## **Workplace Violence Prevention Course for Nurses**



Healthcare workers face the risk of physical and non-physical violence on the job. In 2014, more than 9,000 healthcare professionals experienced workplace violence related injuries that required days away from work.



To address this issue, NIOSH developed an award-winning, online Workplace Violence Prevention Course for Nurses. This course educates healthcare professionals on the scope and nature of violence and how to prevent it in the workplace.

## **About the Course**



More than **20,000** healthcare professionals have completed the course and **earned continuing education units.** 



This **interactive course**, highlights **real-life workplace violence incidents**, and is available at **no cost**.



The course is intended for **healthcare professionals** — nurses, physicians, nursing students, health educators — but is **available to anyone** interested in learning about prevention strategies.



The course includes **13 modules** that take about **15 minutes each to complete**, and a posttest.



Take the course at a time that is convenient for you. If you have to stop the course to care for a patient, you can pickup where you left off.



To take the course and earn free continuing education units visit: www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/violence/training\_nurses.html

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