

## 35<sup>th</sup> Graf Ultrasound (Two-Day Basic Course)

for the Diagnosis and Management of Dysplasia of the Infant Hip



Feedback - July 2022

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This well-established and hugely popular course, previously run in Dorchester for 25 years as the West Dorset Hip Course, is led by Professor Reinhard Graf, Professor of Orthopaedics at the University of Graz, Austria. The course comprised of a large number of experienced consultant faculty who aimed to provide the participants with a thorough understanding of the role of ultrasound in the diagnosis and management of Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip (previously known as Congenital Dislocation of the Hip). The course covered the theoretical knowledge and practical skills necessary to perform and interpret infant hip ultrasound examination, and the management based on the ultrasound findings. Aspects such as choice of equipment and setting up an ultrasound service were also covered.

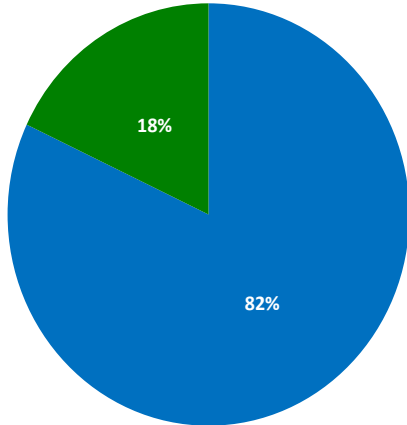
### Course Information

<b>Course Date:</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> July 2022</b>
<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Virtual Course Held via Zoom (11<sup>th</sup> July 2022)</b>
	<b>College of Physicians and Surgeons of Cardiff, Cardiff Bay</b>
<b>Attendance:</b>	<b>148 Delegates</b>
<b>Aimed at:</b>	<b>Midwives; Obstetric Nurses; Orthopaedic Surgeons; Paediatricians; Paediatric Surgeons; Physiotherapists; Radiographers; Radiologists; Sonographers; Speciality Nurses; Speciality Registrars and Trainees in any of the above disciplines; Surgical or Advanced Care Practitioners.</b>
<b>Course Fee:</b>	<b>£485.00</b>



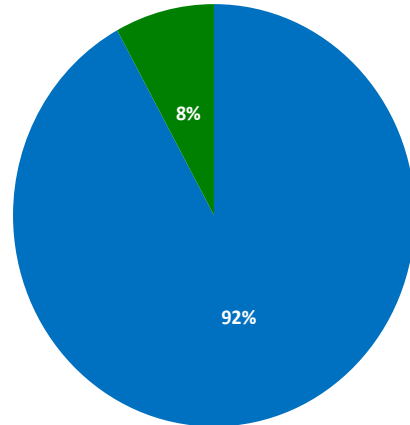
# Overall Feedback

How was the clarity of the lectures?



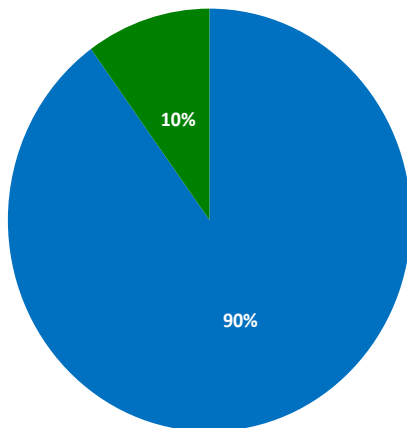
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How would you rate the general academic standard of the tutors?



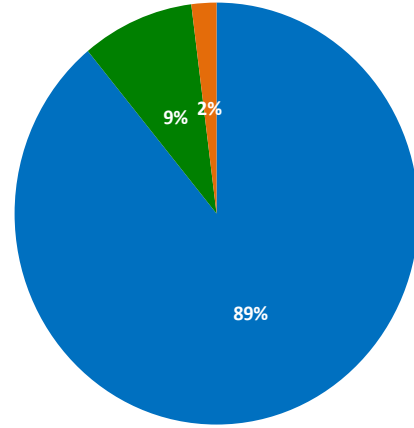
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How do you rate the relevance of the course to your career?



