**Postgraduate Certificate** Intensive Care in Patients with Neurologic Disorders

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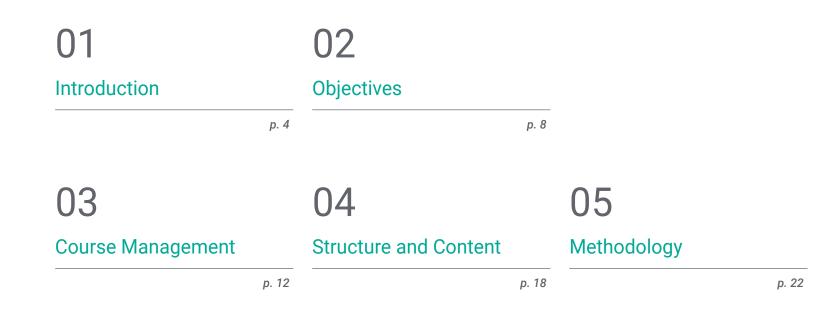


## **Postgraduate Certificate** Intensive Care in Patients with Neurologic Disorders

- » Modality: online
- » Duration: 6 weeks
- » Certificate: TECH Global University
- » Credits: 6 ECTS
- » Schedule: at your own pace
- » Exams: online

Website: www.techtitute.com/us/nursing/postgraduate-certificate/intensive-care-patients-neurologic-disorders

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## 01 Introduction

The implementation of protocols for action in patients with neurological disorders, together with advances in monitoring, pharmacology or diagnostic equipment, have boosted the care of critically ill patients. A scenario that leads Nursing professionals to continuously update their knowledge in this field from a theoretical and practical perspective. For this reason, TECH has created this program that fits perfectly to the needs of updating healthcare professionals through a unique academic option. In this way, the graduate will deepen in neurological assessment, cerebrovascular diseases and other less frequent diseases such as Guillain-Barré Syndrome. All, in a 100% online format and with the best didactic material of the present academic panorama.

Get up to date in Intensive Care in Patients with Neurological Disorders through this 100% online Postgraduate Certificate"

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The prevalence of Neurological Disorders in Intensive Care Units is quite frequent due to the high incidence of brain diseases and injuries in critically ill patients. For this reason, it is not surprising that in recent years important advances have been made in equipment for diagnostic tests or the optimization of protocols for people suffering stroke.

A reality where undoubtedly the nursing professional must perform with guarantees, for which they require a constant updating of their knowledge. In this way, to promote this update, TECH has designed this 6-week program for patients with Neurological Disorders.

An intensive program that takes the graduate to delve from the anatomophysiological memory of the nervous system, the management of the patient with intracranial hypertension, delirium, seizures and convulsive states to Meningitis. In addition, thanks to the multitude of didactic resources you will be able to delve into the techniques used for the realization of lumbar puncture, the approach of pain and sedoanalgesia or the realization of diagnostic tests.

Likewise, with the Relearning method, based on the continuous reiteration of the most important concepts, the graduate will reduce the long hours of study and memorization, which is a plus in this period of professional improvement.

An academic itinerary designed to meet the needs of professionals. And that, without in-person attendance or classes with fixed schedules, students only need a cell phone, tablet or computer with internet connection to consult, at any time of the day, the agenda of this program. An unparalleled academic option, ideal to reconcile with the most demanding daily activities.

This **Postgraduate Certificate in Intensive Care in Patients with Neurologic Disorders** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market. The most important features include:

- The development of practical cases presented by experts in Nursing in Intensive Care Units
- 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
- Practical exercises where self-assessment can be used to improve learning.
- Its special emphasis on innovative methodologies
- 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



No attendance, no classes with fixed schedules. You are looking at a program that fits your daily professional activities"

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Thanks to the Relearning system you will easily consolidate the concepts of this program and reduce the hours of study"

The program's teaching staff includes professionals from sector who contribute their work experience to this educational program, as well as renowned specialists from leading societies and prestigious universities.

