

COPD Update for RHCPS

A course designed for Registered Health Care Professionals working in Primary Care

Key Information



Who training is for
Practice Nurses & Allied Health Professionals



Length of course
Half day



Per delegate cost
£95



Format of course
Live via Zoom



Dates of course
TBC



CPD Hours
4 hours

Course Summary



Our 'COPD Update for RHCPS' course provides Practice Nurses and other Registered Healthcare Professionals a refresher on the latest in COPD Diagnosis and Management in Primary Care.

Course Content



Latest Guidance on Diagnosis of COPD



Management Pathways



Optimising COPD Reviews



Assessment and Management of COPD Exacerbations



Resources and Continuing Education



Practical Case Studies and Complex Scenarios



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Detailed Course Description



This half-day workshop provides an update on COPD diagnosis and management for practice nurses and other allied registered healthcare professionals who have already completed initial COPD training. Participants will review current guidelines, revisit evidence-based diagnostic and treatment pathways, and sharpen their skills in assessing and managing COPD patients.

Developed in line with current UK National Standards and Guidelines (including those in England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland) and guidance from the NHS and NICE.

COPD Update for RHCPs: Core Modules

- **Latest Guidance on Diagnosis of COPD**
 - Reviewing updated diagnostic criteria
 - Discussing the role of diagnostic tools
- **Management Pathways**
 - Review of NICE guidelines on COPD
 - Updates in latest treatment options
- **Optimising COPD Reviews**
 - Identifying key components of a comprehensive COPD review
 - Assessing COPD management and identifying areas for improvement
 - Review of developing tailored action plans
 - Enhancing patient empowerment and self-management
- **Assessment and Management of COPD Exacerbations**
 - Refresher on recognising signs of acute exacerbations
 - Updates on implementing appropriate management strategies for acute COPD episodes
- **Resources and Continuing Education**
 - Review of resources and opportunities for continuing professional development
- **Practical Case Studies and Complex Scenarios**
 - Discussion on complex case studies and scenarios
 - Opportunity for Q&A discussion

Course Alignment

This course has been developed in line with the following guidelines:

NICE guidelines [NG115] Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease in over 16s: diagnosis and management
<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng115>

Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease [GOLD]
<https://goldcopd.org/>

Managing Malnutrition in COPD
<https://www.malnutritionpathway.co.uk/copd>