



Clinical Remediation: An Overview



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• Dr. Henson reports no conflicts of interest associated with this course.

Short Description

Clinical Remediation: An Overview is a free dental continuing education course that covers a wide range of topics relevant to the oral healthcare professional community.

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Overview

Clinical remediation is the act of facilitating corrective teaching within the process of clinical care. Students need personalized facilitated feedback and evaluation to assist them to be competent and autonomous practitioners. This faculty module will discuss and describe the various factors in the clinical remediation process.

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this course, the dental professional should be able to:

- Discuss and explain the term competence.
- Discuss institutional expectations and clinical competence.
- Explain and discuss the learning curve.
- Describe the various components of clinical remediation.
- Discuss the importance of documentation.

Video: Clinical Remediation: An Overview



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Course Test Preview

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1. What is the primary goal of clinical education?

- A. To graduate a competent clinician
- B. To provide feedback only when needed
- C. To graduate mediocre practitioners
- D. To instill life-long learning

2. Competencies are based on which of the following two items?

- A. Feedback and assessment
- B. Domains and standards
- C. Expectations and ethics
- D. Motivation and reflection

3. The ______ represents the relationship between episodes of practice and level of performance.

- A. competency threshold
- B. learning curve
- C. competency domain
- D. learning objectives
- 4. ______ is the recognition of the need to implement intervention strategies to improve student performance that, if otherwise left unattended, would result in adverse consequences?
 - A. Peer observation
 - B. Feedback session
 - C. Clinical remediation
 - D. Reflective practice
- 5. The remediation process begins with identifying the student at risk, through failure of an examination or identification in the clinical area by the clinical instructor.
 - A. Both statements are TRUE.
 - B. Both statements are FALSE.
 - C. The first statement is TRUE, and the second statement is FALSE.
 - D. The first statement is FALSE, and the second statement is TRUE.
- 6. When a student is unable to demonstrate an adequate skill development in order to move to the next level, then remediation becomes necessary.
 - A. True
 - B. False
- 7. Which of the following is NOT a component of a clinical remediation?
 - A. Defined goals and objectives
 - B. A realistic time frame
 - C. How and where remediation will be addressed
 - D. Documentation as needed

8.	B. When addressing an accreditation standard in regards to a remediation,	which	of the
	following is the first step?		

- A. Developing the remediation plan
- B. How are students identified for the process
- C. How the plan is communicated
- D. The various types of educational methodologies that are utilized

9. \	Whenever possible, reassessment strategies should be recommended by the	e remediation
	team but performed by an unbiased group of educators who are not awa	re that the
	learner had deficits and underwent remediation is known as	

- A. formative assessment
- B. summative assessment
- C. faculty reassessment
- D. summative feedback

10. ______ is absolutely critical and the most important component of the remediation process.

- A. Debriefing
- B. Documentation
- C. Deliberating
- D. Discussion

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Additional Resources

· No Additional Resources Available.

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