



Triage Refresher

This course is designed to provide those experienced in the triage role with a refresher of the guidelines and recommendations from relevant professional bodies for the triage of patients in the emergency department. The course will involve discussion of ATS categories, performance indicators, applying the ATS to scenarios including special populations and medico-legal issues within the role. The course is comprised of approximately eight hours of optional pre-reading and eight hours face-to-face (F2F) time for a total of 16 CPD hours.

Who is this course for?

- ✓ Registered nurses working in the emergency department with triage experience wanting a refresher
- ✓ Other emergency clinicians (junior doctors, paramedics) wanting to increase knowledge and understanding of triage processes and guidelines
- ✓ Anyone else who has an interest in the triage process

What you will study

At course completion, participants should be able to:

- ✓ Clearly define the role and responsibilities of the triage nurse/officer
- ✓ Differentiate the ATS categories and their criteria
- ✓ Discuss the current triage guidelines and recommendations from relevant professional bodies concerning emergency department triage
- ✓ Discuss minimum triage assessment and documentation standards and workshop examples
- ✓ Analyse red flags for common presenting complaints and considerations for special populations (paediatric, obstetrics, trauma, sepsis, mental health)
- ✓ Discuss strategies and barriers to maintaining safety of patients in the waiting room
- ✓ Apply the ATS to a wide range of patient scenarios including high risk and special populations (trauma, paediatrics, obstetrics, sepsis, mental health) and justify ATS allocation

Registrations are now open for 2024 courses

DATES	TIME
Wednesday 7th February	0830-1630
Tuesday 16th July	AWST
Tuesday 29th October	
LOCATION	COST
Online	\$275 (in GST)
	CPD HOURS
	16 hours

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