Basic Course for Principles of Infection Prevention and Control

Fall 2023

HRET AND THE Northeastern Infection Control Educators (NICE) ARE EXCITED TO PROVIDE THIS IN-PERSON EDUCATIONAL SERIES JOINTLY.

Dates: October 23-27, 2023

Location: New Jersey Hospital Association Conference and Event Center, 760 Alexander Rd., Princeton, NJ 08540.

Description: This course is designed to prepare the new Infection Preventionist or person responsible for Infection Prevention and Control to perform the duties required in various types of healthcare settings.

Learner outcomes include:

1. Identify the modes of transmission, incubation periods, host resistance, and susceptibility to various infections and infectious diseases.
2. Implement appropriate measures to prevent the spread of infection.
3. Discuss governmental regulations and standards which govern infection prevention practice.
5. Describe the processes used in sterilization, disinfection, and sanitation in healthcare facilities.
6. Present the management and communication skills necessary for the coordination of an effective infection prevention program.

Registration is open from August 23, 2023 to October 13, 2023 - register early- seats are limited

Register at: https://reg.learningstream.com/reg/event_page.aspx?ek=0052-0013-0f8ade1b733c43f588d155e11143114f

Cost: $500.00

Course registration does not include registration to receive nursing contact hours. If contact hours are needed, you must register for them separately once you are registered.

A partial list of topics:

Antimicrobial Stewardship
Application of Infection Prevention in Any Setting
Application of Precautions
Bacteremia
CAUTI HAI- Urinary Tract Infections
Dialysis
Hepatitis
Immunology
Infection Control and the Built Environment
Infection Prevention and the Environment
Infections in the Elderly
The Infection Prevention (IP) Program
IP as an Educator

Introduction to Microbiology
Organization, Analysis and Presentation of IP data
Outbreak Investigations
Principles of Devise Reprocessing-Cleaning, Disinfection and Sterilization
Regulations: Federal/OSHA/OBRA
Respiratory Infections
Safe Injection Practices
Skin Rashes
Strategies for Occupational Health/Exposures/PEP
Tuberculosis
The Vital Role of the IP in the Surgical Patient
A partial list of faculty:

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This conference awards a maximum of 32.25 nursing contact hours

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Attendees must complete the entire series to get nursing contact hours.

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