**Online Learning - how it works and why it could be the perfect study option for you!**

Thanks to the rapid advancement of technology, online learning is a part of many institutions' course offerings around the world.

Offered by some of the world's top-ranked institutions, online learning offers you all the perks of attending your dream learning center, with the added convenience of a **learning experience tailored to your schedule and**  flexible timetables to suit almost every lifestyle, It could also allow you to study remotely, not necessarily in your home country!

In general, when taking an online program, you might encounter resources like:

* Handouts
* Videos
* Quizzes
* Recorded lectures
* Discussion forums
* Live Q&A sessions
* Journals and
* Interviews

Taking an online learning program, you will be an officially registered student by Ujuzi Fursa Africa and have access to the same resources as a full-time student. You have the freedom to direct your own study schedule.

**Handouts**

1. These written materials are essential resources in almost every course you will take when learning online.
2. Use the reading list for each course.
3. You will need to dedicate the amount of time you need to read and understanding the topics in the literature. The main advantage of using this medium is the fact that they are completely portable, allowing you to study on the go from your computer, phone, or tablet.

**Delivery of online Learning**

The course or module’s learning resources will be delivered via google classroom

**Interactive sessions**

We will use interactive question-and-answer sessions to give you the interaction with other students and instructors you need

**Online Learning Assessment**

Students will be tested at regular intervals throughout their study period to assess their understanding of the course materials.

For those new to online education, this process can be intimidating. But there is no need to worry! Ujuzi Fursa Africa has experienced professionals, they will ensure that your assessments are fair, comfortable, and designed to help you make the most of your learning experience.

**Modules**

The course has 5 modules. For each module, you will receive different sections and under each section, you will receive videos. You will be required to read notes in each section, listen to the videos and attempt knowledge quiz, comprised of 3 questions with answers at the end of attempt.

**Exams**

Exams are a keyway to test your learning.

Students will be allowed to complete their exams on their own personal computer, in a location of their choosing.

**COURSE- INFECTION CONTROL AND PREVENTION (IPC)**

Healthcare providers play a vital role in preventing the development and spread of infections among patients. This course contains evidence-based recommendations for the prevention of spread of infections Measures of infection control include identifying patients at risk, observing hand hygiene and following standard precautions to reduce transmission.

**Objective**

The primary purpose of the Infection Control and Prevention Program course is to provide a framework for the active and ongoing world-wide efforts to control and prevent spread of COVID-19.

**The definitive goals**

Describe universal precautions, standard precautions, and transmission-based precautions prevent transmission of diseases

The course has 5 Modules as follows:

1. MODULE 1: Hand hygiene and Gloving
2. MODULE 2: Decontamination of medical devices
3. MODULE 3-Environmental infection control in Patient-Care Areas.
4. MODULE 4-Isolation Precaution
5. MODULE 5-Health Care-Associated Infections (HAI)

**MODULE 1: Hand hygiene and Gloving**

You have a responsibility of practicing good hand hygiene and implementing all other methods designed to keep the patient patients safe and their environment too.

When you have completed this module, you should:

1. Understand the importance of hand hygiene and gloving in infection prevention
2. Describe and perform proper hand hygiene and gloving technique
3. Understand the factors that impact on hand hygiene compliance
4. Know how to measure hand hygiene compliance
5. Be familiar with interventions to improve hand hygiene compliance rates.
6. Evaluate your own handwashing habits and make positive changes.

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Unit 2- Methods of hand hygiene

Unit 3- skin/Hand care

Unit 4- Gloving Technique