

Adult – Overview of Four Main Heart Functions

Course Description: This module describes the four classifications of heart malfunction: Pressure, Overload, Arrhythmia, and Ischemia/Injury. It presents treatment goals for each classification, describes patient education, and discusses documentation tips relating to cardiac medications. The module will build both knowledge and confidence when treating cardiac patients.

Course Objectives:

- Briefly describe the four main heart malfunctions
- Compare and contrast the four classifications of heart malfunctions: Pressure, Overload, Arrhythmia, and Ischemia/Injury
- Describe the goals of treatment for each classification
- Discuss patient education and documentation tips relating to cardiac medications