

Summary of Basic Medicine Course

Duration: 3 Hours

The aims of this course are to give attendees a basic understanding of their role, administering medication, the use of policies, procedures and prescriptions.

Course Content;

Legislation regarding medicines
The role of GP's Pharmacists, nurses and carers
Categories of medicines
Prescriptions
How to administer medicines correctly:

Tablets and Capsules
Liquids
Inhalers
Ear and Eye drops
Nasal sprays
Sub lingual

Storage of medicines
Policies in residential homes regarding medications
Homely remedies
Errors in dispensing
Self administration of drugs
Responsibilities regarding re-ordering of medicines

Methods;

Video
Discussion
Test
Evaluation
Summary: