

## Bowel care

### Is this course suitable for you or your organisation?

This course is available:

- on the scheduled dates below or please enquire
- for group bookings at your venue or ours and can be customised to suit your organisation's learning needs.

### Why choose this course?

This course is recommended for employees who, as part of their work role, assist clients with the administration of prescribed rectal medications (suppositories and enemas). This course will equip participants with the knowledge, skills and practical training to safely and effectively administer rectal medication.

### For Cerebral Palsy Alliance Employees

- At Cerebral Palsy Alliance this is a compulsory activity for all employees who assist clients with their prescribed rectal medications.
- **Prerequisites** - Cerebral Palsy Alliance employees must have completed the online modules for **Assist with medication** and **Infection prevention and control**; attended the **Practical skills workshop for disability support practitioners and managers** and read the Medication Policy NS6-5-4.
- Cerebral Palsy Alliance employees are exempt from the course fee.

### What content does the course cover?

This course provides participants with the essential knowledge, skills and practical training required to safely and effectively assist clients with their prescribed rectal medications (suppositories and enemas). The content of this course includes:

- Basic anatomy and physiology of the digestive system
- Factors that encourage and promote bowel health for people with disability
- Commonly prescribed bowel medications and their safe administration
- Safe work practices to prevent and control infection
- Demonstration and practical experience
- Troubleshooting common contingencies
- Documentation

### Does the program have any prerequisites?

**All participants must have attended medication training prior to attending the session.**

### Course completion requires:

Successful completion of this course requires participant to be involved in learning activities, class discussion and practical skills training in simulated workplace scenarios. Participants' knowledge and practical skills in assisting clients with their prescribed rectal medications are reviewed during the course.

### What is the cost?

**Cost:** \$190 incl. GST for individuals

### How long is the course?

**Duration:** Half day

**Time:** Please see scheduled times or enquire below

BYO lunch

Where can I get more information?

**Contact:** The Training Alliance team

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Cancellation conditions apply

## February 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Mon 18	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Croudace Bay

## March 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Tue 05	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde
Thu 21	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Allambie

## June 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Mon 03	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde
Mon 17	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Prairiewood

## July 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Fri 05	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde
Thu 11	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde

## August 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Wed 28	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde

## September 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Thu 12	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Allambie
Wed 25	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Prairiewood

## October 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Wed 02	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde
Mon 28	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde

## November 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Fri 08	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde
Wed 13	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Allambie

## December 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Tue 03	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde
Mon 16	Bowel care	1:00PM	4:30PM	Ryde