



Nasogastric Tube Care

Nasogastric tube insertion is a procedure performed to provide nutrition and medicines directly to patients through a thin tube placed in the nasal cavity to the stomach when they are unable to swallow due to medical reasons. This essential skill requires precision and practice to avoid errors and complications. The aim of this module is to prepare nurses with necessary knowledge and skills to provide care for clients requiring NG tube feeding.

Learning Outcomes

- Review anatomy and physiology of gastrointestinal tract
- List out the indications and contraindications of NG tube insertion
- Identify the types of NG tube
- Demonstrate NG tube insertion procedure
- Discuss various methods to confirm the tube placement
- Identify various complications after NG tube insertion
- Demonstrate NG tube care

Training Material

- Multimedia audio visual aids
- Task trainers
- Handouts

Duration

5 hrs

No. of Participants per Instructor

15