



PAEDIATRIC ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT SEMINAR

DATES:**TIME:** 8:30AM – 3:30PM**COST:** \$285.00

Payment plans available

CPD: 6

One-day seminar – fully catered

This one day will refresh the differences between the physiology of children and adults, and the look at the way children respond to rapid deterioration and shock. The seminar focuses on the rapid triage and assessment of the sick child, looking at a selection of urgent presentations. Nurses and students attending this seminar will be refreshed on their knowledge of asthma, fever and sepsis, managing fitting, recognising and managing dehydration. In a short section on rashes, nurses will develop a knowledge on terminology commonly used to document and report a variety of skin lesions common to children.

Content includes:

- Paediatric physiology differences
- Triage – what is a sick child?
- Asthma in children
- Respiratory presentations in children
- Dehydration

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Times	Paediatric Assessment and Management Seminar
8:30	Introduction – house keeping
8:45	Physiology overview – cells, lactate and acidosis
9:50 – 10:15 Morning Tea	
10:15	Paediatric Assessment – What is a sick child?
11:15	Fever and sepsis – current definitions and the antipyretic debate
12:00	Rashes – terminology and documenting
12:30 – 13:00 Lunch	
13:00	Respiratory presentations – Asthma, URTI and cough
14:00	Dehydration in Children
14:30	Fitting and seizure / hypoglycaemia
15:00	Question Time
15:30	Finish

N.B. Please note that this timetable is indicative only and is subject to change.

Putting the science into the art of nursing