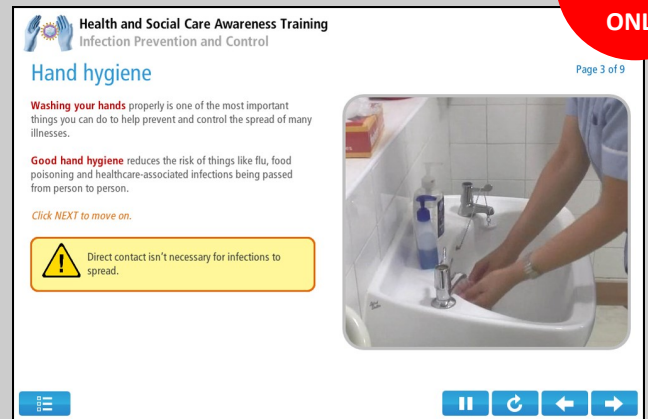
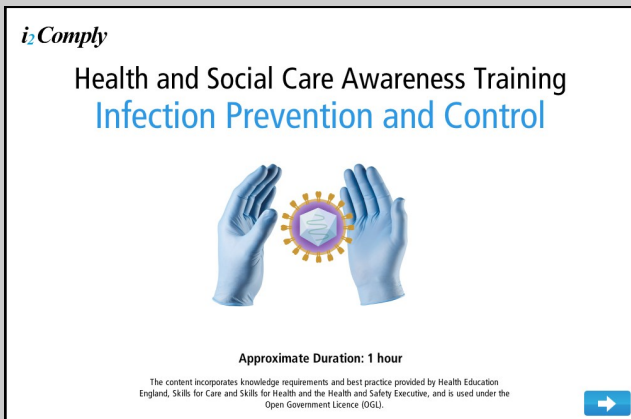


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## Infection Prevention and Control Awareness

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Our online Infection Prevention and Control awareness training will make you aware of the hazard posed by infections, the ways in which infections are spread and the precautions you can take to break the chain of infection.

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## Infection Prevention and Control Awareness

### THE NEED FOR INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL

- Why there is a high risk of illness and infection in healthcare and care home settings.
- How infection prevention and control falls within your and your employer's duty of care towards the people you care for.

### INFECTIONS AND THEIR CAUSES

- What is meant by the terms pathogen, host and outbreak.
- Examples of pathogenic organisms.
- The difference between infectious and non-infectious diseases.

### THE CHAIN OF INFECTION

- What is meant by the term chain of infection.
- The six links in the chain of infection.
- Examples of the route through which infections enter and exit a human host.

### OUTBREAKS OF INFECTION

- The symptoms of a fever.
- What is meant by an outbreak of infection.
- The steps that should be taken when an outbreak occurs.

### HAND HYGIENE

- Why good hand hygiene is essential.
- What is meant by the terms contamination and decontamination.
- The extent and type of contamination found on everyday items.
- Good hand decontamination technique.

### PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

- The purpose of PPE.
- Typical PPE used in your workplace.
- Your and your employer's responsibilities regarding PPE.
- Why your employer might offer you vaccinations.

### HANDLING WASTE

- Distinguish between hazardous and non-hazardous clinical waste.
- The name of the regulations that classify types of waste.
- How unwanted and out-of-date medicines should be disposed of.

### DISPOSAL OF SHARPS

- Examples of 'sharps'.
- Why sharps pose a particular risk.
- The precautions to take when disposing of used syringes and needles.
- The essential information that must be provided on a sharps bin.
- How sharps bins are disposed of.
- The best practice when handling sharps.
- The action to take if you suffer an injury from a sharp which may be contaminated.

### SOILED LINEN

- Why soiled linen must be decontaminated.
- The process for decontaminating soiled linen.

### PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- Your responsibility regarding vaccinations.
- The action to take if you suffer from sickness.
- The importance of personal hygiene in infection control.
- Why touching your hair, mouth and nose should be avoided.

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