





Infection Prevention and Control

This study day is 4 -8 hours (Course content is designed to ensure relevance and suit the specific needs of the healthcare workers attending the session).

Course Objective

The aim of this programme is to enable and empower the healthcare worker to reduce healthcare-associated infections (HCAIs) in your area of practice through the use of standard precautions, transmission-based precautions and additional infection prevention and control measures.

Learning outcomes

By the end of this course, you will be able to:

1. Identify your duty of care and responsibilities regarding infection prevention and control.
2. Continually assess the risk of infection spread within your workplace.
3. Identify and apply appropriate standard precautions.
4. Reflect on your own actions and behaviours in relation to infection prevention and control.

Topics covered include

- Hand hygiene
- Healthcare-associated infections
- The chain of infection
- Breaking the chain of infection
- Learning in practice
- Summary and assessment

Certificate of completion will be given by Hygiene Audits

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Continuing Education Units (CEU's) Pending

