

Postgraduate Certificate General Surgery for Nursing



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Introduction

Nowadays, continuous training is required to achieve professional development and to be fully qualified to face the daily challenges of a constantly changing field such as healthcare. The surgical area is an environment whose characteristics differentiate it from the rest of the services where the majority of nursing professionals habitually develop competencies in their care, management, teaching and research functions. The evolution of techniques and technological advances make it essential for nursing professionals to update their knowledge in order to provide excellent surgical care.





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This Postgraduate Certificate in General Surgery for Nursing contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market”

Each of the wide variety of surgical interventions that are performed requires a specific procedure, a specific technique and the exclusive surgical material for that intervention. There are a series of steps and rules common to all of them that team members must know in detail, as well as how the entire surgical block functions so as to prevent and avoid the most common risks in professional practice. Being the institutions aware of this, they demand academic profiles with an education that adapts to the requirements of their job and are qualified and endorsed for the performance of the same.

This knowledge will facilitate the provision of quality care throughout the surgical process to ensure the safety of the patient and the professional himself at all times.



Increase your skills in the approach to General: Surgery for Nursing through this program"

This **Postgraduate Certificate in General Surgery for Nursing** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market" Its most outstanding features are

- ◆ Development of clinical cases presented by experts in the different areas of multidisciplinary knowledge. The graphic, schematic, and practical contents with which they are created provide scientific and practical information on the disciplines that are essential for professional practice
- ◆ General: Surgery for Nursing News
- ◆ An algorithm-based interactive learning system for decision-making in the clinical situations presented throughout the course
- ◆ With special emphasis on evidence-based For Nursing and surgical nursing research methodologies
- ◆ All of this will be complemented by theoretical lessons, questions to the expert, debate forums on controversial topics, and individual reflection assignments
- ◆ Content that is accessible from any fixed or portable device with an Internet connection

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This Postgraduate Certificate is the best investment you can make when selecting a refresher program, for two reasons: in addition to updating your knowledge in General Surgery for Nursing, you will obtain a qualification endorsed of Certificate by TECH Global University”

Its teaching staff includes health professionals belonging to the field of Dental nursing, who bring to this Training their work experience, as well as recognized specialists belonging to leading scientific societies.

Thanks to its multimedia content developed with the latest educational technology, they will allow the professional a situated and contextual learning, that is to say, a simulated environment that will provide an immersive learning programmed to prepare in real situations.

The design of the program is based on Problem-Based Learning, by means of which the nursing professional must try to solve the different professional practice situations that arise throughout the course. This will be done with the help of an innovative interactive video system developed by renowned experts in the field of nephrology with extensive teaching experience.

Increase your decision-making confidence by updating your knowledge with this Postgraduate Certificate in General Surgery for Nursing.

Don't miss out on the opportunity to update your knowledge of General: Surgery to improve patient care.



02 Objectives

The main objective of the program is the development of theoretical and practical learning, so that the nurse can master in a practical and rigorous way the study of General Aspects for Nursing Surgery.



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This refresher program will generate a sense of confidence when practising nursing, which will help you grow both personally and professionally”



General Objectives

- To update the knowledge of advanced practice nurses in perioperative care in the different medical-surgical specialties, through evidence-based nursing
- Promote work strategies based on perioperative patient care as a reference model in the achievement of healthcare excellence
- Encourage the acquisition of technical skills and abilities, through a powerful audiovisual system, and the possibility of development through online simulation workshops and/or specific education
- Encouraging professional development through research and dynamic and up-to-date continuous Training



Make the most of this opportunity and take the step to get up to date on the latest developments in General Surgery for Nursing”





