

Target Audience

Nurses, who are new to chemotherapy administration, as well as, for those who want a comprehensive review.

The ONS Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Course is not a certification course and is not intended to measure competency. Individual institutions are responsible for determining their own requirements for assessing clinical competency.

Fee for course includes the following:

All course materials

Copy of Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Guidelines & Recommendations for Practice, 2nd edition

Certificate of Completion
for 13.5 Nurse Contact Hours

ONS Chemotherapy & Biotherapy
Provider Card good for 2 years



Wilson Medical Center
Organizational Development
1705 S. Tarboro St
Wilson, NC 27893

**Instructor: Linda McCoy,
RN-BC, AOCN, MSN**

Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Course



Date: 10/18-19/2010

Time: 8:30—5:00

**Wilson Medical Center
Special Meeting Room #3**

General Information

This course provides the overview of knowledge needed to administer cytotoxic and biotherapeutic agents. ONS will award 13.5 nurse contact hours upon completion of course and post test. Each participant will receive an ONS



Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Provider Card. This card validates that the participant has the theoretical foundation needed to administer cytotoxic and biotherapeutic agents. This card is valid for two years.

Course Objectives:

Upon completion of the course:

- A. Identify various therapeutic modalities used to treat cancer with emphasis on chemotherapy and biotherapy.**
- B. Describe the investigational process all drugs undergo to gain approval for use.**
- C. Review ethical and legal issues related to cancer therapy.**
- D. Identify factors affecting response to cancer therapy**
- E. Identify selected commonly used agents, their mechanisms of action, and any unique administration issues.**
- F. Discuss safety precautions necessary when handling cytotoxic agents.**
- G. Review chemotherapy dose calculations and practice examples.**
- H. Identify nursing procedures and interventions for administering cytotoxic and biologic agents.**
- I. Discuss two immediate complications of cancer therapy, extravasation and hypersensitivity, and the nursing measures required to prevent and/or reduce these complications.**
- J. Identify selected systematic side effects of cytotoxic and biotherapeutic agents and the nursing interventions required to manage these side effects.**
- K. Review specific patient and family education that may prevent and/or reduce the impact of the systemic side effects.**

Course:	Time	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Monday & Tuesday, Oct 18-19, 2010	8:30-5:00	\$170.00

Registration Deadline: Monday, September 20th

Name

Preferred Address

Preferred Phone

Email Address

Place of Employment

RN License #

Registration:

Mail, email or fax all registration forms to the attention of Tammy Alabaster. See contact information below.

Payment:

Payment can be made on first day of course. All checks must be payable to Wilson Medical Center. Receipts available on request.

Cancellation Information:

If an attendee is registered and can not attend, a substitute may be made.

Contact Person:

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