

Course Objectives for the Oregon Burn Center Education and Outreach Programs

Course Title: Burn Wound Care

Course Goals: Student will show increased knowledge on how to care for burn injuries that do not require transfer and for wounds after discharge from OBC.

Audience: Medical Providers, home health, long term care, doctor office, disaster preparation groups

Objectives	Content for Each Objective	Time Frame
1. Learner will be able to recognize different types of burn injuries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A&P of the skin • Functions of the skin • Superficial • Partial thickness • Full thickness • Healing timeline • Scar formation 	Dependent upon the needs of the class and time frame scheduled
2. Learner will be able to list steps for burn wound daily dressing change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Premedicate • Easy removal of dressing • Assessment of old dressing • Assessment of wound • Clean vs. sterile technique • Washing of wound • Debridement • Application of topical medications • Redress the wound • Splints, pressure garments • Patient instructions 	
3. Learner will be able to recognize 3 indicators to call a physician	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cellulitis • Edema • Fever • Redness • Foul odor • Increased Pain • Contact the clinic 	

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Objectives	Content for Each Objective	Time Frame
<p>4. Learner will be able to identify nutritional and environmental needs of a burn patient</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean environment • Increased protein intake • Daily shower • Special accommodations at work if necessary • Rehab • Support system 	
<p>5. Prevention of burn injuries</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Statistics • Home hazards • Common causes of burn injuries in the different age groups. • Simple prevention techniques 	