

Intensive Insulin Therapy – pumps and beyond

An interprofessional diabetes module

Level 6 – Code: 6KNIN363/Level 7 – Code: 7KNIN029
15 credits

Developed for health care professionals with an interest in intensive insulin therapy for patients with type 1 diabetes and designed by an internationally recognised team led by Professor Stephanie Amiel and Professor John Pickup, this module is suitable for diabetes doctors, DSNs and diabetes dietitians.

This diabetes module focuses on the theory and practicalities of intensive insulin therapy:

- Principles of structured education for type 1 diabetes
- Principles of insulin therapies
- Carbohydrate counting
- CSII (pump therapy)
- Real time monitoring
- Closed loop systems

The module is based on independent web based learning that is integrated with the face-to-face sessions. You can access a broad range of learning materials via the computer, accessible either within the college or at home. These materials are organised so that you can study independently in tandem with the taught elements of the course. Thus, you can study flexibly with only around 20% of the learning taking place in the classroom. In essence the web-structure guides you through each stage of the module to support you in achieving your learning objectives.

The module commences in January 2010 and is available as a free standing course, attendance only course and as part of an MSc. The attendance dates are 15 January, 11 and 12 March 2010.

How to Apply

Download an application form from www.kcl.ac.uk/schools/nursing/study/qualified/applicants.html and submit by 11 December 2009.

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