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## **Maternal Newborn Nursing Exam Review**

Understanding the NCC Exam

### **Course Description**

Presented in lecture format, this course reviews topics for the Maternal Newborn Nursing Exam by the National Certification Corporation (NCC). Elements of the examination are discussed, followed by a review of the content. The major components include disease processes during pregnancy, maternal and fetal complications, postpartum and neonatal assessments. Practice questions are integrated throughout the presentation.

### **Program Learning Outcomes**

This program prepares the learner to:

- Describe the Maternal Newborn Nursing Exam, test plan and the practice requirements to sit for the exam.
- Construct a study plan for the exam based on understanding the blueprint and domains of practice covered.
- Identify common mistakes and pitfalls that are made during studying and testing for the exam.
- Recall the core components covered in the exam through didactic supplementation and test questions.

### **Agenda**

0800

Sign-in begins at 7:30 am. Each day includes a one-hour lunch (on your own), as well as a morning and afternoon break of 15 minutes each. The order of lectures presented and break times may vary according to speaker preference.

### Day 1, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

0800	Exam Review   Taking the Exam   Reference Review
0900	Pregnancy, Birth Risk Factors and Complications Antenatal Factors
0930	Break
0945	Antepartum Risk Factors and Complications Hypertension   Diabetes   Cardiac Disease   Common Bacterial and Viral Infections
1130	Lunch
1230	Antepartum Risk Factors and Complications (cont.) Common Bacterial and Viral Infections   Anemias: Iron Deficiency and Folic Acid   Substance Abuse   Preterm Labor   Multiple Gestation
1315	Fetal Assessment Ultrasound   Non-Stress Test   Biophysical Profile   Maternal Screenings
1345	Break
1400	Factors Affecting Maternal/Neonatal Outcomes: Intrapartum Factors Significance of Fetal Heart Rate Patterns   Regional Anesthesia   Complications of Labor   Cord Gases
1500	Maternal Postpartum Assessment, Management and Education Physiologic Changes   Physical Assessment   Nursing Care
1600	Adjourn

### Day 2, 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

0800	Physiological Changes   Physical Assessment   Nursing Care
0830	<b>Lactation</b> Anatomy and Physiology   Hormonal Influences   Breastmilk Composition   Breastfeeding Complications   Newborn Feeding and Nutrition
0930	Break
0945	Psychosocial and Ethical Issues Normal Parent/Infant Interactions   Perinatal Grief   Ethical Principles
1015	Maternal Postpartum Complications Hematologic   Infection
1115	Lunch
1215	Maternal Postpartum Complications (cont.) Infection
1245	Newborn Assessment and Management Transition to Extrauterine Life
1315	Break
1330	Newborn Assessment and Management (cont.) Physical Assessment and Gestational Age Assessment   Newborn Complications
1500	Adjourn

# **Accreditation**

RN/LPN/LVN/Other: 12 Contact Hours

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