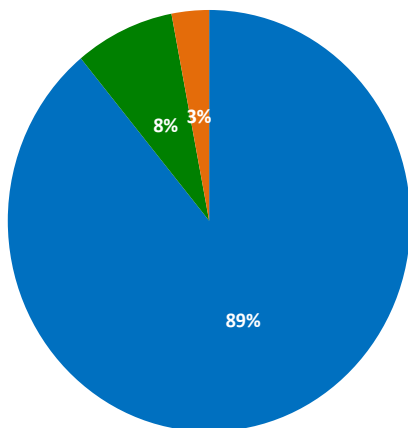
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Anatomy and Ultrasound of a Normal Infant Hip Joint



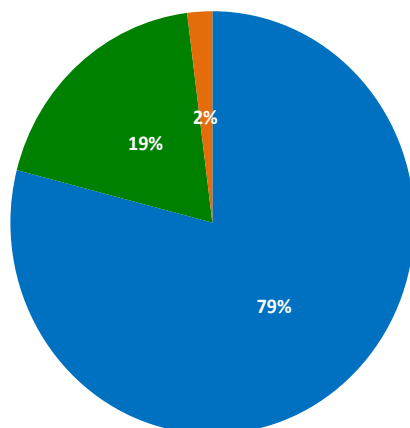
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Reproducible Standard Plane



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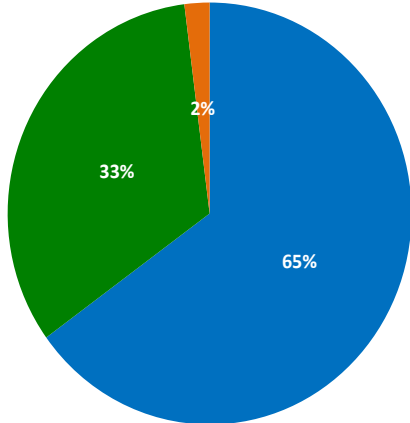
Hip Types



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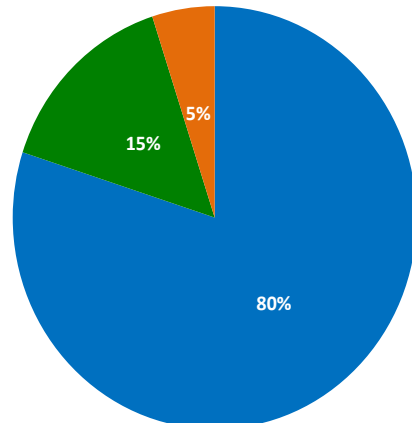
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Scanning Technique and How to Set Up Your Examination Room



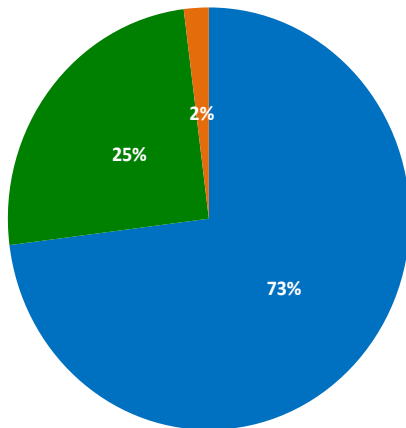
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Graf Hip Types – Measurement and Classification



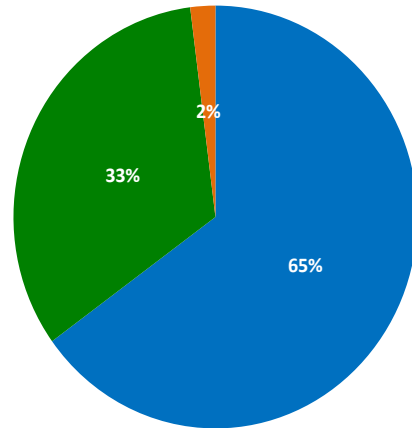
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Tilting Errors



