



& **QUADRATESTP™**  
SYSTEM

**One Day Courses ONLY £95 + VAT**

As with many companies engaged in the manufacture of foot orthoses, **Talar Made Ltd.** was founded by clinical practitioners. For over a decade our focus has been to broaden the choice of orthoses available to our prescribers, supported by strong design rationales and helpful education programmes. We have also responded to the challenge of time and budget restrictions that confront all Podiatrists.

The differences in foot anatomy that present with symptoms are a reflection of several influences at one point in time: The initial developmental arrangement of the foot, the required combination of physical traits to deliver a common function, the response of the foot to the internal and external environment and the ability of the interconnected structures to cope with resulting forces.

The foot has a limited number of traits to achieve its biological function. However, rather than attempt to guide all feet towards a single 'neutral' alignment, our products are designed to match the physical and functional permutations that represent what we find across a spectrum of normality.

This concept is what helps to define a Talar Made foot orthosis: Each individual product sits within a series that collectively offer a variety of features that can be matched to a patient's anatomy and their loading and propulsive patterns.

Our educational courses are based around straight forward explanations of the science that underpins each product, its design and logically its indications and contraindications. Our modifiable pre-fabricated EVA range focuses upon appraisal of arch height changes, foot and leg rotation dominance and the significance of 3 key pivotal points. This important shift in teaching foot biomechanics clarifies how feet may demonstrate differences in form and function. To build on the success of the **3 Point Pivot** approach to orthotic prescription, we are now introducing further simple evidence based measures of foot differences to explain how issues such as joint adaptability can influence the selection of more complex orthotic features. This more advanced product range, **Quadrastep™**, has an educational program designed to encourage Podiatrists to continue working towards a greater understanding of this rewarding area of practice.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Greg Quinn FCPodS MChS FRSA

**The 3 POINT PIVOT One Day Course**

- + Delivers a new approach to understanding biomechanics and proposes a fresh way of linking structure to functional differences
- + Enhances confidence in relating biomechanics to orthotic prescription
- + Provides a simple assessment means of prescribing budget friendly, high quality modifiable prefabricated orthoses

Dates and locations for upcoming 3 Point Pivot Courses are:  
**Bristol - 9th November 2010**  
**Oxford - 25th January 2011**  
**Leeds - 8th February 2011**

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**THE QUADRATESTP SYSTEM One Day Course**

- + Enhances understanding of differences in foot structure, form and function, as well as new biomechanical concepts
- + Delivers theory with an emphasis on biology rather than physics
- + Provides the practitioner with an alternative to reliance on high cost custom devices

Dates and locations for upcoming Quadrastep System Courses are:  
**Manchester - 20th September 2010**  
**Oxford - 28th September 2010**  
**Leeds - 23rd November 2010**  
**Bristol - 18th January 2011**

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