

COURSE OUTLINE: SKIN CARE

Course Overview:

Skin Care educates participants about common skin conditions, describes appropriate care of wounds and pressure sores, and provides general skin care guidelines.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Recognize the purpose and mechanics of the skin (integumentary system)
- Identify a variety of common skin conditions and know how to address them when working as a care provider, including: warts, impetigo, psoriasis, ringworm, eczema, thin skin, moles, ingrown hairs, and pressure sores
- Know first aid for minor cuts and scrapes
- Describe the steps to follow when changing bandages
- Understand general guidelines for skin care including ways to prevent and treat dry skin and how to protect the skin when outside

Technical Requirements

The course has a responsive design. This means that participants can take their training on a computer, mobile phone, or tablet. The only requirement is internet access.

The Online Learning Experience

This online course is self-paced. Participants progress at the pace that best matches their learning style and previous knowledge. Participants can log-out whenever they like and log in later, returning automatically to the last viewed screen. Interactive screens break complex topics into smaller, more easily understood units of information, and scenario-based exercises allow participants to apply learned concepts in practical situations. All required learning materials are within the course. After completion of the course, participants continue to have full access to course content.

Evaluation

This is a single-module course. To complete the training, participants must obtain 100% on the end-of-module test. Test questions are randomly selected from a bank of options to ensure that repeat tests will be unique. Participants who fail the test must review the materials and re-test as many times as necessary to obtain the passing grade (100%).

Certificate of Completion

Upon successful completion of the module test, participants will be able to download/print a *Certificate of Completion* which includes the date of training and the participant's full name.