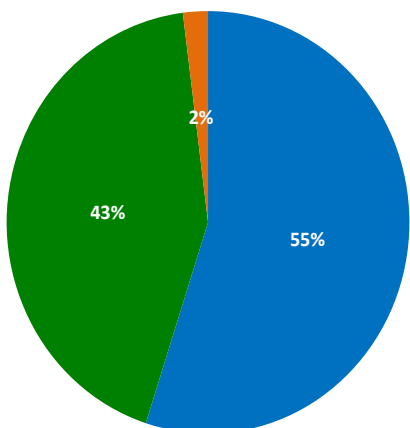
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Reporting in Hip Ultrasound



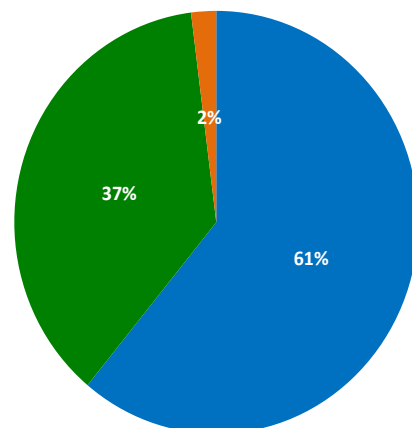
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Early Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip Treatment Based on Graf Method



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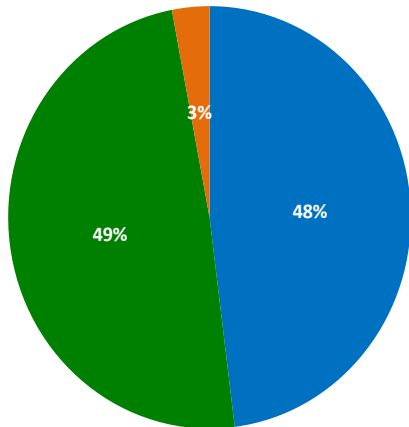
Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip Screening – Clinical/Selective/Universal



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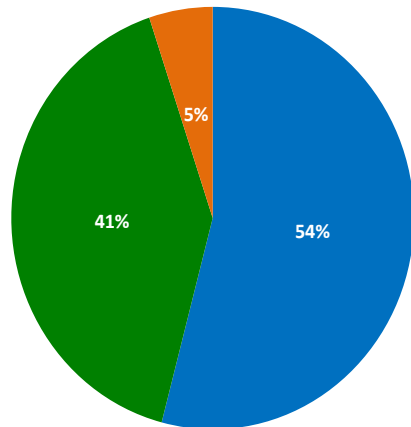
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### My Experience with Universal Screening



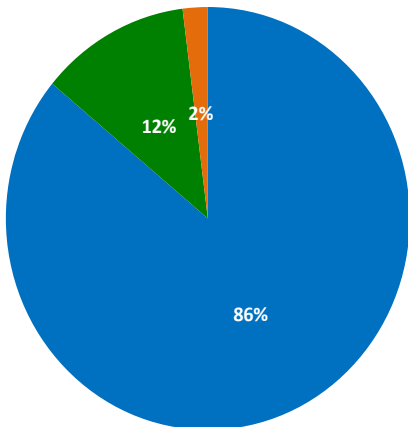
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### Different Ultrasound Techniques



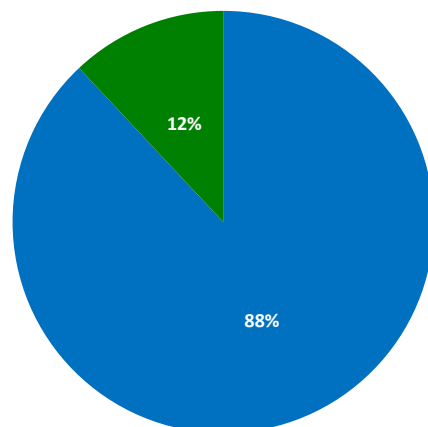
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### Anatomical Definitions



