

MEDITERM INTERMEDIATE AWARD IN MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY (LEVEL 2)

KEY FACTS

Course Duration: 12 weeks as standard with option to complete in less time or more time depending on requirements

Course Dates: Flexible course start time.. Students begin their studies as soon as funding is confirmed

Cost: £325

Suitability: Anyone encountering medical terminology in their role and wishes to expand their knowledge

Qualification: Mediterm Intermediate Award in Medical Terminology Level 2

Prefixes – Module 1

PREFIX	MEANING	EXAMPLE OF WORD IN USE
a/an	absence of	anaesthesia- absence of feeling
ab-	away from	abduction-moving a limb away from midline of the body
ad-	towards	adduction- moving a limb towards the midline of the body
ante-	before	antenatal- before childbirth
anti-	against	antiseptic -drug to fight against infection
auto-	self	autotransfusion- blood transfusion from patient's own blood
bi-	two	bilateral-both sides
bio-	life	biology-study of living things
brady-	slow	bradycardia- condition of slow heart beat
circum-	around	circumcision- an incision around the tip of the penis
co/con-	together/joined	conjoined twins- two babies born attached to each other at some point
contra-	against	contraception - against conceiving
cryo-	cold	cryotherapy- treatment using cold/freezing techniques
cyano-	blue	cyanosis- condition of blueness of the skin due to lack of oxygen
de-	away from/removing	detoxification- removing poisons from the body
dia-	through	diarrhoea- through discharge (of faeces)

COURSE DELIVERY

- Online/distance learning with mentored support and access to designated portal area and revision app
- Module per fortnight studied (5 in total) then revision test submitted to mentor for marking and feedback. 4 past papers completed at end of course with feedback from mentor
- Access to clinic letters, crosswords and video clips to aid learning
- Teams blended learning session for module 1, Teams revision session to discuss exam strategies and complete past paper

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TYPE THE ANSWER

COURSE CONTENT

- Basics of Medical Terminology - word building
- Major bones of the body
- Common roots, prefixes and suffixes
- Pharmaceutical abbreviations
- Classification of drugs
- Anatomy and Physiology of the body systems
- Instruments and investigations
- Medical Specialities and personnel
- Medical Abbreviations (NEW CONTENT)
- Blood tests (NEW CONTENT)
- Key facts concerning the top 20 medical diagnoses in the UK (NEW CONTENT)

FAQs:

Where does the exam take place? Using cutting-edge technology, students can sit the exam anywhere at anytime following our strict online invigilation protocol

Is the exam written? No! We're now ONLINE, meaning faster results, detailed feedback and a prompt distribution of certificates

What is the exam pass mark? In order to pass the exam you must obtain a score of 70% or above. There are three pass grades you could obtain: Pass = 70%+ , Merit = 80%+ Distinction = 90%+

Can I retake the exam if I don't pass? Yes, in as little as 2 weeks you will be able to resit your exam for a fee of £50 subject to completing an additional 2 past papers to your mentor for marking

(i) Give the medical term for the following. Print clearly in BLOCK CAPITALS.

- 1 Discharge from the nose
- 2 Surgical removal of the stomach
- 3 Inflammation of the throat
- 4 Disease of the kidney
- 5 Artificial opening into windpipe
- 6 Examination of voice box with lighted instrument
- 7 Enlargement of the spleen
- 8 A stone in the bladder

(ii) Give the meaning of the following medical specialities. Print clearly in BLOCK CAPITALS.

- 1 Paediatrics
- 2 Immunology
- 3 Oncology
- 4 Dermatology
- 5 Orthopaedics
