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**TO: TRAINING OFFICER** 

## NON-RADIOLOGIST FLUOROSCOPY SAFETY COURSE

## Wednesday 27th March 2024

Non-Radiologist Fluoroscopy Course Wednesday 4th October 2023, Teleconference-Zoom 4 hours, start times: Perth 3pm; Darwin 4.30pm; Brisbane 5pm; Adelaide 5.30pm; Sydney, Melbourne 6pm; NZ 8pm

The course is appropriate for staff medical specialists directly involved with the use of fluoroscopy in medicine. In particular the nature of x-ray hazards is outlined, how protection might best be afforded when working with fluoroscopy, appropriate working techniques to minimise the radiation dose to staff and patients and administrative arrangements and legal obligations.

The course has been approved by the Radiological Council in Western Australia and fulfils the necessary non-radiologist training requirements for medical specialists before a license to use a x-ray fluoroscopy will be granted in Western Australia, under the Radiation Safety Act WA 1975. A multiple choice test concludes the course a pass mark of at least 60% is required to apply for a license.

**Timetable:** Physics of x-rays 60 min

Introduction to Fluoroscopy

Radiation Units, Biology

Radiation Protection

Fluoroscopy: Operation considerations

Practical Session

Test, multiple choice

20 min

30 min

60 min

60 min

60 min

**Course Notes:** Will be provided prior to the course **Fee:** \$350 + \$35 gst

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This educational activity has been approved in the Royal Australian College of Surgeons CPD Program. Fellows who participate can claim one point per hour in Maintenance of Knowledge and Skills. Participation in this activity will be populated into your RACS CPD Online.

