

Treatment Room Course

Frequently asked questions

Q: I do not currently work in a medical practice or clinic, can I do this course?

A: Yes you can. We would recommend that you complete the whole 17 units as they are designed to give you the underpinning knowledge and information to work appropriately and effectively in a health care setting.

Q: I am already a nurse but I need to do just some of these procedures for my work, can I choose?

A: You can choose the units that you need to do e.g. you need to perform Spirometry testing you can just do that one unit

Q: I want to work in a medical centre like a nurse, should I do this course?

A: While this course is not a nursing course, there are aspects of it that you can use to further your health care and nursing career. There is no guarantee that we will place students into work in a medical centre after they have done this course.

Q: Is this course like enrolled nursing?

A: No this course has been developed especially to respond to the needs of a medical centre or treatment room. Enrolled nursing is a separate course.

Q: Will I be employed as a treatment nurse when I have done this course?

A: Employability depends on availability of vacancies within the industry as well as how you present for an interview and your skill level.

Q: Why are some units not accredited?

A: Some units are non-accredited because they do not come from a training package. You will receive a certificate of achievement for these units.

Q: What certificate do I get at the end of the course?

A: You will receive a Nationally Recognised Statement of Attainment for the accredited units of competency you successfully complete and a Certificate of Achievement for the non-accredited units as well as a reference letter.

Q: I already have a certificate with some of these units can I get recognition or a refund?

A: This course does not lead to a certificate level qualification as it is a mixture of units from various training packages and non-accredited units. If you have units already we recommend you only enroll into the units you need.

Q: What extra work do I have to do to succeed in this course?

A: Like any training or education the more effort and dedication you put in, the more you will succeed in your course. You do need to make an effort to find yourself some work experience in a medical centre so you can apply your skills to the workplace.

Q: What if I can't find anywhere to do my work experience?

A: We will assist students in finding work placement and suggest some clinics we have relationships with.

Q: How will this course help me?

A: You will also receive a written reference from your trainer about your performance during the course, you may find this helpful to present to an employer with your resume.

Q: I already work in a medical centre but I just need to do one or two of the units?

A: Yes you can choose to do just one or a couple of the units – the costs for each unit are outlined in the course information.