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Real Time Ultrasound & Exercise

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This course covers how to use RTUS to improve your assessment, treatment and exercise programming. An anatomy review and a succinct update of the most recent research for using RTUS and teaching stability exercises including TA, PF, multifidus and quadratus femoris is also covered. At completion of this course, you will be confident to use RTUS in your clinical sessions. You do not need to own a Real Time Ultrasound machine to benefit from this workshop.

Course	Outline
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Day 1: TA/PF RTUS & Exercise

(Saturday: 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm)

1:00 pm - 2.30 pm RTUS

Anatomy / Stability / Neural Overview

Pain and stability muscle inhibition/Pre-set

Down- training phasic muscles

Basic physical principles

The machine, the operator and technique

2:30 pm – 3:45 pm **PRACTICAL**: RTUS Assessment / cues

Transverse Abdominus and Pelvic Floor (TA / PF)

- 3:45 pm 4:00 pm BREAK
- 4:00 pm 4:30 pm PF/PGP refining cues and clinical questions
- 4:30 pm 5:45 pm **Neural testing**: refining upper and lower limb neural testing to enable recruitment of stability muscles and identify PCF's and SCF
- 5:45 pm 6:00pm Overview

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Day 2: HIP RTUS & Exercise

(Sunday: 9.30 am - 5:00 pm)

9:30 am – 10.15 am	Functional Anatomy Review of hip
	Deep, intermediate, and superficial muscles
10.15 am – 11.15 am	Exercises to recruit PF, TA, and deep hip stabilisers; QF,
	Glute min/med and max
11:15 am – 11:45 pm	RTUS demonstration of QF assessment
11:45 pm – 1:30 pm	Practical RTUS QF and TA/PF
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	BREAK
2:00 pm – 3:45 pm	Exercise session
	Segmental Multifidus retraining
	Squats to automate TA/PF/multifidus
	Exercise progressions: band, beam and ball
3:45 pm – 4:00 pm	BREAK
4:00 pm – 4:45 pm	Practical RTUS; Refining Technique

4:45 pm – 5:00 pm Summary, overview and questions

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