

Allied Health Course



Course at a Glance

Run in conjunction with the Monash Health Physiotherapy and Speech Pathology Critical Care & Surgical Services stream, these interactive simulation courses are designed to equip physiotherapists and speech pathologists with a structured approach to the assessment and management of ventilated and tracheostomised patients respectively. These courses both have a strong emphasis on multidisciplinary care, and aim to consolidate and refine skills in communication and collaborative practice.

Course Topics

These separate courses are both run as half day sessions. Both sessions incorporate the use of high fidelity clinical simulation scenarios followed by facilitated discussions to assist physiotherapists in improving confidence and competence in the multidisciplinary assessment and management of:

- Mechanically ventilated patients within the intensive care unit
- Tracheostomised patients across a range of care settings

Who can attend?

These courses have been specifically developed for **Monash Health** Physiotherapists and Speech Pathologists who work in the intensive care unit (ICU) as well as those who provide care to patients with a tracheostomy. This includes those who contribute to the ICU weekend service.

These courses are well-suited to staff looking to advance their clinical skills in the management of these patient populations, and may also serve as a refresher to those returning to the critical care environment.

National Safety and Quality Health Service Standards, Comprehensive Care Standard, Communicating for Safety Standard and Recognising and responding to Acute Deterioration Standard

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Course Dates 2026

The Ventilated Patient:

Tuesday 9th June

The Tracheotomised Patient :

Thursday 16th April

Tuesday 8th September

Course Timings:

Half-day sessions running from 12.00pm to approximately 4.00 pm.

Venue:

Monash Simulation
Moorabbin Hospital
823-865 Centre Rd
East Bentleigh
VIC 3165

Any questions?

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