Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC)

The Emergency Nurses Association (ENA) TNCC 9th edition course is now ready for dissemination throughout New Zealand. This course will be coordinated by Hayley Kinchant, a New Zealand trained nurse with 15+ years of teaching TNCC in the US, along with training and mentoring new instructors and directors, and assisting health care organisations to set up their own Training Centres.

With the support of the Emergency Nurses Association, we will be identifying and training new instructors to teach TNCC throughout the country. The aim is to create a pool of local instructors and to identify organisations that would like to become training centers. In doing so we can dramatically reduce the overall costs of taking this course. As Instructors are trained, we will be able to offer organisations a three-tiered approach to obtaining TNCC verification.

Tier One: A TNCC team consisting of the Course Director and an appropriate number of Instructors to maintain a 1:6 teaching ratio comes to the organisation and provides a 2 day TNCC provider class. This is the model that has been used in NZ for the past 20+ years and has a fixed fee per student applied.

Tier Two: A TNCC Director will host a 2 day TNCC provider class with the host organisation providing the instructors (to maintain a 1:6 teaching ratio). There is a reduced fee per student at this tier.

Tier Three: The host organisation will independently host a 2 day TNCC provider using their own Course Director and Instructors (to maintain a 1:6 teaching ratio). The cost for hosting at this tier is dramatically reduced with more than a 60% reduction in price.

You can now book a 9th edition TNCC class at your organisation by contacting Hayley Kinchant. Courses are limited at this time to one course per month until we have an adequate instructor pool to offer more classes and will be assigned on a first come first serve basis. If you are interested in hosting a course at your organisation or would like additional information, please contact:

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