

About the HEMI Advanced Wound Care Course

The HEMI Advanced Wound Course is a three-day intensive educational program for health professionals involved in the management of wounds and tissue repair.

The course has been operating in Australia for over 12 years under the direction of Professor Donald MacLellan and Associate Professor Gerit Mulder of Health Education and Management Innovations (HEMI). HEMI have created a strategic partnership with PAUL HARTMANN who provides them with corporate sponsorship.

The aim of the program is to improve the practice of wound management by:

- Exploring the pathophysiology of wound and tissue repair;
- Determining the principles of wound healing;
- Examining the latest techniques in wound healing and tissue repair;
- Expanding knowledge of wound pharmaceuticals, dressings and bandages,
- Providing an opportunity to interact with and join a network of health care providers involved in wound care.

The program is conducted in a collegiate environment where discussion and mutual support is emphasised and the attendee is encouraged to actively participate in the interactions to ensure maximum benefit at an individual level.

Attending the HEMI Advanced Wound Care Course will provide the participant with an improved knowledge base in wound repair, enhanced ability to critically assess published wound care literature, ability to be involved in clinical writing and research on wound related conditions and an enduring network of clinicians dealing with similar tissue repair problems.

An outline of the modules for HEMI Advanced Wound Care Course includes:

- Physiology of healing
- Arterial disease
- Traumatic wounds
- Antiseptics
- Wound bed preparation
- Diabetic neuropathy
- Diabetic offloading
- Growth factors
- Compression therapy
- Pressure ulceration
- Venous pathophysiology
- Vasculitic ulcers
- Infection and wound healing
- VTE/critical reading
- Clinical research
- How to write a paper