

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

## Public oral health 371 (POH 371)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

Faculty of Health Sciences

Module credits 22.00

**Programmes** BOH Oral Hygiene

**Prerequisites** ODO 271, OFC 271, RAD 271, PDL 271, ORD 271, GAP 271, VKM 271, TBW 271

**Contact time** 2 practicals per week, 1 lecture per week

**Language of tuition** English

**Academic organisation** Community Dentistry

Period of presentation Year

## Module content

This module is chosen as an elective to further studies in the field of community dentistry. This module will provide the oral hygiene student with a deeper understanding and skills in the fields of Preventive Dentistry, Oral Epidemiology, and Administration and Management. This will enable him/her to be able to develop and manage a needs-related preventive programme for the individual high risk patient and also for a specific community or population. It will be expected of the student to submit a minor research report demonstrating his/her understanding and skills in the field of public oral health. The main subject consists of four syllabus themes, namely:

- Preventive dentistry
- Oral epidemiology
- Project management
- Minor research report

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