



# Skin and Wound Management Course

## Advance Your Clinical Knowledge; Become Wound Care Certified

**DATES:** Preparation Course: Oct. 23-26, 2023      Initial Exam: Oct. 27, 2023

**LOCATION:** LHA Conference Center, 2334 Weymouth Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70809

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND:** CNOs, nurses, nurse practitioners, physicians, physician assistants, infection control preventionists, nursing leaders, regulatory compliance officers, quality directors, respiratory therapists, sterile processing directors or supervisors, occupation therapist, physical therapist, and registered dietitians

**OVERVIEW:** This course offers an evidence-based approach to wound management to help clinicians stay current with the standards of care while remaining legally defensible at the bedside. The Wound Care Education Institute® (WCEI®), Powered by Relias, provides dynamic instructors who use engaging teaching methods proven to help students learn better and retain new material.

**BECOME BOARD CERTIFIED IN 4 DAYS!** The Wound Care Education Institute offers 100+ onsite courses across the nation each year. This four-day course will prepare you for the Wound Care Certification (WCC®) or Nutrition Wound Care Certification (NWCC®) board certified exams administered by the National Alliance of Wound Care and Ostomy® (NAWCO).

### PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:

- Discuss how standards of care, evidence-based practice, and a multidisciplinary wound care team can affect clinical choices in wound management;
- Discuss the basic anatomy and physiology of the skin;
- Identify at least five parameters required for accurate wound assessment;
- Identify pressure ulcer stages according to NPUAP guidelines;
- Identify five factors that enhance or impede the wound healing process;
- Explain four types of basic principles of wound bed preparation;
- Identify three major components of a nutritional assessment for optimizing wound healing;
- Identify four different categories for topical wound management;
- Select treatment options based on wound assessment, etiology, and goal of wound care;
- Differentiate arterial, neuropathic, and venous ulcers in terms of causative factors, pathophysiology, appearance, and principles of management;
- Describe three factors involved in development of a pressure ulcer and interventions to prevent their occurrence;
- Describe at least five interventions that optimize acute surgical wound healing;
- Differentiate between wound etiologies and clinical manifestations of acute and traumatic wounds;
- Differentiate types of burns and principles of management;
- Select treatment options and differentiate wound etiologies and clinical manifestations of chronic, malignant, and inflammatory wounds;
- Discuss three adjunctive treatment modalities that enhance wound healing;
- Discuss current multidisciplinary care approaches to wound care; and
- Discuss components required for accurate wound documentation.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** [EDUCATION CALENDAR](#) & [HOTEL WITH LHA GROUP RATE](#)



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**Course Agenda:** Course must be attended in entirety and the evaluation form must be completed to receive a certificate of completion.

### Day One:

8:30 a.m. Registration  
9:00 a.m. Welcome  
9:15 a.m. Principles of Practice  
10:30 a.m. Break  
10:45 a.m. Skin and Underlying Structures  
11:45 a.m. Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Wound Assessment  
2:30 p.m. Break  
2:45 p.m. Wound Assessment  
4:30 p.m. Adjourn for the Day

### Day Two:

9:00 a.m. Wound Healing  
9:45 a.m. Wound Bed Preparation  
10:30 a.m. Break  
10:45 a.m. Wound Bed Preparation  
11:45 a.m. Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Nutritional Wound Mgmt.  
1:45 p.m. Topical Wound Mgmt.  
2:30 p.m. Break  
2:45 p.m. Topical Wound Mgmt.  
4:30 p.m. Adjourn for the Day

### Day Three:

9:00 a.m. Lower Extremity Ulcers  
10:30 a.m. Break  
10:45 a.m. Lower Extremity Ulcers  
11:45 a.m. Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Pressure Ulcers  
2:30 p.m. Break  
2:45 p.m. Acute Wounds  
4:30 p.m. Adjourn for the Day

### Day Four:

9:00 a.m. Other Wounds  
10:15 a.m. Break  
10:30 a.m. Other Wounds (Cont'd)  
11:15 a.m. Therapeutic Interventions and Modalities  
11:45 a.m. Lunch  
1:00 p.m. Practice Development  
2:30 p.m. Break  
2:45 p.m. Week in Review/Test Taking  
4:30 p.m. Adjourn for the Day

### Day Five:

8:00 a.m. Certification Exam  
11:00 a.m. Adjourn for the Day

### EXAMINATION ELIGIBILITY:

Those wishing to take the Wound Care Certified (WCC®) or Nutrition Wound Care Certified (NWCC®) board certification exam must take the NAWCO® approved training course plus hold an active unrestricted license in one of the following professions:

- LPN/LVN, RN, NP, PA, OTA, OT, PT, PTA, MD, DO, DPM: 2 years full-time or 4 years part-time where wound care was a component of the job duties in the past 5 years
- RD/RDN: Practiced 1 year full-time or 2 years part-time

Do you have examination questions? Contact the accrediting board, National Alliance of Wound Care and Ostomy® (NAWCO®), at 877-922-6292, or visit [nawccb.org](http://nawccb.org).

