



Developing the clinical skills of Healthcare Professionals

In recognition of the national shortage of qualified respiratory nurses, NSHI has established an Academy to support Healthcare Professionals develop their clinical skills to improve healthcare delivery and outcomes.

NSHI Academy offers training and education to HCPs in general practice to improve patient care in **Asthma and COPD management, as well as ARPT Spirometry.**

In 2023 NSHI Academy delivered training to over 170 HCPs via our respiratory courses, delivering on our commitment to help develop clinical skills with nurses, clinical pharmacist and general practitioners. And in 2024 we continue this commitment by offering even more tailored training solutions and working in partnership with local health care providers.

External Respiratory courses offered by NSHI Academy

ARTP Spirometry is a two day training course, delivered by expert ARTP registered Nurse Advisors, to support Health Care Professionals to prepare for the ARTP assessment, ultimately leading to ARTP spirometry registration.

Diagnosis and Management of Respiratory Patients in Primary Care. Asthma and COPD courses are available through the academy and both are RCN Accredited courses.



RCN Accredited until 8 October 2024 Accreditation applies only to the educational content and not to any product. RCN cannot confirm competence of any practitioner

These RCN accredited courses are delivered over 6 months and include 3 days teaching time and approximately 300 hours of self study, similar to a Level 5 Diploma.

Course Content: Asthma

- Day 1** – Anatomy & Physiology and Pathophysiology of Asthma. Discussion of NRAD and has your practice changed the way they manage patients with asthma.
- Day 2** – Assessing and diagnosing asthma and investigations to support diagnosis.
- Day 3** – Acute asthma. Asthma attacks and exacerbation management. Asthma in special circumstances. Performing asthma reviews remotely and face to face.

For more information please contact NSHI Academy academy@nshiacademy.co.uk and we will be happy to discuss your training needs.

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