Care of the Individual with Neurogenic Bowel Dysfunction – Knowledge and Skills study day

Course: Neurogenic Bowel Dysfunction – ‘Bowel Management’

Dates: 11 February 2020, 5 May 2020, 8 September 2020, 17 November 2020
NB: Please see Neurogenic Bladder Management days for 2020, running the day before.

‘Early bird’ discount of £30 if bowel and bladder study days are booked at the same time. (Total cost £270)

Cost: £150.00 (Buffet Lunch provided)
Venue: Seminar Room 2 National Spinal Injuries Centre, Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, HP21 8AL.

Registration: 8.30 for 9.00 a.m. start
Close: Approx. 4.00 p.m.

This study day primarily explores the effect of neurogenic bowel dysfunction following Spinal Cord Injury/cauda equina syndrome, but with individualised assessment can be of benefit to other neurological conditions. It is aimed at trained nursing staff but we will not exclude others as long as they are involved in the providing or provision of bowel care to this client group.

Topics include:
• revision on how injury affects the central nervous system, ‘level of injury’
• function of the gut pre and post injury
• the effects of diet on stool consistency
• complications including autonomic dysreflexia
• discussion of the need and role play on the ‘model bottom’ of digital interventions including Digital rectal examination(DRE), Digital rectal stimulation(DRS) and Digital removal of faeces(DRF)

Please note that, although it provides comprehensive knowledge and practice on a model, competencies will need to be signed off locally.

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