



Verification of Expected Death – eLearning

Course Overview:

To provide underpinning knowledge associated with best practice for verifying an expected death, including a simulated practical experience in a controlled environment to assist the development of competent verification skills of a deceased person and to raise awareness of what could be a suspicious death.

By the end of the course, candidates will be able to:

- Discuss legal and professional responsibilities associated with verification of an expected death within local and national guidance
- Follow procedures for correct documentation
- Describe relevant anatomy
- Identify necessary equipment
- Give a detailed description of the clinical examination and assessment that enables a verification of death to be made
- Demonstrate practical ability in a simulated clinical examination of a deceased Person
- List the people that may need to be contacted after a death
- Outline certain aspects that could raise concerns of a suspicious death

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