

# PRINCIPLES & PRACTICE OF BURN CARE



## Unit Overview

This original and informative unit will provide the foundation of key burn injury knowledge and burn management principles from which to facilitate current best practice in Burn Care for people who work in burns services within the Northern Care Network

## Unit Content

The curriculum covers all aspects of both paediatric and adult acute burn injury management including:

- ◆ *Burn aetiology*
- ◆ *Management of acute and procedural pain*
- ◆ *Surgical intervention procedures and early excision*
- ◆ *Wound healing and appropriate dressing selection*
- ◆ *Calculation of depth and total body surface area*
- ◆ *Management of chemical and electrical burn injuries*
- ◆ *Psychological difficulties experienced by burn patients and practical solutions*
- ◆ *Physiotherapy/occupational therapy for the burned patient and early rehabilitation measures*

.....and much more

## Academic Study

This is an on line module which will include participating in an interactive programme of study combining e-learning, on line taught lessons, self directed study, practical demonstrations, debates, discussions, verbal presentations, placement/practice learning and completing summative assessments

## Where and when?

The unit will run for a total of seven full day sessions, each on a Friday commencing 30th September 2022 and finishing 16th December 2022 (a list of dates is available on request)

## What qualifications/entry requirements do I need?

### Level 6 study

Have a minimum of DipHE in a health related subject (Level 5)

### Level 7 study

Have a minimum of a degree in a health related subject (Level 6)

## How much will it cost?

If you are currently working in burns within the Northern Burn Care Network the course is free. For a list of course dates, or to request an Expression of Interest form, please email: [manchesterburnscourse@mft.nhs.uk](mailto:manchesterburnscourse@mft.nhs.uk)

Expressions of interest should be returned no later than 16th September 2022

If you are outside the Northern Burns Care Network, or do not work in a burns service, applications should be made direct to the University of Manchester via email to [cpd.nursing@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:cpd.nursing@manchester.ac.uk)

## What qualification will I get?

Academic study affords 20 credits for level 6 and 15 credits for level 7