

INSTRUCTORS

All courses are taught by certified NRP instructors who are medical and nursing providers of the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at the Golisano Children's Hospital.

COURSE MATERIALS

Course participants are expected to review the *Textbook of Neonatal Resuscitation* and accompanying CD prior to the course. Participants can order the textbook through any bookstore or from the NRP website (www.aap.org/nrp). The approximate cost of the textbook is \$50. A textbook is not provided as part of the course.

COURSE DATES

Courses are offered annually during the spring and summer months. Course dates are generally available by March. Courses during the fall and winter months can be arranged for teams of providers. Please contact us for more information.

LOCATION

All courses take place at the University of Rochester Medical Center. With registration, directions to the medical center will be provided.

FEE

The registration fee includes didactic instruction as well as "hands on", simulation-based sessions and individual interaction with instructors in small groups. It does not include course materials, meals or parking. Checks should be made payable to the Department of Pediatrics, University of Rochester Medical Center. Receipts for the registration fee will be issued at the course.



REGISTRATION

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Courses of the Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP) are designed for medical, mid-level, nursing and emergency medical transport providers who care for newborns. In these courses, the learner will be introduced to the basic concepts of neonatal resuscitation and learn how to evaluate and establish appropriate treatment interventions in the stabilization of an acutely ill neonate.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon successful completion of this course, learners should be able to:

- Recognize the signs and symptoms of a neonate in cardiorespiratory distress.
- Explain the indications for and perform the steps of neonatal resuscitation.
- Perform effective airway management, including bag-mask ventilation, endotracheal intubation and the use of T-piece resuscitators.
- Explain the indications and contraindications of medications used during neonatal resuscitation.
- Execute effective neonatal resuscitation as the team leader and/or team member.
- Describe special circumstances that require a different approach to newborn care, including the presence of meconium at deliveries, premature deliveries and ethical considerations.

Completion of an NRP course does not imply competency in neonatal resuscitation.

PROVIDER COURSES

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Dates: To be announced

Length: Full day (8 AM – 5 PM)

Fee: \$150 per learner

The learner in this full-day course will review lessons 1-9 of the *Textbook of Neonatal Resuscitation* through didactic lectures and active, hands-on performance sessions.

Learners are expected to review the textbook and interactive CD-ROM prior to the course. Learners will be evaluated on course materials through a written test and during performance stations. Upon successful completion of the course, learners will receive an NRP provider card.

PROVIDER RENEWAL COURSE

Dates: To be announced

Length: Half day (1 – 5 PM)

Fee: \$75 per learner

Providers should maintain their NRP provider status by renewing their certification every two years. The learner in this half-day course will review lessons 1-9 of the *Textbook of Neonatal Resuscitation* through didactic lectures and active, hands-on performance sessions. To register, learners must provide a copy of their current NRP provider card. Since the American Academy of Pediatrics does not grant a grace period, providers must repeat the full-length Provider Course if they do not recertify by the “recommended renewal date” on their provider card. Before the course, learners are expected to review the textbook and interactive CD-ROM. Learners will be evaluated on course materials through a written test and performance stations. Upon successful completion of the course, learners will receive an NRP provider card.

INSTRUCTOR COURSE

COURSE FOR HOSPITAL-BASED NRP INSTRUCTORS

Dates: To be announced

Length: Two days

Fee: \$150

An instructor course is available to certified NRP providers who have a hospital-based practice. To become NRP instructors, providers will participate in a two-part instructor certification course. The first part entails observation of NRP instructors as they teach the course. The second part will require the candidate instructor to teach during lectures and performance stations. Candidate instructors will be evaluated on their teaching and given constructive feedback from certified NRP instructors. Candidate instructors are expected to review lessons 1-9 of the *Textbook of Neonatal Resuscitation* and interactive CD-ROM. To register, providers must submit a copy of their current NRP provider card.