Its multimedia content, developed with the latest educational technology, will provide the professional with situated and contextual learning, i.e., a simulated environment that will provide an immersive education programmed to learn in real situations.

The design of this program focuses on Problem-Based Learning, by means of which the professional must try to solve the different professional practice situations that are presented throughout the academic course. For this purpose, the student will be assisted by an innovative interactive video system created by renowned experts. Delve into Guillain-Barré Syndrome and the care of this rare disorder with total comfort.

> Delve into the practice of lumbar puncture in cases of Meningitis from your digital device with internet connection.

# 02 **Objectives**

TECH has designed this program to provide the nursing professional with the most rigorous and recent information on the management of patients with Neurological Disorders in Intensive Care. A process of 180 teaching hours that will allow students to increase their ability to act in the most complex situations, as well as to address the most common pathologies in these multidisciplinary spaces. A unique opportunity only offered by this academic institution, the largest university in the world.



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You will get an effective update of your competences to manage from the most to the least recurrent Neurological Disorders"

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### **General Objectives**

- Update the necessary knowledge in the nursing care of critical patients, in order to increase the quality and safety of nursing practice in the Intensive Care Unit
- Acquire the necessary skills to provide comprehensive care to the critical patient with criteria of speed, efficiency and quality
- Review the fundamental principles of critical care nursing



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### **Specific Objectives**

- Gain in-depth knowledge of the anatomy and physiology of the nervous system
- Recognize the most common neurological pathologies in the ICU
- Identify cerebrovascular disease and delve into its approach and management
- Assess the coma patient, evaluate the degree of consciousness and provide specific care

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An academic option that provides a theoretical-practical vision on the approach to the coma patient and their specific care"

## 03 Course Management

Nursing professionals who take this university program will have before them a syllabus prepared by a first class teaching staff. For this program TECH has brought together health professionals with extensive experience in Intensive Care Units and extensive experience in critical patients with Neurological Disorders. In addition, thanks to their proximity, students will be able to resolve any questions they may have about the content of this cutting-edge program.

Get the best update through excellent nurses specialized in Intensive Care with a consolidated professional trajectory"

### **International Guest Director**

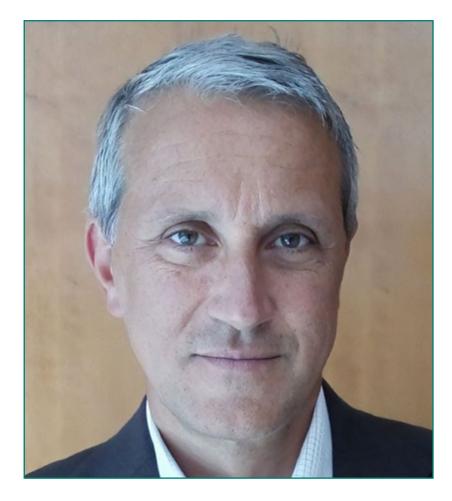
Dr. Anselmo Caricato is a distinguished Italian physician and academic with a prestigious career in the field of Anesthesiology and Intensive Care. Throughout his career, this expert has continuously participated in research projects together with specialists from different European countries and scientific institutions. As a result, he has become a true reference in the management of traumatic injuries and other critical neurological conditions.

Among other lines of work, he has collaborated with several clinical trials, such as the Eurotherm 3235 Trial and with the European Brain Injury Consortium. He has also analyzed the efficacy and safety of several innovative treatments to further the study of neurological contusions.

His results have been widely endorsed by the most prestigious scientific publications. Proof of this are the more than 60 peer-reviewed articles that have been published in high impact global journals such as Stroke, Critical Care Medicine, International Journal of Critical Illness and Injury Science, Neurological Research, and many others. At the same time, he is listed as a member of the Editorial Board of the World Journal of Critical Care Medicine and the Austin Journal of Emergency and Critical Care Medicine.

As for his professional career, this expert, who obtained his degree in Medicine and Surgery at the Catholic University of the Sacred Heart in Rome, has been linked to the "A. Gemelli" University Hospital. From that institution he headed the Trauma Intensive Care Unit in the Emergency Department for several years.

