



## Fundamentals of Infection Prevention and Control

This course introduces new and existing infection prevention and control practitioners to the key concepts of infection prevention and control (IPC) which underpin IPC practice in all healthcare settings.

The practitioner will complete nine learning modules through distance learning, supported by an experienced IPC practitioner and mentor. Learning will be enhanced through regular Zoom meetings with your mentor and other course participants.

This course is suitable for a healthcare worker who has a role or an interest in IPC and can commit to around 60 hours of study over four months. A certificate will be awarded to participants on completion of the course.

Participants can claim up to 60 hours professional development hours.

### Modules

1. Hand hygiene
2. Standard and transmission-based precautions  
(2 workbooks)
3. Microbiology
4. Surveillance and monitoring of infection
5. Outbreak management
6. Communicable diseases
7. Occupational health
8. Cleaning, disinfection and sterilisation
9. Construction and renovation



### Cost

The programme is currently for NZNO IPCNC members. Non-NZNO IPCNC members will be required to pay a levy of \$200.

Contact the Course Co-ordinator – Joanne Baigent [glen-iti@xtra.co.nz](mailto:glen-iti@xtra.co.nz) for an Application Form.