Patient Safety Learning Modules

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VitalSims™

Incontinence associated skin damage training for 2.0 ANCC credits

Vital Simulations and HARTMANN, USA have partnered to create a new, innovative training program around Incontinence Associated Skin Damage (IASD). Using the VitalSims' avatar-based simulation engine, nurses and nursing aides can strengthen and reinforce their knowledge of incontinence-related skin issues in a long term care setting as well as gain an understanding of the use of a standardized assessment tool to facilitate communication around skin damage between healthcare professionals. This interactive training course was created in conjunction with experts from the University of Minnesota School of Nursing and is worth up to 2.0 ANCC Contact Hours.
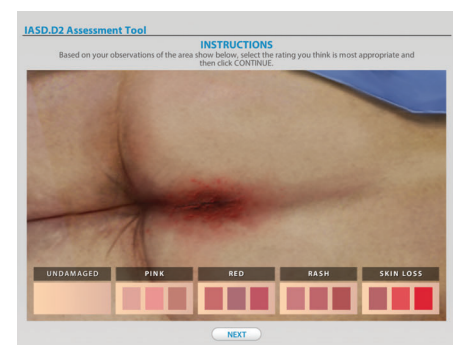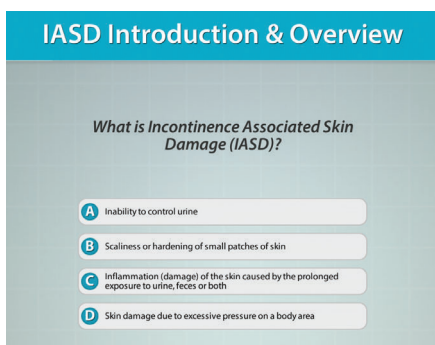
Learning objectives:

Level One:
- IASD overview
- IASD.D2 skin assessment tool overview
- Communication for better resident care
- IASD.D2 tool application
- Knowledge assessment

Level Two:
- IASD risk factors overview
- Negative consequences of IASD
- Pressure Ulcers vs IASD
- IASD.D2 tool application part two
- Knowledge assessment

Access instructions:

1. Request access at vitalsims.com/iasd-access
2. **Within 24 hours**, you will receive a confirmation email with your personal credentials
3. **Using Firefox, Internet Explorer 11 or newer, or Safari** log onto vitalsimsplatform.com. You may be required to download the Unity plugin. This allows the 3D graphics to render on your computer. Please note that the program will not run on the Chrome browser.
4. At the login screen, enter the user name and password that was in your confirmation email.
5. At the main menu, click on Begin Training Courses. Select the appropriate level and click continue.
6. Follow the on-screen instructions to complete the levels. Completion of both levels with scores over 80% will allow you to receive 2.0 ANCC
7. If you have questions at any point, email support@vitalsims.com for help.

Interactive teaching and assessment provides active learning in a safe virtual patient environment.

For setup or any questions, please contact support@vitalsims.com
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