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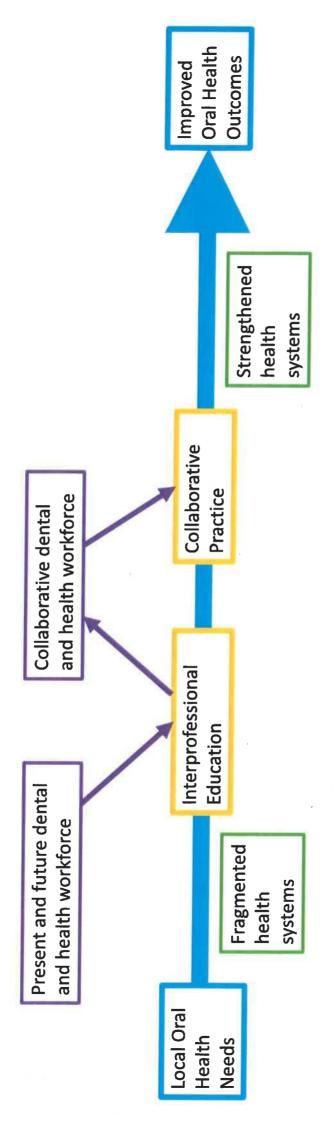


Figure 2 – Example of learning outcomes for an IPE event involving simulation of a medical emergency within a dental clinic.

By the end of the session, you should be able to

- demonstrate effective team work and communication in the management of a medical emergency within the dental clinic
- describe the role of each member of the dental team in dealing with a medical emergency
- provide and discuss constructive feedback with each member of the team to ultimately improve patient care in the future

Ten Top Tips for Interprofessional Education in Dental Education	
1.	IPE is an interactive, collaborative learning process where all learners learn with, from and
	about each other. ^{2,3}
2.	The overall aim of IPE is to promote interprofessional collaboration, ultimately improving
	patient care. ²
3.	Learning outcomes should reflect collaborative learning that are unlikely to be achieved
	without interprofessional interaction. ^{3,16}
4.	Prior to the session, identify learners' prior knowledge and learning needs which will help
	prepare the facilitator in working with different professional groups and backgrounds ¹⁶ .
	Identifying and building upon previous knowledge can enhance learning ^{30, 31}
5.	Consider adult learning principles, reflective learning and communities of practice
	learning theory. ^{4, 14, 27, 34}
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6.	Learning is effective when learners can apply learning/development to their daily
	practice ²⁹ ; authentic case-based examples or simulation are ideal methods for IPE. ^{14,24,27,}
7.	A comfortable, 'blame-free' environment should be established to promote
7.	interaction. ^{14,30}
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8.	A trained, experienced IPE facilitator is essential to encourage interprofessional learning
	and collaboration and manage any challenges. ^{3, 7, 14, 16}
9.	Allow time for informal peer learning and discussion, an important aspect of the hidden
	curriculum. ^{14, 32}
10	Assessment can stress the importance of IPE to learners and should be aligned with the
	learning outcomes based on collaborative practice. ^{16, 36}

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