Specific Objectives

- ◆ List the units collaborating with the thoracic surgery service
- ◆ Explain the usual protocols in each department
- ◆ Providing the necessary material for each surgical intervention
- ◆ Summarise the anatomo-physiology of the respiratory apparatus
- ◆ Justify the need for certain types of medicines inside a thoracic surgery operating theatre
- ◆ Identify the pathologies susceptible to be treated in the thoracic surgery operating theatre
- ◆ Differentiate between programmed and urgent pathologies
- ◆ Explain the proper handling and positioning of the different equipment, basic and specific instruments and describe the surgical techniques
- ◆ Identify chemical pleurodesis from mechanical pleurodesis, as well as the surgical technique to be followed
- ◆ Assess the psychological state of patients and develop relational tools to help alleviate the stress involved in the surgical process
- ◆ Identify hospitals that have a thoracic surgery department
- ◆ Determine the human and material resources needed to assist each surgery
- ◆ Define the surgical position of each intervention
- ◆ Integrate anatomical knowledge to describe the surgical technique for each intervention
- ◆ Generate the intraoperative nursing care document and prepare the patient for admission to the ward
- ◆ Develop a care plan using the intraoperative NANDA-NIC-NOC nomenclature

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Course Management

This program includes in its teaching staff health professionals of recognized prestige, who belong to the field of surgical nursing and who pour into this Training the experience of their work.

In addition, renowned specialists, members of prestigious national and international scientific communities, are involved in designing and preparing the program.





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Learn from leading professionals the latest advances in General Surgery for Nursing”

Management



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Structure and Content

The structure of the contents has been designed by a team of professionals knowledgeable about the implications of education in daily nursing practice, aware of the relevance of current specialization in order to be able to act before the surgical patient and committed to quality teaching through new educational technologies.





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Module 1. General Surgery

- 1.1. Surgeries Performed by Laparotomy
- 1.2. Surgeries Performed by Laparoscopy
- 1.3. Proctological Surgery
- 1.4. Breast Surgery
- 1.5. Endocrine Surgery
- 1.6. HIPEC: Hyperthermic Intraperitoneal Chemotherapy (comprehensive surgery for peritoneal carcinomatosis with hyperthermic chemotherapy)





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A unique, key, and decisive educational experience to boost your professional development”

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Methodology

This academic program offers students a different way of learning. Our methodology uses a cyclical learning approach: **Relearning**.

This teaching system is used, for example, in the most prestigious medical schools in the world, and major publications such as the **New England Journal of Medicine** have considered it to be one of the most effective.





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Discover Relearning, a system that abandons conventional linear learning, to take you through cyclical teaching systems: a way of learning that has proven to be extremely effective, especially in subjects that require memorization"

At TECH Nursing School we use the Case Method

In a given situation, what should a professional do? Throughout the program, students will face multiple simulated clinical cases, based on real patients, in which they will have to do research, establish hypotheses, and ultimately resolve the situation. There is an abundance of scientific evidence on the effectiveness of the method. Nurses learn better, faster, and more sustainably over time.

With TECH, nurses can experience a learning methodology that is shaking the foundations of traditional universities around the world.



According to Dr. Gérvas, the clinical case is the annotated presentation of a patient, or group of patients, which becomes a "case", an example or model that illustrates some peculiar clinical component, either because of its teaching power or because of its uniqueness or rarity. It is essential that the case is based on current professional life, in an attempt to recreate the real conditions in professional nursing practice.

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Did you know that this method was developed in 1912, at Harvard, for law students? The case method consisted of presenting students with real-life, complex situations for them to make decisions and justify their decisions on how to solve them. In 1924, Harvard adopted it as a standard teaching method”

The effectiveness of the method is justified by four fundamental achievements:

1. Nurses who follow this method not only grasp concepts, but also develop their mental capacity, by evaluating real situations and applying their knowledge.
2. The learning process has a clear focus on practical skills that allow the nursing professional to better integrate knowledge acquisition into the hospital setting or primary care.
3. Ideas and concepts are understood more efficiently, given that the example situations are based on real-life.
4. Students like to feel that the effort they put into their studies is worthwhile. This then translates into a greater interest in learning and more time dedicated to working on the course.



Relearning Methodology

At TECH we enhance the case method with the best 100% online teaching methodology available: Relearning.

This university is the first in the world to combine case studies with a 100% online learning system based on repetition combining a minimum of 8 different elements in each lesson, which is a real revolution compared to the simple study and analysis of cases.



The nurse will learn through real cases and by solving complex situations in simulated learning environments. These simulations are developed using state-of-the-art software to facilitate immersive learning.

