

Certificate of Completion

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has participated in the following education session:
Vaccine Preventable Disease: Hepatitis B

Presenter The Nursing CPD Institute

In this session you will:

- Gain information regarding the epidemiology of the Hepatitis B in Australia
- Learn the clinical features associated with this virus
- Gain knowledge regarding the currently available vaccine in Australia
- Attain information regarding vaccine precautions, considerations including special groups of individuals and the protocol for the vaccine administration

Completed on

30 April 2019 (duration of 1 hour/s)

This equates to 1 CPD Hour/s (Continuing Professional Development)

REFLECTION:

Hepatitis B infection in approximately 30 to 50% of adults, causes symptomatic acute hepatitis, but in neonates and young children, particularly those <1 year of age, initial infection is usually asymptomatic.

Following acute infection, approximately 1 to 10% of persons infected in adulthood, but up to 90% of those infected in early infancy, become chronically infected with hepatitis B. Persons chronically infected with HBV are identified by the long-term presence (longer than 6 months) of circulating HBsAg. Those with occult infection may reactivate HBV infection if they become immunocompromised.



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