

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

## Public oral health 371 (POH 371)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Health Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	8.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BOH</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	ODO 271, OFC 271, RAD 271, PDL 271, ORD 271, GAP 271, VKM 271, TBW 271
<b>Contact time</b>	1 lecture per week, 2 practicals per week over 10 weeks
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Module is presented in English
<b>Department</b>	Community Dentistry
<b>Period of presentation</b>	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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