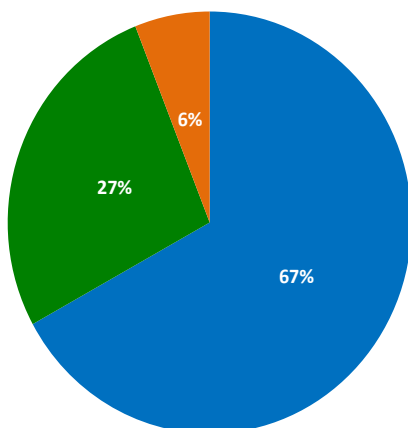
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### Useability Check



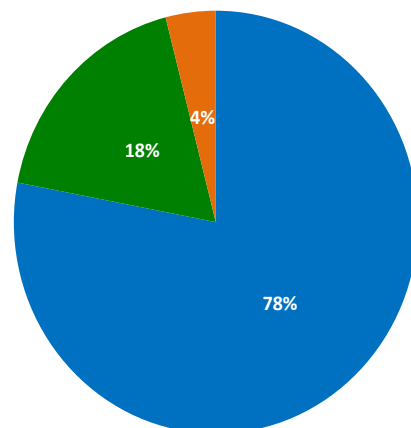
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### Phantom Hip Scanning



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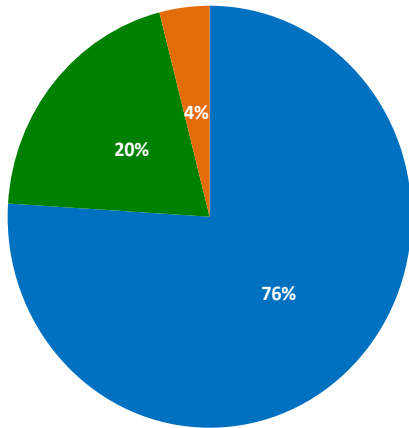
### Types of Hip



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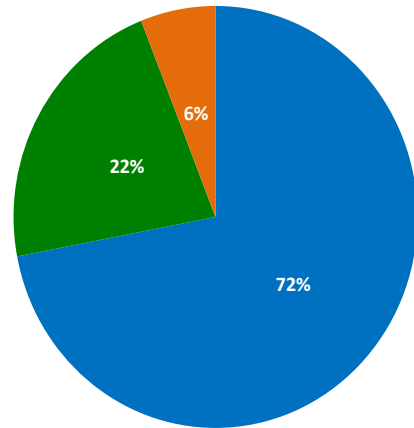
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Measurement and Classification



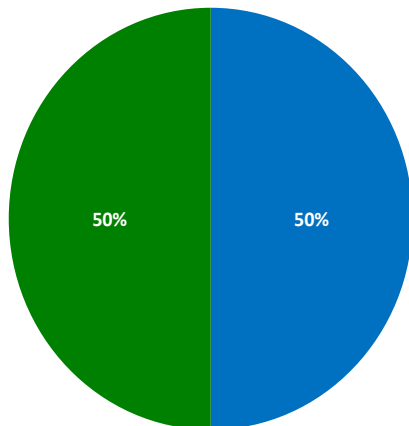
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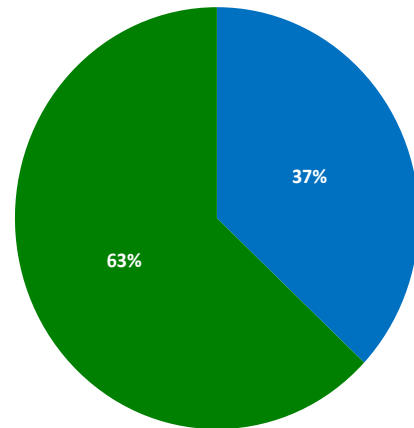
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How would you rate the appropriateness of Zoom for the delivery of Day 1 of this course?



