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Lives

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Private Duty Nursing Contractor's Meeting

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Overview:

- **PDN Success**
- **PDN Trainings Available**
- **Contract Monitoring**
- **Intro to RN Oversight for LPNs**
- **Special Guests From Washington State Board of Nursing: RN Oversight**
- **Questions & Answers**

Training Opportunities

Trach Safe Emergency Airway Management Course:

[Click Here For Information on This Training](#)

Seattle Children's Pulmonary and Otolaryngology Departments, Home Care Services, and Outreach Education present

Trach Safe Emergency Airway Management Course



The goal of Seattle Children's Trach Safe EAM course is to educate healthcare professionals to prepare, practice and prevent airway emergencies in a child with a tracheostomy. Participants will be actively engaged in an immersive educational experience in a safe environment for learners to ask questions, refine their skills and practice emergency care through return demonstration and simulation scenario-based learning.

Course Overview

Through didactic lectures, learners will be given an overview of upper respiratory anatomy, common pathology, indications, and complications of tracheostomies in pediatric patients. Participants will then rotate through interactive simulation and skills practice including:

1. Equipment preparedness and patient safety in the home environment
2. Skills practice suctioning, changing a tracheostomy tube and airway ventilation for a child with a tracheostomy
3. Simulation scenarios with manikin.

Course Objectives

The learner will:

- Describe pediatric airway anatomy and indications for tracheostomy.
- Explain emergency airway tracheostomy assessment for the child showing signs of respiratory distress.
- Identify essential equipment and demonstrate how to standardize the patient care environment to prepare for airway emergencies.
- Demonstrate effective emergency tracheostomy management for the child who has an accidental decannulation and a child with an obstructed tube.
- Discuss and share tips for improving vigilance to prevent emergencies.

Who Will Benefit Most from Attending This Course

Nurses in-home care and school settings. RN and LPN are welcomed!

Please note that this is not a certification course.

Course Dates

2/21/23
6/5/23
8/28/23
11/27/23

Check-in opens: 3:30pm
Course time: 4:00pm – 9:00 pm

Seattle Children's Sandpoint Learning Center
5801 Sand Point Way NE
Seattle, WA 98105

Contract Monitoring

Why?

How often?

How can I prepare?

What if I have questions?

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PDN Oversight Interest

- Am I a good fit?
- What steps do I need to take to be considered?



PDN Oversight Continued...

- Why is PDN oversight so important?



WAC 388-106-1025

Who can provide my PDN services?

PDN services can be provided by:

(1) A home health agency licensed by the Washington state department of health chapter [246-335](#) WAC that has a contract with the medicaid agency to provide PDN services; or

(2) A Washington state licensed RN, or LPN under the direction of an RN who has a contract with the medicaid agency to provide PDN services and meets the requirements set forth in WAC [388-106-1040](#).

PDN Oversight Continued...

WAC 388-106-1040

What requirements must an RN, or LPN under the supervision of an RN, meet in order to provide and get paid for my PDN services?

In order to be paid by the department, a private RN under the supervision of a primary care provider or an LPN under the supervision of an RN, must:

- (1) Be licensed and in good standing, as provided in RCW [18.79.030](#) (1) (3);
- (2) Have a contract with the medicaid agency to provide PDN services;
- (3) Complete a background check which requires fingerprinting if the RN or LPN has lived in Washington state less than three years;
- (4) Have no conviction for a disqualifying crime, as provided in RCW [43.43.830](#) and [43.43.842](#) and WAC [388-71-0500](#) through [388-71-05640](#) series;
- (5) Have no finding of fact and conclusion of law (stipulated or otherwise), agreed order, or final order issued by a disciplining authority, a court of law, or entered into a state registry with a finding of abuse, neglect, abandonment or exploitation of a minor or vulnerable adult;
- (6) Provide services according to the care plan under the supervision/direction of the primary care provider;
- (7) Document all PDN services provided by the care plan as required by WAC [182-502-0020](#) and [246-840-700](#);
- (8) Meet provider requirements under WAC [388-71-0510](#), [388-71-0515](#), [388-71-0540](#), [388-71-0551](#), and [388-71-0556](#);
- (9) Complete time sheets on a monthly basis;
- (10) Complete the PDN seven-day look back skilled nursing task log and submit it to the CNC or NCC for review for initial eligibility determination, and for ongoing eligibility every six months; and
- (11) Submit timely and accurate invoices for payment.

Special Guest Presentation from Washington State Board of Nursing (WABON) Washington State Department of Health



- Debbie Carlson, Nurse Practice Advisor
- Margaret Holm Nurse Practice Consultant
- Shana Johnny Nurse Practice Consultant

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