

# CPR + AED for healthcare providers 2025 course

## Introduction

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## Activity summary

- Activity title: CPR + AED for healthcare providers
- Release date: 2024-06-01
- Expiration date: 2027-05-31
- Estimated time to complete activity: 3 hours
- The exam includes 25 multiple choice questions, you must achieve 84% or better to pass.
- Course is compliant with Section 508 of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and includes text captioning for audio components.
- This course is accessible with any web browser.
- Jointly provided by Postgraduate Institute for Medicine and Pacific Medical Training.
- PIM Activity ID: 18519

## Target audience

This activity has been designed to meet the educational needs of physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, registered nurses, pharmacists and dentists involved in the care of patients who require cardiopulmonary resuscitation or automated external defibrillation.

## Educational objectives

*Participants in this program will be able to:*

- Explain the change in emphasis from airway and ventilation to compressions and perfusion.
- Select the correct order of interventions for the victim of cardiopulmonary arrest.

- List the steps required to safely operate an AED.
- Differentiate between adult and pediatric guidelines for CPR.
- Recognize the signs of someone needing CPR.
- Perform high-quality CPR for an adult.
- Perform high-quality CPR for a child.
- Perform high-quality CPR for an infant.
- Demonstrate the appropriate use of an AED.
- Provide effective ventilation by using a barrier device.
- Describe the importance of teams in multi-rescuer resuscitation.
- Perform as an effective team member during multi-rescuer CPR.

## Content planners/faculty

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## Types of CE credits available and eligibility requirements for each credit type

- **AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™**: Continuing Medical Education (CME) AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ credit is available to you if you are a Doctor of Medicine (MD) or Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine (DO). You must certify in your registration that you are an MD or DO to earn this type of CE credit.
- **Non-Physician Medical Professionals**: Designated for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ which is applicable to medical professionals who are not physicians, including chiropractors, paramedics, emergency medical technicians (EMT), etc.
- **ANCC CNE**: American Nurses Credentialing Center, the Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) credit is available to Nurses and Nurse Practitioners.

## Joint Accreditation Statement

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- Complete the post-test and evaluation online within 10 days of the activity.
- Upon successfully completing the post-test with a score of 84% or better and the activity evaluation, your certificate will be made available via email.

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