



Venepuncture

Course Description

The venepuncture qualification consists of a mixture of theory and practical application of techniques. Clients are requested to ensure that the training room supplied is suitable for theory delivery (i.e. a TV or suitably clear wall for the projector) and the practical element (enough space to allow the delegates to conduct the practical element with the models in designated areas).

Learning Outcomes

- Define venepuncture and list the reasons for undertaking this clinical procedure
- Identify the relevant anatomy & physiology for venepuncture
- State the legal and professional considerations for venepuncture
- Demonstrate the correct practice relating to the handling of sharps and safe systems of work including infection control
- Recall the potential complications that could arise from venepuncture
- Recognise the different systems that organisations use for venepuncture and list their differences
- Apply the theoretical learning into a simulated practical and competency assessment

Number of delegates

Up to 12 maximum

Who is this suitable for?

This CPD accredited course is ideal for those people supporting service users living with conditions that require them to provide regular blood samples for medical purposes. This course requires the delegates to complete simulated practices until the instructor is satisfied of simulated competence.

The delivery of this course is supported with competence paperwork for the delegates to return to their workplace to ensure full competence before sign off



- RGN
- RMN
- LD Nurses
- Senior HCA/Support workers/HCA