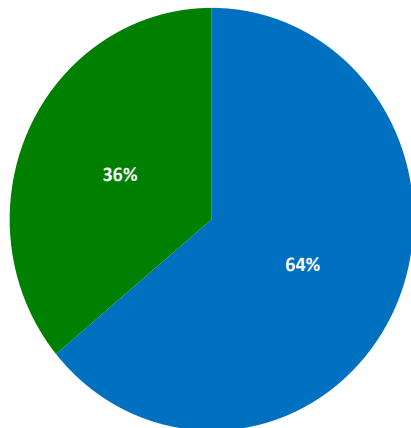
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How were the facilities and venue?



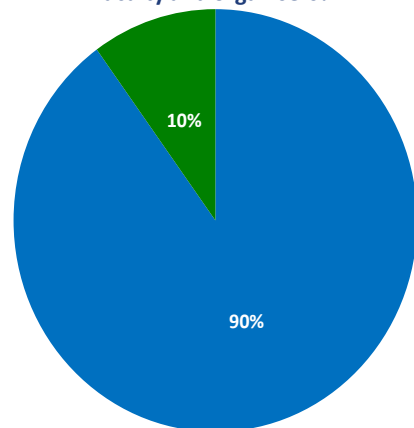
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How were the refreshments and lunch?



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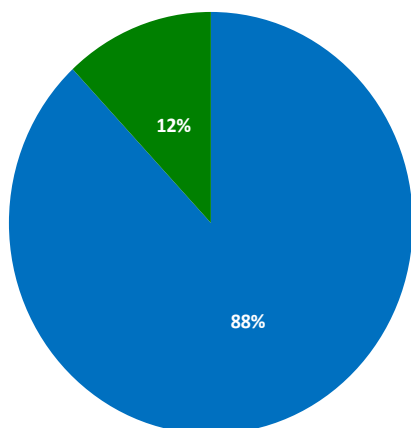
How was the general friendliness of the faculty and organisers?



■ Very friendly ■ Friendly ■ Neutral ■ Not very friendly ■ Can't comment

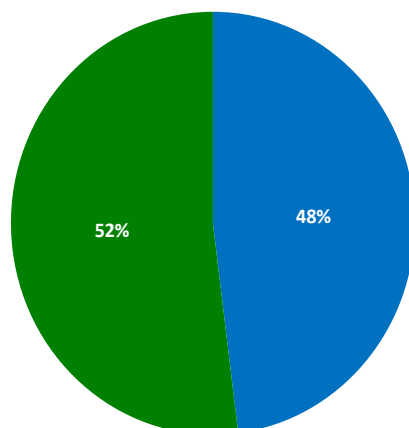
## Overall Feedback

Would you recommend this course to a friend?



■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

Do you think that this course provided good value for money?



■ Most certainly ■ Certainly ■ Probably ■ Unlikely ■ Not at all

## Individual Comments

Teaching skills are excellent and this course will help me to improve my skills.

**QA**

***Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust, UK***

Excellent.

**LS**

***Instituto Nacional de Rehabilitación LGII, Mexico***

The course was excellent. It was useful to have a virtual theory sessions and then practical one to one.

**AP**

***William Harvey Hospital in Ashford, England, UK***

Excellent and friendly faculty. A very well organised course. A definite baby steps towards achieving universal screening in my institution.

**MA**

***KK Women's and Children's Hospital, Singapore***

The course is superb. The standard of teaching is exceptional, and although at times I found it a little difficult to follow it certainly did not detract from my overall learning and what I took away from the course. I have been scanning hips for approximately a year before attending the course and participating on the course reinforced what I've already learnt and gave me tips and tricks to make my practice better.

