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11 CLINICAL &
5 ETHICAL CEUs**

**LEVEL
2**

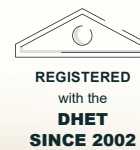
TELEMEDICINE FOR SPECIALIST MEDICAL PRACTICES: FOR CLINICIANS



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▶ INTRODUCTION

Telemedicine has been rapidly evolving over the last decades and this has been expedited by the COVID-19 pandemic. The benefits of telemedicine range from improved accessibility to being cost- and time effective.

This short course has been designed to provide medical specialists with the knowledge and skills required to provide effective, safe and timely telemedicine services at their practices. This course can also provide practitioners with existing telemedicine practices with the necessary skills to evaluate their services and improve where needed.

Yulun Wang, president of the American Telemedicine Association said: "Telemedicine will become the core methodology of healthcare delivery in the future. That is where we are going to get the efficiencies, we need to provide affordable care".

▶ WHO SHOULD ENROL

Medical specialists.

▶ LEARNING OUTCOMES

After completion of this course, you should be able to:

- Discuss the importance and pitfalls of telemedicine.
- Determine appropriate patients for virtual management and conduct an effective telemedicine session.
- Translate knowledge about technological considerations for telemedicine to ensure you have the right technology in place at your own practice and for the patients.
- Distinguish different types of telemedicine facilitators and their roles, as well as what equipment they may need and how they gather information.
- Apply the legislative and ethical considerations in relation to telemedicine.
- Discuss how to implement, optimize, and ethically market telemedicine services for your practice.

▶ COURSE CONTENT

The study material, developed by experts in the field, covers the following aspects:

1. Introduction to the 'New Normal'.
2. Practitioner Skills.
3. Technology requirements.

4. Healthforce Requirements.
5. Legislative and ethical considerations.
6. Digital Business Management.

▶ COURSE DESIGN

This course is offered as an interactive online course that comprises of comprehensive learning material that is supplemented with additional learning resources. The course is CPD/CME accredited. Students have three months to complete the course from the date of enrolment. It will take approximately 10-14 hours to work through the content and complete the assessment process.

▶ ASSESSMENT

Participants are required to complete a multiple-choice questionnaire at the end of the course and a score of at least 70% is required overall to qualify for a certificate of completion.

▶ CERTIFICATION

FPD will award successful participants with a certificate on completion of this course should they successfully complete the assessment process.

▶ ACCREDITATION

Accredited according to the HPCSA's Medical and Dental Board Guidelines for 11 Clinical CEUs and 5 Ethical CEUs on Level 2.

▶ COURSE DURATION

Participants are required to complete this course within 3 months from date of registration.

▶ COURSE FEE

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