He has also collaborated as an Intensive Care physician in the Vatican City. On the other hand, in parallel to his healthcare work, this specialist has held active academic functions, mainly in conjunction with his alma mater. Based on his distinguished career, he has been selected as Director of the American Trauma Life Support Program at the "A. Gemelli" University Hospital.



## Dr. Caricato, Anselmo

- Chief of Neurosurgical Intensive Care at A. Gemelli University Hospital, Rome, Italy
- Intensive Care Physician in Vatican City, Italy
- Director of the ATLS (American Trauma Life Support) Program at "A. Gemelli" University Hospital, Rome, Italy
- Academic of the Faculty of Medicine and Surgery of the Catholic University of the Sacred Heart
- Reviewer and contributor to the Editorial Board of the World Journal of Critical Care Medicine and Austin Journal of Emergency and Critical Care Medicine
- Italian Society of Anesthesia, Analgesia, Resuscitation and Intensive Care Medicine
- Neuroanesthesia and Neurointensive Care Study Coordination GroupNeuroanesthesia and Neurointensive Care Group

Thanks to TECH, you will be able to learn with the best professionals in the world"

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#### **Guest Director**



#### Ms. Díez Sáenz, Cristina

- · Head Nurseof the Adult Intensive Care Unit at Gregorio Marañon General University Hospital
- Nursing supervisor at Gregorio Marañón ICU
- Nurse Assistant in different hospitalization areas in different health centers and hospitals.
- Participation as collaborating researcher in the multicenter project "National validation of the scale of satisfaction with nursing care from the perspective of the critically ill patient"

### **Co-Direction**



#### Ms. Lospitao Gómez, Sara

- Intensive Care and Interventional Cardiology at University Hospital of Fuenlabrada (UHF)
- Nurse Cardiac Surgery Post-Surgical Intensive Care Unit PCU 12 de Octubre Hospital
- Coronary Intensive Care Unit Nurse. 12 de Octubre Hospital
- Nurse of the Interventional Cardiology Unit (Hemodynamics, EEF and Implants).
- PR Manager of #TEAyudamos and Member of the group #JuntosxElCáncer.
- Instructor for SVA by the National CPR Plan of SEMICYUC
- Member of: Care Sub-Commission (HUF), Welfare Commission (HUF), Secretary of the Ulcers and Wounds Working Group (HUF).

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### Professors

#### Ms. Álvarez Carrascal, Inmaculada

- Nurse referent of Security in ICU of the Gregorio Marañon General University Hospital
- Instrumentalist nurse in the operating room of Churchill Hospital
- Nurse assistant in various hospital and health center services in the Andalusian Health Service.
- Diploma in Nursing from the University of Seville
- Expert in and Intensive Care from the Complutense University of Madrid

#### González Palacios, Rubén

- Attending Nurse in the Internal Medicine Unit of the 12 de Octubre General University Hospital.
- Nurse assistant in different Primary Care centers in the Community of Madrid
- Developer of the mobile application "Compatibility drugs" for intravenous compatibility of drugs

#### Dr. Ruiz Henestrosa Campos, , Manuel Jesús

- Nurse Assistant in GUH Gregorio Marañón Hospital
- Nurse Assistant in GUH Puerta del Mar de Cadiz
- Associate Professor Practicum III of Nursing
- Collaborating teacher at the International School of Health Sciences
- Nebrija University Collaborating Professor
- Esforem Collaborating Teacher
- Diploma in Nursing

