



# Platelet Rich Plasma Course

(PRP)

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2018**

**9am – 5pm**

Wiggin Training Centre at

Sir Robert Peel Hospital, Mile Oak, Tamworth B78 3NG

**Members £365**

**Non-members £385**

The procedure is covered as prolotherapy by the Institutes band 4 insurance for appropriately trained members and fellows with LA certification.

This course is approved and certified by  
The Institute of Chiropractors and Podiatrists

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## What is Platelet Rich Plasma Therapy?

Platelet Rich Plasma (PRP) has been successfully used in medicine for many years, focusing on areas such as wound healing and tissue repair. PRP uses the body's own healing process to repair and rejuvenate the tissues.

The blood cells called Platelets (the name is due to their shape) mediate clotting and repair in damage involving blood vessels. In addition to this important function of haemostasis they have a wider role in that they can, at sites of injury or inflammation, mediate the actions of other immune-response cells and drive a healing response. The preparation of a platelet-rich serum from a patient's own blood sample is an increasingly popular drug-free method of stimulating repair in injury to joints and soft tissue.

## How will you benefit from Platelet Rich Plasma Training?

This treatment is an excellent add-on to your practice. It is becoming an increasingly popular treatment to help repair damage by using the body's own healing process. This treatment is cost effective, with very little outlay. Patients who are opposed to using artificial products will be happier to try this treatment as it is completely natural and safe. It is used to treat many ailments including sports related injuries and wound healing.

## About the course

This exciting one-day course covers the point-of-treatment collection, and preparation, of PRP and highlights its safe and effective use in intra-articular and peri-articular pathologies. Led by Podiatrist Independent Prescriber Martin Harvey. Using nothing more complex than a small benchtop centrifuge, the practitioner, after collecting the blood by simple venepuncture, can prepare and administer the resulting platelet-rich serum safely and without recourse to pharmacological medicines.

Podiatrists with an LA certificate do not require further annotations to be trained in and use this useful technique.

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## Tutor: Mr Martin Harvey, PGCert, BSc, MInstChP, MCPodS



Martin has been at the forefront of developing soft tissue injection therapy in Podiatry for more than a decade. He regularly uses and teaches the use of not only PRP but also injectable innovations such as steroid injection therapy, prolotherapy, hyaluronic acid agents and botulinum toxins. As one of the early supplementary prescribers in UK podiatry, he was closely involved in developing independent prescribing, working with the Department of Health and the National Prescribing Centre plus UK Universities. As a registered now fully independent prescriber, he can share his detailed pharmacological understanding in a readily comprehensible fashion that helps delegates to gain the effective knowledge they require to be safe and effective users of these potent agents. Martin collaborated in research in 2007 and 2008 with USA based companies who were developing collection and preparation kits for the international market, the current course is supported by one of the UK's principal manufacturers of collection and preparations kits.

**To book complete the following booking form or call head office on 01704 546 141**



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DELEGATE PLACES ARE LIMITED (12 MAX)

BOOKING IS REQUIRED. BOOKINGS REQUIRE A £50 NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS BOOKING FORM AND EMAIL TO [Julie@iocp.org.uk](mailto:Julie@iocp.org.uk)

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## TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

If a booking is cancelled and no replacement participant can be found, the following cancellation charges will be incurred:

- Cancellation will incur the loss of your non-refundable deposit
- The Institute of Chiropodists and Podiatrists reserves the right to cancel or reschedule seminar location or times, or to arrange a substitute lecture if this is absolutely necessary and out of our control. In these cases, The Institute of Chiropodists and Podiatrists are not required to compensate travel or accommodation costs, loss of working time or other damages.