

Alcohol Related Brain Damage



AIM

To be able to care effectively for those with Alcohol Related Brain Damage

DURATION

Half Day Course (3 Hours)

LEARNING OUTCOMES

By the end of this course, you will:

- Understand what Alcohol Related Brain Damage is
- Be aware of the causes of Alcohol Related Brain Damage
- Recognise the symptoms of Alcohol Related Brain Damage
- Be aware of the medical conditions that can lead to Korsakoff's
- Know how Korsakoff's is treated
- Understand what Wernicke's Encephalopathy is
- Recognise the symptoms of Wernicke's Encephalopathy
- Know how Wernicke's Encephalopathy is treated
- Be aware of the medication commonly prescribed to those with Alcohol Related Brain Damage
- Be aware of the complications of Alcohol Related Brain Damage
- Understand how to provide effective care for those with Alcohol Related Brain Damage

LESSONS AND TOPICS

Alcohol Related Brain Damage

- What is Alcohol Related Brain Damage?
- Statistics
- Causes
- Symptoms

Korsakoff's

- What is Korsakoff's?
- Symptoms
- Causes
- Treatment

Wernicke's Encephalopathy

- Functional areas of the Brain
- What is Wernicke's Encephalopathy
- Symptoms
- Treatment and Outlook

Alcoholic Dementia

- Causes
- Symptoms
- Treatment

Treatment of Alcohol Related Brain Damage

- Detoxification
- Medication
- Prognosis
- Complications

Caring for those with Alcohol Related Brain Damage

- Arrivals
- Nutrition and Hydration
- Abstinence
- Memory Loss
- Daily Tasks
- Mental Capacity