## 04 Structure and Content

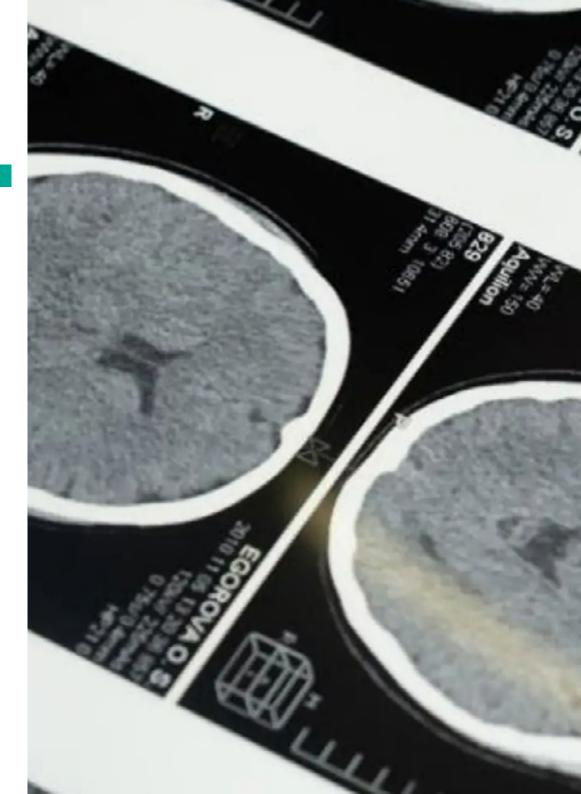
The syllabus of this Postgraduate Certificate brings together in 180 teaching hours the latest information on the management of the critically ill patient with Neurological Disorders. A process of updating that will be much more effective thanks to the multimedia pills, specialized readings and case studies. A complete didactic material accessible 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, from any electronic device with internet connection.

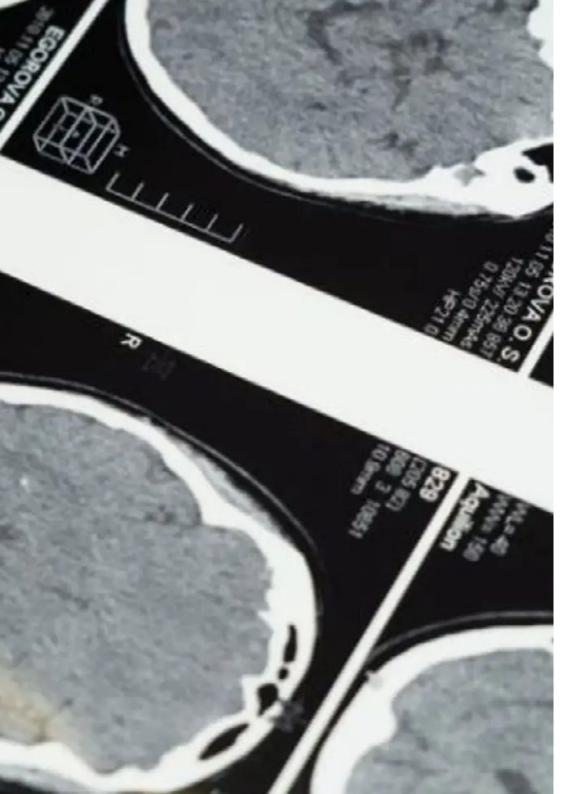
A syllabus that takes into account the latest scientific evidence on the approach to stroke patients"

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#### **Module 1.** Care in Patients with Neurological Disorders

- 1.1. Anatomophysiological Review of the Nervous System
- 1.2. Cerebrovascular Disease. Stroke Code
- 1.3. Intracranial Hypertension.
- 1.4. Delirium
- 1.5. Guillain-Barré Syndrome
- 1.6. Seizures and Status Convulsus
- 1.7. Meningitis and Lumbar Puncture Practice
- 1.8. Comatose Patient
- 1.9. Pain and Sedoanalgesia
- 1.10. Neurological Assessment in ICU: Most Frequently Used Diagnostic Tests





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Go deeper into the main diagnostic tests performed for neurological assessment in the ICU"

## 05 **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.

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"

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#### 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.

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.
- 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.



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#### **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.



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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.



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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.

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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.

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#### **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.

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#### **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 Intensive Care in Patients with Neurologic Disorders 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"

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This program will allow you to obtain your **Postgraduate Certificate in Intensive Care in Patients with Neurologic Disorders** 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.

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