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LVAD BASICS

LVAD Care in Community-Based
Medical Settings

Thursday, April 17, 2014



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What You Need
to Know.

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University Conference Center

Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center
500 University Drive, Hershey, PA 17033

AUDIENCE

The following can benefit from attending:
RNs, LPNs, NPs, PAs, MAs, EMTs and other
medical team members from settings including
emergency medical services in the field,
long-term acute care facilities, and skilled
nursing facilities.

OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants
should be able to:

- Demonstrate how to change the controller on Heartware and Heartmate II devices
- Demonstrate how to change power sources on Heartware and Heartmate II devices
- Demonstrate how to perform an LVAD drive line dressing change
- Describe LVAD hemodynamics
- Identify LVAD basic indications/contraindications, components, and goal of therapy
- Discuss the elements of daily routine care and lifestyle changes care associated with a patient living with an LVAD
- Identify unique elements of emergency care and appropriate interventions

PURPOSE

This program is designed to provide didactic and hands-on education related to the care of left ventricular assist device (LVAD) patients residing in the community setting.

PROFESSIONAL CREDIT

- ▶ 1.5 PSNA Contact Hours
- ▶ 1.5 EMS (EMT-P, PHRN)
Continuing Education Credit

1.5 contact hours awarded.

Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center, Nursing Education and Professional Development is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by PA State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This course has been registered with the Pennsylvania Department of Health for **1.5 hours of EMS (EMT-P, PHRN) continuing education credit**. Students are required to complete necessary paperwork at the course site.

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AGENDA

Two identical sessions will be offered, one in the morning and one in the afternoon.

MORNING—SESSION 1 7:30 AM–11:30 AM

7:30 – Registration

8:00

Introduction Lecture
Tina Kline, RN, PCN

9:00 – Break

9:15 – 11:15

- Rotate Stations (30 minutes each)
- Heartmate II power sources/controller
- Heartware power sources/controller
- Dressing change
- Basic care/emergency care
- Test

11:30 Program Evaluation/Adjournment

AFTERNOON—SESSION 2 12:00 NOON–4:00 PM

12:00 – Registration

12:30

Introduction Lecture
Tina Kline, RN, PCN

1:30 – Break

1:45 – 3:45

- Rotating Stations (30 minutes each)
- Heartmate II power sources/controller
- Heartware power sources/controller
- Dressing change
- Basic care/emergency care
- Test

4:00 – Program Evaluation/Adjournment

FACULTY

Tina Kline, RN, PCN

Mechanical Circulatory Support
Heart Transplant Coordinator
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REGISTRATION

Register online, by fax, or by mail.

Registration is requested by:
▶ **April 13, 2014**

If you do not receive a confirmation within two weeks, call 717-531-6483 to confirm your registration. Walk-ins and late registrations will be accepted if space is available.

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FEE

There is no fee for this program but registration is required.

I will attend:

- Morning—Session 1
- Afternoon—Session 2

Name (Please print) Male Female

Degree(s)/Credentials

Email Address (Print legibly. Used for confirmation, registration status, and program materials.)

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