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Approved by the Board of Nephrology Examiners Nursing & Technology (BONENT) Hemodialysis Education

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Designed to prepare for employment in the Hemodialysis industry as Certified Hemodialysis: Technician (CHT) • Biomedical Technician

(CHBT) • Nurse (CHN)

Hemodialysis cleans the blood of waste products and excess fluids by passing the blood through an artificial kidney, or dialyzer, for patients with end-stage renal disease.

Topics per Certification Type: Principles of Hemodialysis, Renal Anatomy and Physiology, Complications of Renal Failure, Renal Nutrition, Lab Work, Vascular Access Care, Infection Control Practices, Water Treatment, Dialyzer Reprocessing, Hemodialysis-Fresenius®-Machine setup, Operation, Disinfection, Management of Alarms, Electronics, Medical Emergencies, Patient Confidentiality, BCLS/CPR, Patient as The Customer, Fire and OSHA Safety, Ergonomics of Lifting, Professional Development, Working As a Team, Administration of Hemodialysis Medications, Anemia Management, Mineral Bone Management and Organ Transplantation.

Prerequisite: High School diploma (or equivalent) or official transcript.

Required Textbook: Core Curriculum for the Dialysis Technician: A Comprehensive Review of Hemodialysis, 5th Edition, Medical Education Institute, Inc.

Classes held at the CUNY Flushing Center: 39-07 Prince Street, Suite 2A

Students self-register for BONENT examination:
Additional \$220 for paper & pencil exam
or \$250 for computer based testing paid directly to
BONENT (CHT exam also available in Spanish)

Certified Hemodialysis Technician (CHT)

Responsible for providing direct patient care, monitoring the patient and hemodialysis machine, and perform safety checks on the equipment and systems.

AHX-173 28 sessions (94 hours) includes
BONENT exam review sessions / \$3,000

MWF-FL Mon., Wed., Fri., 7-10pm,
Feb. 27-May 5 (skip 4/10, 12, 14, 17), and;
Sat, 10am-7pm with 1-hour lunch break,
March 11 (BCLS/CPR class)
& 8-hour BONENT REVIEW TBA /
Internship: minimum 250 hours (If qualified)

Certified Hemodialysis Biomedical Technician (CHBT)

Responsible for maintaining and repairing the hemodialysis machines and water treatment system, inventory management, maintaining facility OSHA and fire safety regulations. Perform technical in-service of the hemodialysis team.

AHX- 177 15 sessions (55 hours) includes BONENT exam review sessions / \$2,000

MWF-FL Mon., Wed., Fri., 7-10pm,
Feb. 27-(ends Mon.) March 27, and;
Sat, 10am-7pm with 1-hour lunch break,
March 11 (BCLS/CPR class)
& 8-hour BONENT REVIEW TBA/
Internship: available (if qualified)

Certified Hemodialysis Nurse (CHN)

Responsible for overall patient care. Provide assessment of the patients and their laboratory results, administration of medications and IV solutions. LPNS/LVNS are eligible for the CHN examination upon completion of this BONENT Approved Program. **Additional Required Textbook:** Review of Hemodialysis for Nurses and Dialysis Personnel, 9th Edition by Judith Z. Kallenbach **Prerequisite:** A valid RN or LPN/LVN state license.

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Registration Info: Your mailed confirmation contains a map, directions, and course location.

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EMAIL-IN QCCContinuingEd@gcc.cuny.edu

Use Registration form with your signed MasterCard, VISA, Discover or Amex authorization.

FAX-IN 718.281.5538

Use Registration form with your signed MasterCard, VISA, Discover or Amex authorization.

MAIL-IN to the address indicated on Registration form

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- QCC Alumni with current ID Card (with \$20 registration fee waived)

Seniors 65 and above: 5% for less than \$150; 10% for \$150 and over

Note: Only one discount applicable per registrant. All discounts will be taken on tuition only. Certain programs are exempt from discounts (please refer to page listings). Excludes online courses. Not applicable for web-based registration: must call our office @ 718.631.6343 for discounts.

PAYMENTS No partial payments accepted. Cash payments no longer available

PERSONAL CHECKS Only accepted ten days prior to class start date.

PURCHASE ORDER & VOUCHERS For Employee Training.

Organizations enrolling staff for training and development purposes will be invoiced if a purchase order number is quoted.