At the forefront of world teaching, the Relearning method has managed to improve the overall satisfaction levels of professionals who complete their studies, with respect to the quality indicators of the best online university (Columbia University).

With this methodology we have trained more than 175,000 nurses with unprecedented success in all specialities regardless of practical workload. Our pedagogical methodology is developed in a highly competitive environment, with a university student body with a strong socioeconomic profile and an average age of 43.5 years old.

Relearning will allow you to learn with less effort and better performance, involving you more in your specialization, developing a critical mindset, defending arguments, and contrasting opinions: a direct equation to success.

In our program, learning is not a linear process, but rather a spiral (learn, unlearn, forget, and re-learn). Therefore, we combine each of these elements concentrically.

The overall score obtained by TECH's learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.



This program offers the best educational material, prepared with professionals in mind:



Study Material

All teaching material is produced by the specialists who teach the course, specifically for the course, so that the teaching content is really specific and precise.

These contents are then applied to the audiovisual format, to create the TECH online working method. All this, with the latest techniques that offer high quality pieces in each and every one of the materials that are made available to the student.



Nursing Techniques and Procedures on Video

We introduce you to the latest techniques, to the latest educational advances, to the forefront of current medical techniques. All of this in direct contact with students and explained in detail so as to aid their assimilation and understanding. And best of all, you can watch them as many times as you want.



Interactive Summaries

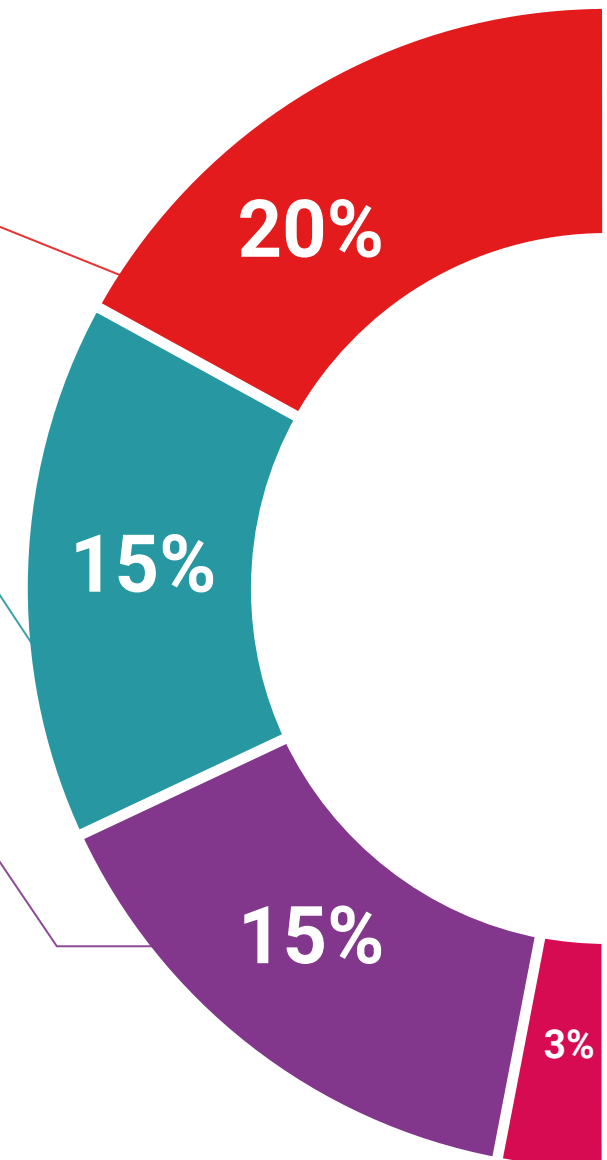
The TECH team presents the contents attractively and dynamically in multimedia lessons that include audio, videos, images, diagrams, and concept maps in order to reinforce knowledge.