**RL**

***Chesterfield Royal Hospital, Calow, UK***

I found the course to flow very well, the course team were extremely knowledgeable and approachable.

**SD**

***Warrington Hospital, Warrington, UK***

High quality, very easy to understand, the professor being friendly and respond all questions. Thank you!

**EA**

***Hospital Civil de Guadalajara FAA***

Helped me clarify and standardise a process that can be very confusing without proper guidance and background. It's something that we come across almost every day and many of us have built years of bad habits that the course pointed out and rectified.

**GK**

***Royal Hospital for Children, Scotland***

I really enjoyed this course. Felt I learned a lot. Thank you very much.

**GD**

***Galile Medical Center, Nahariya, Israel***



## Individual Comments

Very relevant course and all content relevant. All tutors had a wealth of knowledge and made us all feel comfortable on asking questions.

**ES**

*Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, UK*

Very impressed, excellent course. Well run.

**WC**

*Chelsea and Westminster, UK*

Just started using Graf in my Trust - feel confident following this course when scanning clinically.

**JO**

*Buckinghamshire Healthcare NHS Trust, UK*

I am about to start scanning paed hips at my Trust and we have recently introduced the Graf method, so this has been an excellent learning experience for me.

**CM**

*Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury, UK*

Such an amazing course, one of the best CPD courses I have ever attended. I would be very keen to do the refresher course should I need to further down the line.

**SB**

*Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust, UK*

Very good and I will be able to use this when taking part in our departmental baby hip scanning. Good appropriate teaching. Easy to ask questions.

**LB**

*Royal Berkshire Hospital, UK*

Very happy! I am a Sonographer without a radiography background and even though I struggled with some terminology, the staff were incredibly helpful and helped me through it! Very useful for my future in the career and in helping our trusts hip dysplasia service.

**KM**

*Ormskirk District General Hospital, Ormskirk, UK*

I thought it was a fantastic course and walked away with so much knowledge and confidence to scan. I thoroughly enjoyed it and found it to be extremely informative. The lecturers and tutors were so friendly.

**SC**

*Chelsea and Westminster, London, UK*

Very informative and clarified my queries about baby hips US.

**SL**

*Royal Bolton NHS Foundation Trust, UK*

## Individual Comments

Extremely well taught as I left knowing a significant amount and things to take and learn from. I attended not seeing a hip ultrasound - however I now feel very confident to start my in house Training and even managed to get a cradle and probe guide for our department!

**LP**  
*Queens Hospital Burton, Burton, UK*

The course was well organised and very informative. All queries were answered on the day and the faculty were great at breaking down every step from theory to the practical aspects of the course.

**MK**  
*The Rotunda Hospital, Dublin, UK*

The faculty were extremely knowledgeable and approachable and respectful of the different professions present. Timings were good and the sessions flowed well. Lectures made sense and followed a logical pattern.

**DS**  
*Southport and Ormskirk NHS Trust, UK*

I thought the course was really well organised, and I learnt a great deal from it which will benefit my scanning technique and knowledge of anatomy.

**AT**  
*Peterborough City Hospital, Peterborough, UK*

A really inspiring, informative and practical approach thanks to the enthusiasm and wealth of knowledge and expertise of the course tutors. A perfect starting point as a sonographer to start my paediatric hip scanning in practice.

**SO**  
*Redditch*

The organisation of the course was great with great excellent lectures and teaching. Some areas are above my knowledge level but I hope to be able to build on it as I get more involved in hip scanning.

**YL**  
*Royal Free Hospital NHS Trust, UK*

Very good course. Excellent structure combining theory and practical. All information given was clear and very informative.

**RC**

Great teaching staff, good content, would recommend to colleagues.

**KA**  
*Jersey General Hospital, Jersey*

The teaching was brilliant. Really interactive and developed my confidence in scanning baby hips and differentiating between the different Graf types.

**DM**  
*St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, UK*



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