

Nursing Spectrum: Courses Approved for LGH Congestive Heart Failure Hours

Course Number	Course Title	Course Objective
60103	A Nurse's Guide to Discharge Planning	Approved for 4 clock hours by Commission on Case Manager Certification from 1/1/07 through 12/31/09 and 1/15/10 through 12/31/10. The purpose of this course is to inform nurses about the discharge planning process so that they will provide effective discharge planning for their patients.
CE484	Are the Core Measures for Heart Failure a Part of Your Practice?	The goal of this program is to familiarize nurses with the evidence-based medicine guidelines and nursing priorities for heart failure assessment and management and to prepare them for site compliance with The Joint Commission's core measures for heart failure.
CE383-60	Blood Test, Drugs Boost Success in Managing Heart Failure	The goal of this program is to provide nurses with information about the incidence, etiology, pathophysiology, diagnosis, and pharmacologic management of heart failure, including the use of B-type natriuretic peptide (BNP) assay levels.
CE354-60	Disease Management Empowers Patients, Improves Lives	The purpose of this program is to provide nurses with information about disease management and how standardized practice guidelines are used to improve the quality of life for patients with chronic diseases.
CE123-60	Hemodynamics for the Bedside Nurse	The goal of this program is to update nurses' knowledge of hemodynamics and the appropriate interventions for treating problems affecting preload and afterload.
CE312-60	Hospice and Palliative Care: Right Patient, Right Time, Right Place	The goal of this program is to provide useful, practical information about hospice and palliative care that will assist nurses in all settings to determine which patients will benefit from and are eligible for either hospice or palliative care.
CE584	How Do You Mend a Broken Heart?	The purpose of this program is to inform nurses about the features of and the medical treatments and nursing interventions for stress cardiomyopathy (broken heart syndrome).
CE203-60	Obstructive Sleep Apnea in Adults	The goal of this program is to update clinicians' ability to identify symptoms and treatments for patients with obstructive sleep apnea.
CE214-60	Polypharmacy in the Elderly	The goal of this program is to update nurses' ability to recognize and prevent problems of polypharmacy in the elderly.

CE272-60	Targeting the Underlying Cause in the Assessment and Evidence-Based Management of Dyspnea	The goal of this program is to increase nurses' knowledge about four types of medications used to treat hypertension and improve cardiovascular and cerebrovascular health, and improve understanding of nursing implications associated with these medications.
60042	The ABCs of Blockers the Antihypertensive Agents	The goal of this program is to increase nurses' knowledge about four types of medications used to treat hypertension and improve cardiovascular and cerebrovascular health, and improve understanding of nursing implications associated with these medications.
CE533	The Hospitalized Older Adult Entering a Danger Zone	The purpose of this program is to provide nurses with information about the risks elderly adults face when they are admitted to an acute care hospital and the role that nurses have in reducing those risks.