

Community Beds and Pressure Area Care

Overview:

This one day course begins with an introduction to the Invacare® bed range, closely looking at community loan and nursing home beds through to high specification beds designed for long term supported care environments. This will follow with an interactive seminar, discussing aetiology of the skin in relation to pressure area care and provide practical information to assist with equipment selection. Risk assessment in relation to the prevention of pressure ulcers and improvement of clinical outcomes will also be discussed. The day will end with a hands-on workshop, allowing attendees to closely look at Invacare's bed and pressure area care equipment.

Course Content:

- Introduction to the Invacare® bed range
- Aetiology and grading of pressure ulcers
- Areas at risk from pressure damage
- Application of relevant pressure ulcer assessment tools
- Risk assessment
- Health & safety
- Technical characteristics of Beds and Pressure Area Care products
- Hands on workshop

Who will benefit from the course?

- * Tissue Viability Nurses
- * Community Nurses
- * Infection Control Nurses
- * Link Nurses
- * Community Equipment Co-ordinators
- * Discharge Liaison staff
- * Invacare® Dealers
- * Hospice Managers
- * Care and Residential Home Managers

Course Level: Basic

Price: Free of charge