

**SANDYFORD INITIATIVE**  
**FORTHCOMING ATTRACTIONS**  
**SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2005**

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**SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTION FOUNDTION COURSE (STIF)**  
**Modules 1,5 & 6 of DFFP**

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2005  
9.00 – 4.30 pm

RSNO  
Henry Wood Hall,  
Claremont Street.  
Glasgow G3

Costs £200

Multidisciplinary course aimed to equip participants with basic knowledge, skills and attitudes for the effective management of sexually transmitted infections, (STIs), outside the Genitourinary Medicine setting.

**This course is now fully subscribed.**

**Next STIF course will take place on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup>  
March 2006 in the Campanile Hotel, Tunnel Street, Glasgow.**

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**DIPLOMA OF FACULTY OF FAMILY PLANNING & REPRODUCTIVE  
HEALTH (DFFP)  
Modules 2,3,4,**

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> and Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2005  
9.00 – 4.30 pm

RSNO  
Henry Wood Hall  
Claremont Street  
Glasgow G3

Cost £200

Aimed at fully registered doctors to be able to practice in sexual and reproductive health at a standard which is at least equivalent to level 1 of the Strategy for HIV and Sexual Health in England & Wales, having acquired

- A sensitive and non-judgmental consultation style
- Knowledge of all methods of contraception currently available
- Skills to provide basic counselling and advice about all these methods
- Skills to initiate the use of hormonal contraception and deal with common problems
- Skills to provide emergency contraception
- Knowledge of sexuality and sexual behavior

**Places available for September course.  
Closing date – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2005.**

**Next DFFP course will take place on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> and Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March  
2006 in the Campanile Hotel, Tunnel Street, Glasgow.**

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**PSYCHOSEXUAL TASTER DAY**

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2005  
9.00 – 5.00 pm

Campanile Hotel  
10 Tunnel Street  
Glasgow G3

Cost £50 medical staff / £30 other applicants

One day multidisciplinary seminar designed to

- To recognize sexual problems in day to day practice
- Understand the scale of sexual problems, particularly in relation to General Practice, Gynaecology & Sexual Health, Dermatology, Chronic Illness and Cancer
- To be informed of modes of treatment
- To gain knowledge of referral and training

**Places available.                      Closing date - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2005**

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**FAMILY PLANNING INSTRUCTING DOCTORS ANNUAL MEETING**

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2005  
1.30 – 5.00 pm

Campanile Hotel  
10 Tunnel Street  
Glasgow G3

Annual meeting of Family Planning Instructing Doctors.

**Places available.                      Closing Date – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2005**

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**British Association of Sexual Health & HIV (Scotland)  
BASHH  
Annual Meeting**

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2005  
9.00 – 4.30 pm

Campanile Hotel,  
Tunnel Street,  
Glasgow G3.

Multidisciplinary meeting with scientific programme. Open to colleagues who currently work in sexual health and HIV. Open to non-BASHH members.

No cost involved.

**Places available. Closing date – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2005**

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**NURSING UPDATE IN FAMILY PLANNING & SEXUAL HEALTH**

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2005  
9.00 – 5.00 pm

Campanile Hotel  
10 Tunnel Street  
Glasgow G3

Cost £35

**Aimed at nurses** working in family planning, sexual health, community nursing staff, school health nurses, midwives, practice nurses, health visitors, GEMS nursing staff, minor illness nurses etc.

Programme to include update in contraception and STIs and nurse competencies.

**Places available. Closing date: Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2005**

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**CONTRACEPTION AND SEXUAL HEALTH UPDATE SEMINAR**

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2005  
9.00 – 4.30 pm

Campanile Hotel  
10 Tunnel Street  
Glasgow G3

Cost - £100

Multidisciplinary seminar aimed at highlighting issues relating to

- Young People,
- Over 40's,
- Vulnerable Groups,
- Chronic Disease,
- Men and Contraception,
- Lifestyle Issues
- Contraceptive Choices.

**Places available.                      Closing date: Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2005**

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**For information about any of the courses listed, please contact**

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