

PEDIATRIC TRAUMA MANAGEMENT (PTM) Course

The **PTM** Performer Course for health professionals and rescuers is part of the basic trauma emergency training, organized and promoted by NRC.

Course objectives

The PTM course stems from the need to standardize an approach to the pediatric traumatized patient on the territory that, in a clear and simple way, puts the rescuer, including doctors and nurses, in a position to highlight the criticalities of the polytraumatized pediatric patient so as to implement life-saving maneuvers of his competence and the immediate alerting of an advanced team. It is recommended to have obtained the RCPUD qualification

Course Recipients

The course is aimed at doctors, nurses and rescuers

Instructors

The instructors are trained doctors and nurses, who, having completed the training course required by the NRC Advanced Courses regulations, have been certified by NRC as an Advanced Instructor. PTM Instructors may be present in support.

Participant/instructor ratio

6:1

NRC Teaching Methodology

- Course carried out entirely in presence;
- Theoretical lectures
- Practical training station on simple techniques in small groups on dummies;
- Simulation station of complete scenarios;

Full course duration

16 hours

Time dedicated to theory

About 3 hours

Time spent practicing

Approximately 13 hours

Duration of the retraining course

8 hours

Certification

Attending the course and passing the final evaluation allow you to obtain an NRC certification valid for 60 months (5 years). It is mandatory to carry out an intermediate update at the end of 30 months (2.5 years)

To renew the certification and maintain the skills and competencies, it is necessary to take a retraining course.

It is possible to access a retraining course within **3 months** from the expiry date of the entire course; this does not entail an extension of the initial validity, but simply facilitates the admission of learners to the retraining course, making the period that allows access to the course longer.

Passing the retraining course extends the validity of the certificate by another 60 months.

Opportunities for advancement in the training course

PTM candidates, who have demonstrated practical skills, adequate theoretical knowledge and communicative-relational skills (criteria listed and specified in the "Potential Instructor Application Form") can be candidates as Potential Advanced Course Instructors.

Important notice:

The LTC NRC secretariat is required to send each learner a WELCOME LETTER containing the credentials to access the reserved area to download an original copy of the NRC PTM manual, published by NRC Edizioni.