



The Aide's Role in **Infection Control in** **Home Care & Hospice**



Thursday, May 11, from 11:30 am to 1:00 p.m.

Webinar Recording Available

More than 2 million infections start every year in a hospital, nursing home, home care or another healthcare settings. One hundred thousand people will die because of those infections, costing the US health care system an extra \$45 million in care for illness that often preventable.

Although we can't eliminate the risk of infection, there are some practices that when done regularly offer our patients some protection. Infection control and the prevention of infections must be a regular part of everything the nurse aide does. As health care workers, we have always had a huge responsibility to protect yourself, your family, and your residents from danger because you work in an environment that must strongly guard against infections. The people you care for are generally elderly, sickly, and/or susceptible to diseases. **What is just a cold to most people can be deadly to older adults.**

This workshop will focus on understanding the basic principles of infection prevention and control. This workshop will also focus on Blood Borne Pathogens and the principles surrounding transmission and methods in which the aide can protect themselves and the patient.

Objectives:

- Define infection and infection control terms
- Identify common infections
- Describe how infections are spread
- List the In-Home Aide's role in infection control



Presenter:

We are pleased to announce that our instructor for this teleconference is **Michelle Davis White, MSN, RN**. Michelle has worked in home care for many years during which time she has implemented various In-Home Aide programs and offered direct aide supervision. She is currently the Director for Home Care Providers, a division of Alamance Regional Medical Center. She is a Nurse Aide instructor for Alamance Community College and serves on the Alamance Community College Nursing Assistant Advisory Committee. Michelle is also part-time faculty at UNC-CH School of Nursing in the Public Health Division.

Infection Control in Home Care & Hospice

Thursday, May 11, 2017, 3:00-4:00 pm Eastern

REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS:

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Registration: The registration deadline is May 10, 2017. Registrations may not be shared between agencies – the agency's registration covers the access of only one phone line/computer access to the webinar. Multiple site participation for your agency will require a separate registration fee for each connection. Please note: if your agency has sent in 1 registration but 3 people from your agency register through the GTW link, your agency will be invoiced for the additional 2 registrations. The handouts will be emailed to you to the email address you provide. Please feel free to provide an additional email address as a backup.

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