

Gastric POCUS



AUSTRALASIA'S FIRST DEDICATED GASTRIC POINT-OF-CARE ULTRASOUND (POCUS) COURSE

MONDAY, 24 JUNE 2019

FRIDAY, 18 OCTOBER 2019

A “full stomach” is a major risk factor for aspiration under sedation or anaesthesia, with the lack of an objective tool to assess gastric content limiting risk assessment to patient history alone. Gastric POCUS is an emerging point-of-care tool that provides objective information on gastric content and volume. It is a brief, focused procedure performed at the bedside, and allows the clinician to make a more informed decision for the safe care of their patient.

“A valuable diagnostic tool for clinicians practicing in anaesthesia, emergency medicine, or intensive care. This should be routine practice.”

The POCUS North Shore gastric ultrasound course is more than just a ‘scan-and-go’ workshop. It is a comprehensive structured course designed to help participants be competent at performing and interpreting gastric point-of-care ultrasound.

2019 Dates: Monday, 24 Jun 2019 (0800-1630)
Friday, 18 Oct 2019 (0800-1630)

Venue: Whenua Pupuke Education Centre
North Shore Hospital, Auckland

Course fee: NZ\$995 (GST incl.)

Email application form to register



- Full-day hands-on course
- Multiple scanning sessions
- Immediate feedback
- Scan different gastric states
- Image interpretation session
- Formative assessments
- Comprehensive handbook
- Post-course scanning to certify competency



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Gastric POCUS Course

Registration Form

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Applicant Details

Full name: _____

Preferred first name: _____

Hospital / Institution: _____

Primary specialty: _____

Position (e.g. Specialist, Trainee): _____

Mobile phone number: (+_____) _____

Email: _____

Postal address: _____

Special dietary requirements: _____

Course Details

Preferred course date: ☐ Monday, 24 June 2019
☐ Friday, 18 October 2019

Please submit via email to pocus.northshore@gmail.com

Course fees are NZ \$995 (inclusive of GST). **Please make payment to: Pupuke Anaesthesia Trust, 03-0181-0013547-00 with 'yourlastname-POCUS' as reference.** A tax invoice / receipt will be emailed once this has been processed. Your place is confirmed only once payment has been made. Please note that course fees are non-refundable.

If you are unable to attend, please inform us in the earliest instance. We may be able to book you on an alternative course, if another paying applicant takes your place on the original course. By submitting this form, you are agreeing to these terms and conditions.