

Thursday, February 1, 2024

In Person Pediatric Workshop: Enteral Tubes & Vascular Access Devices

Date and Time: Thursday, February 1 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 401 Smyth Road

Half OR Full Day Workshop

Module 1: Enteral Tubes (NG/G/GJ) 0900 - 1200

Learning objectives:

NG Tubes

- Introduction to enteral feeding
- Review indications for NG Tubes
- Demonstrate appropriate technique for NG tube insertion.
- Review placement verification of NG tubes
- Discuss care of child with NG tube
- Review administration of enteral feeds and medications

Gastrostomy Tubes

- Introduction to gastrostomy tubes
- Review indications and goals for gastrostomy tubes
- Discuss management of common stoma issues
- Demonstrate management of dislodged/blocked tubes
- Discuss care of children with a gastrostomy tube
- Review administration of nutritional formula and medications

Module 2: Vascular Access Devices 1300 - 1600

Vascular Access Devices

- Identify different types of vascular access devices.
- Review care and management of CVADs including principles of aseptic technique to prevent CLABSIs.
- Review CVAD line patency assessment and flushing.
- Demonstrate proper technique for CVAD dressing changes.
- Demonstrate proper technique for CVAD cap changes.

Links to register: [Full Day](#) | [Module 1](#) | [Module 2](#)

Wednesday, February 7, 2024

Virtual Workshop: Communicating with Children and Families

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 7 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Virtual Workshop

Learning objectives:

- Gain a working knowledge of principles of patient- and family-centered care
- Identify effective, appropriate, developmentally supportive communication skills to best support a child and family
- Explore communication strategies for a child that is nonverbal
- Develop strategies to support infants, children, youth and families in coping with stressful procedures/interventions
- Articulate the definitions and functions of play
- Identify ways to include play while providing care to children

[Link to register](#)

Wednesday, February 14, 2024

Virtual Workshop - Care and Maintenance for Gastrostomy Tubes

Date and Time: Wednesday, February 14 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: Virtual

Learning objectives

- Introduction to gastrostomy tubes
- Review indications and goals for gastrostomy tubes
- Discuss management of common stoma issues
- Discuss management of dislodged/blocked tubes
- Review administration of nutritional formula and medications
- Discuss care of children with a gastrostomy tube

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Thursday, February 22, 2024

In-Person Workshop: Pediatric Tracheostomy with Invasive Ventilation DAY 1

Date and Time: Thursday, February 22 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: CHEO, 401 Smyth Road, Ottawa, ON

Day 1: Tracheostomy – Management and Care

Learning objectives:

- Review the anatomy and physiology of a child’s respiratory tract
- Identify indications for a tracheostomy
- Demonstrate proper care of a patient with a tracheostomy tube
- Demonstrated a tracheostomy tube change
- Review proper cleaning of tracheostomy tubes and equipment

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Thursday, February 29, 2024

In-Person Workshop: Pediatric Tracheostomy with Invasive Ventilation DAY 2

Date and Time: Thursday, February 29 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: CHEO, 401 Smyth Road, Ottawa, ON

Day 2: Invasive Home Ventilation – Management and Care

Learning objectives:

Mechanical Ventilation

- Review relevant anatomy and physiology
- Review basic concepts of ventilation
- Explore humidity through invasive ventilation
- Demonstrate the correct set-up of a mechanical ventilator
- Demonstrate appropriate patient care through simulations

Important note - you must complete Day 1: Tracheostomy – Management and Care before attending Day 2.

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