The Deteriorating Patient: Assessing, Recognising and Responding

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This module is designed for health care practitioners who work within general hospitals and will enable them to assess, recognise and respond to the deteriorating patient. It aims to develop knowledge in regard to the pathophysiology leading to the deterioration as well as the skills and evidence to support appropriate interventions.

Content

The module will normally address:

- Respiratory pathophysiology, assessment and management including CPAP, arterial blood gases, oximetry
- Cardiac pathophysiology, assessment and management including rhythm analysis.
- Renal pathophysiology, assessment and management including fluid management
- Neurological pathophysiology, assessment and management including GCS.

Other aspects will be addressed within the module these include: Sepsis, shock, inflammation, psychosocial aspects of care and the evidence base to support guidelines locally and nationally

Cost

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