

ACE

An introduction to the assessment & management of rheumatic diseases

Join us for a 4 day (2 half-days virtual and 2 in-person) course on best practices in the assessment and management of common rheumatic conditions. This course will provide approximately **21** hours of live instructional time, with an additional requirement of **4** hours of pre-viewing

Virtual (via Zoom): May 2 & 4, 12:30 pm to 4:30 pm

In-Person: May 9 & 10, 8:00am to 4:30pm

In person sessions will take place at the Mary Pack Arthritis Center:
895 W 10 Avenue, Vancouver, BC

Core & RN-specific content includes:

Virtual Content

- Overview of Rheumatic Disease
- Medical Management of Arthritis
- Nutrition and Weight Management
- Rheumatoid Arthritis Assessment and Management
- Osteoarthritis Assessment and Management
- Case Studies and clinical pearls
- Pain Management
- Physical Activity Guidance and Support

In Person Content

- Spondyloarthritis Assessment and Management
- Biologics/biosimilars & Jak inhibitors
- Self Management and Patient Education
- Understanding & Managing Lupus
- Occupational Therapy in the Management of Arthritis
- Understanding and Managing Osteoporosis
- Inflammatory Arthritis Assessment & Physical Exam (with patient participants)
- Interdisciplinary Case Studies (with patient participants)

Early Bird:

Full Course: **\$700**^{+GST}

Virtual Only: **\$150**^{+GST}

Deadline MAR 1

(\$750/\$200+ GST thereafter)

**FINAL REGISTRATION
DEADLINE APRIL 1**



Register online:

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FOR MORE INFORMATION, contact:

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Please note: under current BC Provincial health guidelines, all visitors to our facility require proof of full vaccination