. National and international lecturer.



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Oral Hygienist (FMDUL, 1987). Degree in Health Sciences from the University of Washington, USA, in 1993. Master in Education Sciences, Area of Pedagogy in Higher Education from the Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences of the University of Lisbon, in 2006. PhD in Oral Health Sciences and Technologies from the Faculty of Dental Medicine of the University of Lisbon, in 2015. Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Dental Medicine, University of Lisbon. Guest Adjunct Professor at the School of Health of the Polytechnic of Portalegre. Member of the Coordinating Council of the Degree in Oral Hygiene. Vice-president of APHO since 2009. Delegate for Portugal in the European Federation of Oral Hygienists and the International Federation of Oral Hygienists. Private practice in private practice since 1987. Member of UICOB - Oral and Biomedical Sciences Research Unit. Author of various publications in national and international journals with scientific arbitration, and communications in scientific events.



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Professor Doutor Henrique Soares Luís

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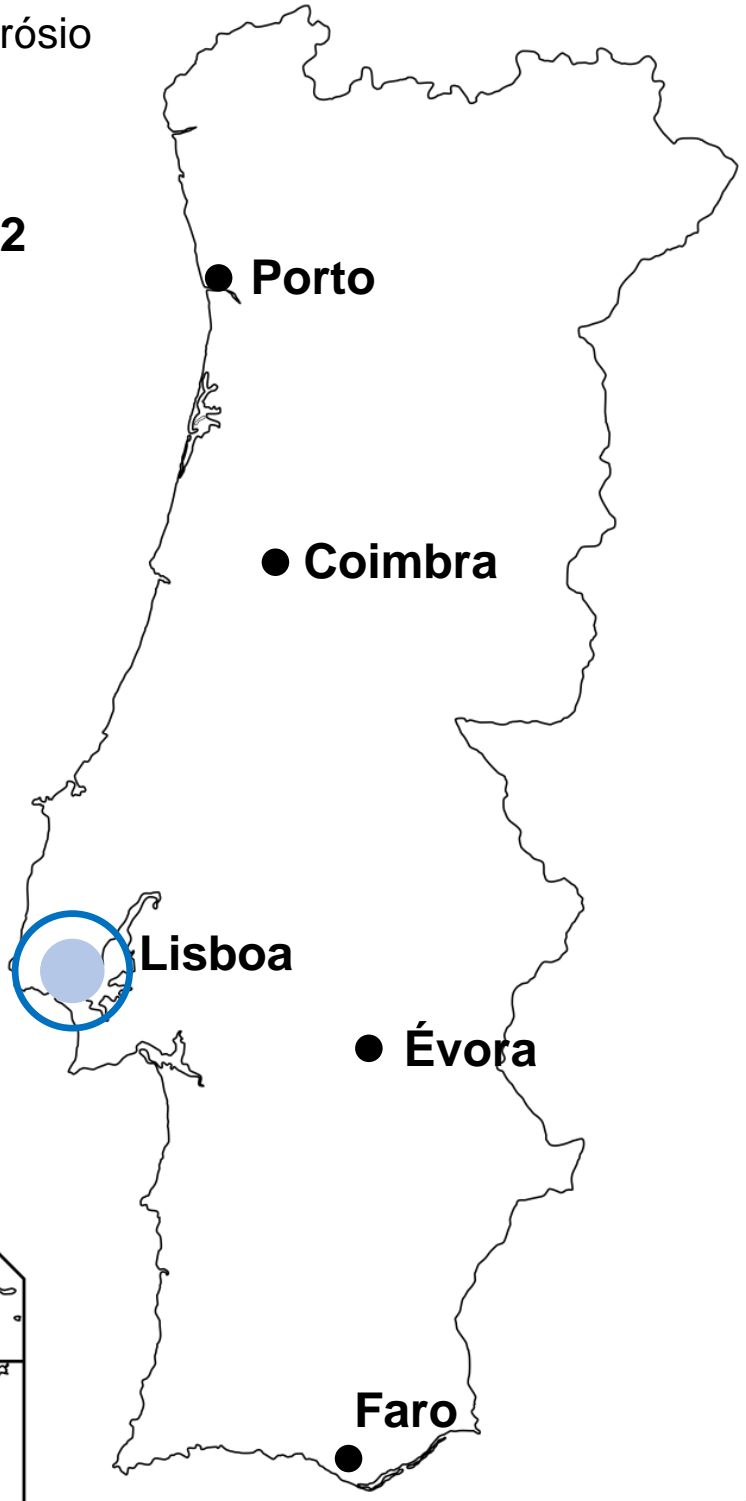
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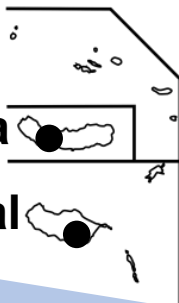
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