

FLATUS TUBE AWARENESS

Course Number

S1

Validity

1 Year

Duration

3 Hours

Assessment

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This Flatus Tube course equips healthcare professionals with the knowledge and practical skills required to safely insert flatus tubes and rectal cones. The session covers relevant anatomy and physiology, indications and contraindications, equipment selection, and complications to be aware of. Delegates will observe a demonstration and take part in supervised practical application. This course is ideal for clinical staff responsible for bowel care and invasive procedures in healthcare settings.

Introduction

- Introduction and course overview

Course Programme

- Anatomy and physiology of the lower bowel
- Understanding flatus, bloating, and abdominal distension
- Indications, contraindications, and ethical considerations
- Types of flatus tubes and rectal cones
- Procedure steps and necessary equipment
- Complications and aftercare
- Demonstration and supervised practical session
- Summary, Q&A, and course evaluation

Suitable for:

Care

