

HIV Nursing Practice Workshop

Monday 18 to Thursday 21 May 2020

9am to 4.30pm



This comprehensive and practical workshop is for nurses who work, or are preparing to work, with HIV positive clients and wish to increase their knowledge and skills. The workshop recognises the unique role and knowledge of nurses in HIV care.

The workshop is co-ordinated by Nurse Consultants & Nurse Educators and each session is presented by a recognised expert.

The Workshop is equivalent to 25 hours of Continuing Professional Development

Location: Surry Hills, Sydney – Australia

Learning outcomes:

It is anticipated that on completion of the Workshop participants will be able to:

- Participate in the nursing management of people with HIV infection and disease, including those taking antiretroviral treatments
- Implement nursing strategies to ensure the psychosocial needs of the patient are met
- Refer patients appropriately to specialist health care professionals
- Initiate **infection prevention and** health promotion activities with patients
- Identify key issues in providing appropriate HIV services that meet the needs of **all people with HIV, including** women, children, transgender clients and people from culturally diverse backgrounds
- Participate in ethical decision making in clinical practice

Course Fees including GST: \$300.00

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The workshop is a joint initiative of Sydney Children's, Royal Prince Alfred, Prince of Wales, Westmead and Concord Hospitals, The Albion Centre and Central Sydney Community Health Services.

Topics covered:

The workshop covers a range of topics which are fundamental knowledge for the provision and delivery of HIV care and treatment management.

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These topics include: Clinical, Pharmaceutical, Mental Health, Allied Health, Psychosocial, Prevention, Work Health and Safety, Multicultural, Gender and Sexuality, Legal and Ethics and Substance use.

Course Outline and Schedule¹:

	Topics
Day 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Immunopathology• Opportunistic infections• Associated Neurocognitive Disorder• Ageing and HIV
Day 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pharmacology• Prevention & management of exposures• Psychosocial issues• Multicultural issues
Day 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sexual health• Sexuality issues• Transgender health• Women and HIV• Children & HIV• Safe behaviours
Day 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mental health• HIV and HCV co-infection• HIV and substance use• HIV nutrition• Ongoing monitoring

¹ Topic day of delivery may change due to program scheduling

What others have said about this course:

“Very worthwhile, expanded my knowledge. Well presented (great presenters).”

“Thanks - it was a great experience to be educated with a lovely group of clinicians. A special mention goes to presenters for delivering up to date and interesting presentations.”

“It is a great course and I would strongly recommend it to anyone who currently works or is interested in this field of nursing.”

The Albion Centre - Working towards the virtual elimination of HIV transmission by 2020 and the elimination of Hepatitis C as a public health threat by 2030