



## **Preventing Infection Course (PIC) 2019/20**

This exciting 2 day course is ideal for Infection Prevention Leads and will help you meet your CQC educational requirements. An in-depth course with an exceptional opportunities to visit the Microbiology Laboratory and Sterile Services Department. With bespoke sessions from Consultant Microbiologists.

Places are extremely limited on this popular course, and, therefore, early booking is recommended to avoid disappointment. This is a sample programme.

Time	Topic Day 1		Location/ Facilitators
08.45	Registration		Classroom, Education Centre
09.00	Introduction and Welcome Quiz and Culture Plates		Infection Prevention and Control Specialists
09.45	Hand Hygiene for Staff and Patients/ Service Users		Infection Prevention and Control Support Nurse
10.25	Break		
10.45	Standard Precautions		Infection Prevention and Control Specialist
11.30	Introduction to Microbiology		Consultant Microbiologist
12.30	Lunch Break		
	Group 1:	Visit to Sterile Services Department	Sterile Services Manager
13.15		Decontamination and Antibiotic Resistant Bacteria, e.g., MRSA, MRGNB, CPE	Infection Prevention and Control Specialist
13.15	Group 2:	Visit to Microbiology Laboratory	Microbiologists
15.00	Comfort Break		
15.15	Chain of Infection (including Clostridium difficile)		Matron, Infection Prevention and Control
16.00	Question Time		
16.15	Close		

Time	Topic Day 2		Location/ Facilitators
08.45	Registration		Classroom, Education Centre
09.00	Group 1: Prevention and Control of Outbreaks in Health and Social Care Settings Group 2: Asepsis		Infection Prevention and Control Nurses
10.10	Break		
10.30	CQC Inspections and Requirements		Infection Prevention and Control Specialists
11.30	Hot Topic Slot		Infection Prevention and Control Specialists
12.00	Antibiotic Stewardship		Consultant Microbiologist
12.30	Review of Culture Plates		Microbiologist
12.45	Lunch Break (please note different time from yesterday)		
13.30	Group 2:	Visit to Sterile Services Department	Sterile Services Manager
		Decontamination and Antibiotic Resistant Bacteria, e.g., MRSA, MRGNB, CPE	Infection Prevention and Control Specialist
13.30	Group 1:	Visit to Microbiology Laboratory	Microbiologists
15.15	Improving IPC Practice		Infection Prevention and Control Specialists
15.45	Evaluation and Question Time		
16.15	Close		