

Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences

General Radiography: Introduction to the Principles and Practice

Department of Medical Imaging
and Radiation Sciences



A distributed learning program for general practitioners practicing in rural areas with a need for a local GP provided X-ray service.

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Course structure

The course takes the form of a series of seven distributed (self-learning) modules and a two-day hands-on workshop at Monash University, Clayton. Course materials will be posted four weeks prior to the workshop.

Workshop dates in 2012

Saturday 19 May
(Wangaratta Base Hospital)
to Sunday 20 May
(Wangaratta Base Hospital)

and

Saturday 1 September
(Maroondah Hospital)
to Sunday 2 September
(Maroondah Hospital)

Assessment

Registrants will complete a *GP Clinical Radiography Record Book* and practical decision making exercises after the workshop. In addition, registrants will sit a short open-book exam prior to completion of the course. NB: Assessment will be completed off-campus, in your home region.

Course materials

The course package comprises of:

- course notes divided into seven modules;
- a CD of reject radiographs;
- a CD of radiographic anatomy and pathology;
- the text book *Accident and Emergency Radiology: A Survival Guide* by Nigel Raby, Laurence Berman, Gerald de Lacey, second edition. Philadelphia: Elsevier/Saunders, 2005; and
- the GP Clinical Radiography Record Book.

Course recognition

The course is:

- recognised for the purpose of awarding Use Licence for general practitioners in Victoria;
- recognised by ACRRM for QA and CME and;
- recognised by RACGP for CPD points and a two day grant in emergency medicine.

Admission criteria and fees

Applicants must be general practitioners practicing in rural areas with an RRMA two to seven.

Course fees: A\$2000

NB: General practitioners in RRMA three to seven, Victoria, can apply for a registration fee subsidy through the Department of Human Services. This will be a 50 per cent or 70 per cent subsidy depending on whether there is support from the local health service or division. Please see the following link for further details: www.rwav.com.au/support/support_grants.asp

NB: General practitioners in other states may be eligible for similar subsidies. Please see the relevant link below for further details:

www.nswrdn.com.au
www.wacrrm.uwa.edu.au
www.healthworkforce.com.au
www.ruraldoc.com.au
www.gptasmania.com.au
www.gpphcnt.org.au/www/index.cfm
www.arrwag.com.au/site/index.cfm

Registration form

Tax invoice

I would like to register for the 'General Radiography: Introduction to the Principles and Practice' course in:

May

September

Surname _____

Given name(s) _____

Home address _____

Suburb _____

State _____ Postcode _____

Email _____

Clinic _____

Work phone _____

Mobile _____ Fax _____

QA and CPD number _____

Payment details

I wish to pay by:

Cheque (payable to Monash University)

Credit card

Visa Mastercard Diners

Please charge my credit card for \$ _____

Card number _____

Name on card _____

Expiry _____

CCV (last 3 digits on back of card above signature) _____

Signature _____

This registration form must be received at least six weeks prior to workshop dates. No refunds are available after course materials have been posted. Program is subject to change.

Please return this form with payment of registration to:

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