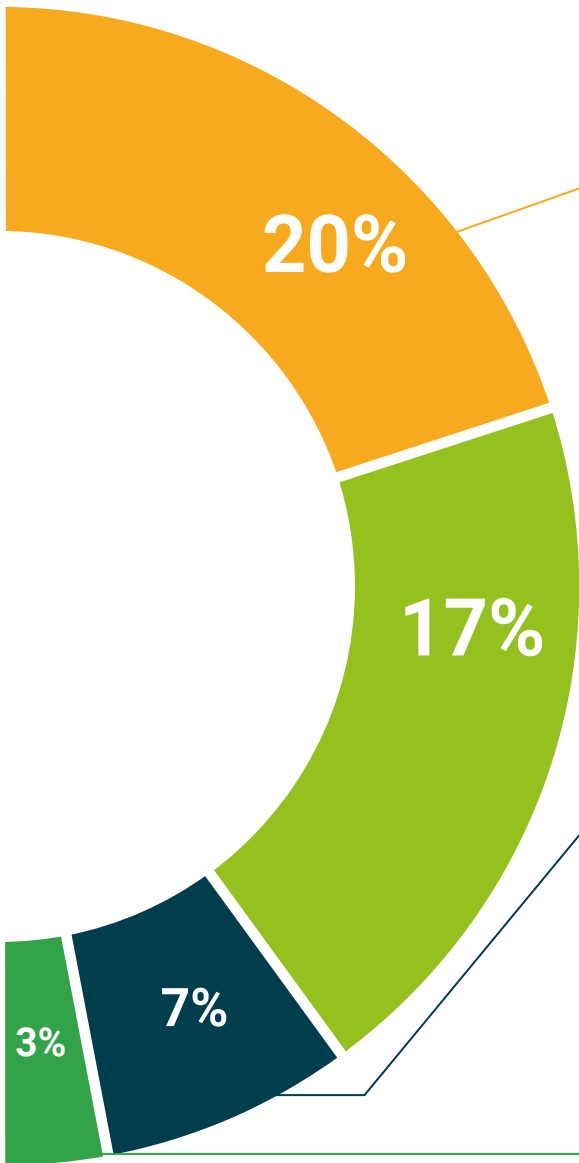
This exclusive educational system for presenting multimedia content was awarded by Microsoft as a "European Success Story".



Additional Reading

Recent articles, consensus documents and international guidelines, among others. In TECH's virtual library, students will have access to everything they need to complete their course.





Expert-Led Case Studies and Case Analysis

Effective learning ought to be contextual. Therefore, TECH presents real cases in which the expert will guide students, focusing on and solving the different situations: a clear and direct way to achieve the highest degree of understanding.



Testing & Retesting

We periodically evaluate and re-evaluate students' knowledge throughout the program, through assessment and self-assessment activities and exercises, so that they can see how they are achieving their goals.



Classes

There is scientific evidence suggesting that observing third-party experts can be useful.
Learning from an Expert strengthens knowledge and memory, and generates confidence in future difficult decisions.



Quick Action Guides

TECH offers the most relevant contents of the course in the form of worksheets or quick action guides. A synthetic, practical, and effective way to help students progress in their learning.



06 Certificate

The Postgraduate Certificate in General Surgery for Nursing guarantees students, in addition to the most rigorous and up-to-date education, access to a Postgraduate Certificate issued by TECH Global University.



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Successfully complete this program and receive your university qualification without having to travel or fill out laborious paperwork”

This program will allow you to obtain your **Postgraduate Certificate in General Surgery for Nursing** endorsed by **TECH Global University**, the world's largest online university.

TECH Global University is an official European University publicly recognized by the Government of Andorra ([official bulletin](#)). Andorra is part of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) since 2003. The EHEA is an initiative promoted by the European Union that aims to organize the international training framework and harmonize the higher education systems of the member countries of this space. The project promotes common values, the implementation of collaborative tools and strengthening its quality assurance mechanisms to enhance collaboration and mobility among students, researchers and academics.

This **TECH Global University** title is a European program of continuing education and professional updating that guarantees the acquisition of competencies in its area of knowledge, providing a high curricular value to the student who completes the program.

Title: **Postgraduate Certificate in General Surgery for Nursing**

Modality: **online**

Duration: **6 weeks**

Accreditation: **4 ECTS**



*Apostille Convention. In the event that the student wishes to have their paper diploma issued with an apostille, TECH Global University will make the necessary arrangements to obtain it, at an additional cost.



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