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### ABOUT YOUR FACULTY:

The Wound Care Education Institute (WCEI) from Relias was created to address significant gaps in wound and ostomy care education. They prepare practitioners and industry professionals for the real world, with an up-to-date and in-depth understanding of these conditions, including treatment and prevention. Under the guidance of their certified and engaging instructors, and with the support of their instructor and alumni network, WCEI provides the knowledge, skills, and professional development healthcare practitioners need to deliver optimal patient outcomes with consistent, compliant, and patient-focused care.

### CONTINUING EDUCATION STATEMENTS



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**Nurses:** In support of improving patient care, OnCourse Learning (a Relias LLC company) is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

Relias LLC is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #CEP13791 for 22.75 contact hours. Certificate must be retained by the licensee for a period of 4 years after course completion.



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by The American Occupational  
Therapy Association, Inc.

**Occupational Therapists:** Relias LLC is an approved provider of continuing education for occupational therapists by the American Occupational Therapy Association. The assignment of AOTA CEUs does not imply endorsement of specific course content,

products, or clinical procedures by AOTA. The Skin and Wound Management Course is approved for 2.25 AOTA CEUs for occupational therapists and occupational therapy assistants. Please check with your state for prior approval.

**Physical Therapists:** Relias LLC (formerly OnCourse Learning) is a licensed physical therapy continuing education sponsor (#216.000290) by the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation. Certificates must be retained by the licensee for a period of 5 years after course completion. The Skin and Wound Management Course is approved for 22.75 contact hours for physical therapists and physical therapy assistants. Please check with your state for prior approval.

**Registered Dietitians:** Relias LLC is a Continuing Professional Education (CPE) Accredited Provider (#ON001) with the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR). This is a level 2 course with suggested CDR learning codes of 2000, 3000, 5000, 5040, 5050, 5090, 5100, 5101, 5380 and performance indicators of 2.2.1, 2.2.4, 2.3.2, 4.1.2, 4.4.1, 8.1.1, 8.1.3, 8.1.4, 10.1.2, 10.2.3, 10.2.4, 10.2.9.



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live activity for a maximum of 22.75 AMA PRA category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



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**REGISTER ONLINE:** <https://lhaonline.org/Event.aspx?EventKey=M2310002>

**DATES AND TIMES:** October 23-27, 2023

Times: See Agenda

**Pricing: LHA Member (Includes Corporate/Associate Affiliates; 2023 dues must be paid.)**

- Initial Certification Course/Per Person: \$2,800
- Initial Certification Exam/Per Person: \$400
- Recertification Course and Exam/Per Person: \$1,600

**Pricing: Non-Member Hospital:**

- Initial Certification Course/Per Person: \$3,300
- Initial Certification Exam/Per Person: \$500
- Recertification Course and Exam/Per Person: \$1,900

### Included with Pricing of Certification Course

- Onsite Classroom Training
- WCEI® Skin & Wound Mgmt. Course Workbook
- Learning Aides: Glossary, Sample Questions
- Tools: A Business Tote Bag, Pen, and Highlighter
- Pre-Exam Certification Review
- Exclusive Access to Resource Materials
- Lunch Provided Each Day
- Pre-course Nutrition Module for RD/RD
- Continuing Education Contact Hours Upon Completion (see Continuing Education Statements)

*\*NAWCO® requires a minimum of 15 **initial** certification participants to have a proctor available for testing on day 5, otherwise online testing options are available.*

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**REGISTRATION:** Registrations are accepted online only, and VISA, Master Card, Discover, and American Express are accepted. **Email confirmations and further instructions will be sent to registrant upon completion of registration.**

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** Cancellations must be received 60 days prior to the course and in writing by email to [marthur@lhaonline.org](mailto:marthur@lhaonline.org) for refund minus \$75 cancellation fee. Cancellations received less than 60 days prior to the scheduled event, or individuals who fail to attend, forfeit the full registration fee. No transfer of programs to another program with LHA are allowed. Once the course materials are distributed no refunds will be issued and full payment is expected.

### SUBSTITUTION POLICY:

Registrants who are unable to participate in an LHA educational event are permitted, and encouraged, to have an eligible substitute; however, written notice of the substitution must be emailed to [marthur@lhaonline.org](mailto:marthur@lhaonline.org) at least seven business days in advance of the event. The substitution option is not available if written notification is received by the LHA less than seven business days prior to the scheduled program.

### ACCOMODATIONS:

Please contact the LHA if you have a disability that may require special accommodations for this educational opportunity. The LHA is committed to ensuring full accessibility for all registrants.