

The Sepsis e-learning programme

Helping healthcare professionals to identify, manage and treat sepsis early



- Relevant to all healthcare professionals
- Highly interactive content, with videos, case studies and questions
- Convenient online access

This wide-ranging e-learning programme is designed to help healthcare professionals spot the early signs of sepsis, provide timely treatment and, ultimately, save lives.

Written by leading clinical experts, the programme has been developed in conjunction with several Royal Colleges and professional bodies in the UK. So, it meets the highest quality and training standards.

You can access this resource online and study anywhere, at any time – fitting the learning around your busy working life.

key features at a glance

- **High-quality content**
The content has been written by leading subject-matter experts in the UK. It is regularly updated to reflect the latest clinical developments and best practice.
- **Interactive and engaging**
You can use various interactive features, such as videos, case studies and questions, which help to foster deeper understanding on the key themes involved.
- **A multi-professional resource**
The programme is suitable for hospital clinicians, general practitioners, nurses, paramedics, community midwives and pharmacists.
- **Real clinical scenarios**
You can view clinical details and observations for virtual patients and build your skills in recognising and managing the condition.
- **Flexible learning**
You can use this e-learning alongside face-to-face learning or as a standalone resource. Each bite-sized learning session takes around 20 to 30 to complete.
- **Accessible 24/7**
Since the programme is available online, you can study at your own pace, around your work commitments – without having to take time out of the workplace.

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The global picture

Sepsis is a potentially life-threatening condition that can affect the very old and young alike.

Globally, the incidence of sepsis is increasing, with around 30 million* people affected by the condition each year. Prompt recognition and treatment of sepsis is key to reducing mortality and morbidity. However, the symptoms can be very difficult to detect.

This e-learning programme is designed to help clinicians spot the signs and deliver fast, effective treatment to people affected by the condition. It covers a very wide range of themes, including sepsis in children, the elderly and complex issues such as maternity and neutropenia.

* World Health Organization

The content is highly interactive – with images, videos, animations and questions, which help to embed learning and understanding.

Real-life patient stories

You can complete numerous case study exercises – viewing clinical data and medical histories for patients.

There are also very moving interviews with the parents of children affected by sepsis – helping you to put the learning into a real-world context.

You can track your progress online and produce a certificate on completion of each module. This can be included in your training or CPD portfolio as evidence of your learning. You can study at your own pace – dipping into the content and returning to any modules as many times as needed.

The Sepsis e-learning programme is an essential learning resource that will help you to play your part in improving the diagnoses of the condition and ensuring positive outcomes for patients.

PURCHASE NOW

“Sepsis is a hugely important topic in both children and adults and this new educational resource, which is available to all health and social care professionals, can help improve diagnoses and treatment rates for patients.”

Wendy Reid, Director of Education and Quality and National Medical Director for Health Education England

course content

The programme is arranged into three modules, which are divided into smaller learning sessions:

• Sepsis and Primary Care

- Overview of Sepsis
- Adult Sepsis
- Childhood Sepsis
- Complex Sepsis Issues and Future Developments
- Sepsis, Care Homes and the Frail Elderly

• Sepsis in Secondary Care

This module draws together dedicated learning content on sepsis

from our *Acute Medicine, e-Learning Anaesthesia, Foundation and Surgery* programmes:

- Definitions of Sepsis
- Assessment and Differential Diagnosis of Sepsis
- Management of the Septic Patient
- Pathophysiology of Sepsis and Multiple Organ Failure
- Pathophysiology of Sepsis
- Managing Sepsis

• Sepsis in Paediatrics

Children can be more susceptible to developing sepsis than others.

This case-based module is aimed at supporting healthcare professionals in the recognition and treatment of sepsis in children. It involves the stories of three children, their assessment, experiences and treatment. This module takes the form of a series of videos.

