



Clinical Decision Making and Deteriorating Adult Client

Nurses are required to make timely and safe decisions about patient care in acute situations. Clinical judgment and decision-making skills are essential in identifying early clinical deterioration and prompt intervention. This module will enable participants to refine practice in relation to the recognition, response and escalation of care of the acutely unwell client.

Learning Outcomes

- Recognize and interpret signs and symptoms of respiratory impairment
- Identify clients at risk of, or who have clinically deteriorated
- Interpret the clinical significance of arterial blood gas analysis
- Recognize and respond to acutely ill and deteriorating adult patients in hospital
- Demonstrate systematic assessment of acutely unwell adult
- Apply appropriate clinical decision-making skills in various clinical scenarios

Training Material

- Multimedia audio visual aids
- High fidelity maniking
- Assessment tools

Duration

6 hrs

No. of Participants per Instructor

15