

HD112: INITIAL CONTACT—RECOGNITION, AVOIDANCE, ISOLATION & NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES

This course reviews the steps necessary to properly recognize a contaminated individual, how to limit the risk of secondary exposure, and the procedure for implementing the hospital's emergency response plan.

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Introduction & Course Objectives

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How Does Contamination Occur?

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Secondary Contamination

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How to Recognize a Contaminated Patient

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Recognition

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Avoidance

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Isolation

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Notification

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Goal of Decontamination

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When a Contaminated Patient Arrives

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Stay with the Patient

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Could You Properly Handle a Patient?

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Remove Clothing

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Soap and Water Decontamination

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Offer Decontamination Support

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Your Responsibility

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Conclusion