

NEONATAL RESUSCITATION PROGRAM (NRP): RECERTIFICATION

PURPOSE: This program provides/enhances the participant's knowledge and skills in the management of newborn resuscitation.

- OBJECTIVES:**
1. Describe the changes in physiology that occurs when a baby is born.
 2. Discuss the initial steps in newborn resuscitation.
 3. Demonstrate the correct use of resuscitative devices for Positive-Pressure Ventilation
 4. Perform chest compressions correctly.
 5. State the indications for endotracheal intubation.
 6. List the necessary equipment for intubation.
 7. Demonstrate the intubation procedure.
 8. Discuss the indications and method of administration of medications given during resuscitation of the newborn.
 9. Explain special situations that may complicate resuscitation and cause ongoing problems in the newborn.
 10. Discuss risk factors and management of the preterm newborn.
 11. Discuss the ethical principles associated with starting and stopping neonatal resuscitation.

TARGET AUDIENCE: NICU Nurses, Physicians, RNs, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, Clinical Nurse Specialists

PREREQUISITES: Current BLS and Current NRP

FACILITATORS: Marcia Warner, RN, MSN (Program Leader)

2009 CLASS SCHEDULE:

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
May 20	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
June 17	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
July 21	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
August 19	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
September 15	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
October 21	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
November 24	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room
December 18	8 AM – 1PM	NS 35 Conference Room

CONTACT HOURS: None.

REGISTRATION: Please call Nursing Education/Institute of Continuous Learning at 718-270-2983 Monday – Friday between 8:30AM and 5PM.