

Phlebotomy Training

Live Bloods Clinic Sessions (Stage 2)

Course ID: FA-S2LBS | **Duration:** 2 Sessions (over one morning or over two mornings)

(A session is approximately 2 hours. Hours may vary depending on how busy the clinic is with patients)

Dates: Arranged Individually *(the standard wait time for Stage 2 training is minimum 2-3 weeks after once Stage 1 training is completed)*

Price: £290 (exc. VAT) for two sessions *(Minimum booking is for two sessions. Thereafter, each session is priced at £130 exc. VAT)*

Course Description

The last stage of our Phlebotomy Training takes place in an NHS facility and gives you the opportunity to take blood from real patients under the one-to-one supervision of a Floreo trainer. Here, you will develop your technical and interpersonal skills in an authentic clinical setting, performing the procedures you will regularly carry out as a practicing phlebotomist. On completion, you will be issued with a **Certificate of Competency** awarded jointly with the NHS facility in which you train.

The time it takes to achieve competency varies from individual to individual - two sessions is often sufficient to develop the necessary level of knowledge and skills, but this will remain at the discretion of the trainer assessing your performance.

Entry Requirements

- **Aged 18** or over
 - **Hepatitis B** vaccinated (1st Jab Only) and **Covid-19** (both 1st & 2nd Jab)
 - Completion of our Introductory Course (Stage-1)
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Course Content

Practical Instruction of:

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| • Patient Identification | • Identifying Appropriate Equipment |
| • Explaining Procedures to Patients | • Obtaining Venous Blood Safely |
| • Providing Information & Patient Sensitivity | • Minimising Discomfort |
| • Obtaining Valid Consent | • Disposal of Sharps & Clinical Waste |
| • Maintaining Patient Confidentiality | • Labelling Samples & the Order of Draw |
| • Infection Control Measures | • Dealing with Common Adverse Reactions |
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Learning Outcomes

Practical Knowledge of:

- ✓ Methods for obtaining positive confirmation of individuals' identity
 - ✓ How to gain valid consent before carry out phlebotomy procedures
 - ✓ Issuing relevant information and sensitivity to patient needs and concerns
 - ✓ Applying precautions for infection prevention and control
 - ✓ How to prepare individuals for obtaining venous blood and managing personal beliefs and preferences
 - ✓ Selecting and preparing a suitable site for venepuncture and appropriate blood collection equipment
 - ✓ Performing venepuncture safely and applying/releasing a tourniquet at appropriate stages of the procedure
 - ✓ Factors likely to cause patient discomfort and how to minimise them
 - ✓ Recognising common adverse reactions and actions to take if they occur
 - ✓ How to correctly label blood samples and the Order of Draw
 - ✓ Ensuring the safe disposal of sharps and clinical waste
 - ✓ Working within your own sphere of competence and reporting incidents
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Certificates & Progression

- Following satisfactory performance, participants are issued with a **Certificate of Competency** awarded jointly with the NHS facility in which they have undertaken their training.
 - References will be provided as and when required.
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