

Health Care

WISCONSIN INDIANHEAD TECHNICAL COLLEGE



Spring Classes 2012

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Nurses/Certified Medical Assistant/Healthcare Professionals Continuing Education

These classes are approved for CEUs certified medical assistants through AAMA.

ITV to Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, and Superior

Interactive Television (ITV) - WITC offers courses at a variety of convenient locations throughout the district over an interactive television (ITV) network.

Motivational Interviewing in Health Care

Learn the spirit of motivational interviewing along with the core skills and motivational interviewing strategies. This workshop will include demonstrations of motivational interviewing and communications exercises. In Person at Ashland(24461), ITV to New Richmond(24462), Rice Lake (24463), and Superior(24464).

Jan 24 / Tu 6 -9p \$29/\$17.81 (62 or better)

Current Issues in Adolescent Health

What is adolescence? Why is adolescent health important? What are our youth doing? How can you, as a nurse, communicate with them and their parents. Ages, thought processes, biological/cognitive development, and hot topics will be discussed along with the nurse's role. In Person at New Richmond(24466), ITV to Ashland (24467), Rice Lake (24470), and Superior (24471).

Feb 22 / W 6 -9p \$29/\$17.81 (62 or better)

Fetal Alcohol

What exactly are Fetal Alcohol Syndrome (FAS) and Fetal Alcohol Effect (FAE)? How are they diagnosed? Understand the strength, compassion, and spirit of these individuals and their families as they cope with the disorder and attempt to live life to the fullest. Secondary disorders, caused by the main disorder, will be discussed. In Person at New Richmond (25702), ITV to Ashland, Rice Lake, and Superior.

Feb 29 - Mar 7 / W 7 - 9p \$29/\$17.81 (62 or better)

PTSD

Do you know someone with PTSD or have you cared for patients with PTSD? Learn what PTSD is and what the warning signs are. Learn how to relate to those with the disorder and how family members can best support their loved ones. Understand the concept of Generational PTSD and how it continually affects the individuals generations later. In Person at New Richmond (25722), ITV to Ashland (25726), Rice Lake (25729), and Superior (25731).

Mar 21/ W 6 - 9p \$29/\$17.81 (62 or better)

Prescription Drug Abuse

Learn how health professionals can work together to decrease prescription drug abuse. Discussion will include which drugs are abused the most and how to identify patients who abuse prescription drugs along with prescription drug monitoring systems and preventing prescription drug overdose deaths. In Person at Ashland (24492), ITV to New Richmond (24494), Rice Lake (24493), and Superior (24495).

Apr 10 / Tu 6 - 9p \$29/\$17.81 (62 or better)

Spanish for Health Care

You will learn Spanish phrases, commands, and questions needed by non-Spanish speaking Health Care Professionals where Spanish speaking patients are present. In this class, you will be able to obtain basic information and history about the patient, perform physical assessment including vital signs, honor patient requests, and assist in emergency situations and perform routine procedures. In Person at New Richmond (25610), ITV to Ashland (25611), Rice Lake (25612), Superior (25613).

Apr 24 - May 15 / Tu 6:30 - 8:30p \$49/\$26.63 (62 or better)

Providing Comfort at the End of Life

To comfort always: pain management in palliative and hospice care. Discussion will include causes of death and social trends, barriers to quality care at the end of life, hospice care, palliative care, maintaining hope in the midst of death and managing pain at the end of life. In person at Superior (24496), ITV to Ashland (24499), New Richmond (24498), Rice Lake (24497).

May 8 / Tu 6 - 9p 29/\$17.81 (62 or better)



CMA CE Conference

This conference is designed to enhance the learning of CMA working in area health facilities and provide new information on current trends in health care. This conference has been approved by the AAMA 6 CEU's. Lunch included

Apr 14 / Sa 8a - 3:30p New Richmond (24513)

Cost: \$49/\$32.22 (62 or better)

Cardiac Rhythm Interpretation

We will review the components of a normal cardiac rhythm and use a systematic approach to identify Sinus, atrial, junctional (including heart blocks) and ventricular rhythms. The participants will identify the normal components of a cardiac rhythm. Interpret rhythm strips showing sinus, atrial, junctional, AV blocks and ventricular rhythms. Light snack is included.

Apr 19/Thu 8a - 12p New Richmond (25171)

Cost: \$49/\$37.81 (62 or better)

12 Lead ECG Interpretation

We will quickly cover the components of a normal 12 Lead ECG. We will then review the changes on the 12 lead ECG that occur with a variety of conditions including, Acute coronary syndrome, pericarditis, electrolyte imbalance, pre-excitation, bundle branch block, etc. The participant will identify 12 lead markers for right and left bundle branch blocks and aberrancy block. Describe the location, reflective and reciprocal leads and 12 lead markers for myocardial ischemia, injury and infarction, and identify ECG changes that occur with various clinical conditions. Light snack included.

Apr 19/Thurs 1-5p

WITC - New Richmond (25163)

Cost: \$49/\$37.81 (62 or better)

HOW DO I REGISTER?

- Online at witc.edu (click on Classfinder)
- In person at WITC Rice Lake, New Richmond, Ashland, or Superior, Student Services.
- By phone using a credit card. We accept VISA, MasterCard, and Discover.
- By Mail – Send your registration in by mail with payment to the campus which you plan to attend:

WITC Ashland
2100 Beaser Ave
Ashland, WI 54806

WITC-New Richmond
1019 South Knowles Ave
New Richmond, WI 54017

WITC-Rice Lake
1900 College Drive
Rice Lake, WI 54868

WITC Superior
600 North 21st Street
Superior, WI 54880

Nurse Professional Development Day

Just for nurses: a dynamic agenda filled with important topics facing today's nurses. Some of the topics include: bullying in the workforce, compassion fatigue, how nurses can become more politically active, and the workforce forecast for nurses in Wisconsin. Online BSN nursing degree program representatives available. Door prizes, good food, and great opportunity to network.

Apr 26 / Thu 8a - 4:30 p

Flat Creek Eatery in Hayward (20907)

Cost: \$49/\$26.63 (62 or better)

Poverty Conference

People in Crisis: Poverty Conference. Join us for an interactive Poverty simulation in the morning led by the Wisconsin State Public Defenders office, with a resource panel and guest speakers in the afternoon. The focus will be on living in poverty and will give participants a better understanding of what it might feel like to live with little or no income trying to meet their own and their family's basic needs. This conference is specifically designed for professionals that work in healthcare and related fields. Lunch is included.

Mar 27 / Tu 8:30a - 3:30p Rice Lake (25043)

Cost: \$25/\$8.22 (62 or better)

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