



## **OB Emergencies**

**Presenter:**

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**Tuesday, April 17, 2012**

**9:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.**

**RWHC Office & Training Center  
880 Independence Lane, Sauk City**

### **Target Audience**

Obstetric and emergency room nurses

### **Program Description**

This course is designed to review several obstetrical emergencies which require the caregiver to recognize risk factors, assessment findings and required interventions to low volume/high risk OB situations. Throughout the day, several obstetrical emergencies will be reviewed along with describing signs and symptoms and priority interventions needed/required; these include, but are not limited to: pre-eclampsia/HELLP syndrome, obstetrical hemorrhage situations, shoulder dystocia, emergency delivery, uterine trauma and premature labor. In addition, knowledge learned will be applied and integrated into several simulated case studies.

### **Program Objectives**

Participants will be able to:

1. Recognize the anatomy and physiology characteristics/considerations to each identified emergency discussed
2. Review obstetrical emergency situations to include (but not limited to): pre-eclampsia/HELLP syndrome, obstetrical hemorrhage (placenta previa, abruptio placenta, post-partum hemorrhage), shoulder dystocia, emergency delivery, prolapsed cord, uterine trauma and premature labor.
3. Prioritize nursing interventions to be implemented in the various emergencies
4. Engage in critical thinking/incorporating the knowledge learned through case studies/simulation

**Continuing Education Credit**

0.6 continuing education units (CEUs) will be provided through RWHC, a CEU provider through the Wisconsin Society for Healthcare Education and Training (WISHET).

**Program Fee**

RWHC Members: \$150 per person

Non-RWHC Members: \$180 per person

**Participants are on their own for lunch.** Registration deadline is March 27. Organizations that register three or more participants will receive a 20% discount.

Please do NOT send payment; RWHC will invoice your organization. For questions, please contact Carrie Ballweg, Education Coordinator, 608-643-2343.

**Cancellation Policy**

Cancellations received up to two weeks prior to a program will receive a full refund, less a \$25 processing fee. No refunds will be given for cancellations received less than two weeks prior to the program. Substitutions are accepted.

**Program Registration**

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***Please print clearly and provide complete information:***

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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***Please do not send pre-payment, RWHC will invoice your facility.***

Please return this registration form **by March 27** to: RWHC, Attn.: Denise Sackmann, 880 Independence Lane, Sauk City, WI 53583, fax: (608) 643-4936.