

# THE PEDIATRIC TRAUMA COURSE THAT STARTS WHERE THE OTHER COURSES END

FOR INDIVIDUALS



**A COURSE FOR  
PEDIATRIC NURSES  
ACROSS THE TRAUMA  
SPECTRUM**

## PCAR Program Description

Unlike trauma programs targeted at prehospital or emergency care providers, the Pediatric Care After Resuscitation (PCAR) course was explicitly designed for bedside professionals who care for injured kids in critical care, perioperative, acute care, and rehabilitation settings.

PCAR gives inpatient staff members the essential knowledge and clinical reasoning skills to meet ACS and regulatory requirements and provide excellent care to this challenging patient population.

## Trauma Trained & Trauma Ready

Access top-notch trauma education in an entirely online, on-demand format, available whenever and wherever you are ready to learn.

- Each segment contains a professionally recorded video lecture with closed captioning and playback features
- Pre- and post-course tests document your knowledge acquisition
- Enrollment includes a FREE 180+ page downloadable, full-color, pdf manual
- The bibliography contains over 2300 references
- A 1000+ word glossary defines key trauma terms
- The *Ask a Trauma Nurse* link lets you pose questions and receive expert feedback
- 350+ trauma-related competencies are included (listed by course segment)
- 18 ANCC NCPD hours are awarded for PCAR completion
- Course access is available for 1 year
- PCAR verification is current for 4 years



# TRAUMA CARE DOESN'T STOP AT THE ED DOORS. WHY SHOULD TRAUMA EDUCATION?

- Fluid Management
- Delayed Injury Presentation
- Sepsis & Organ Failure
- Compartment Syndrome
- Mobilization
- Rhabdomyolysis
- Pain Management
- Age-related issues
- Nutrition
- Intra-abdominal Hypertension
- Late Complications
- Wound & Skin Care
- Non-Accidental Trauma
- Post-Traumatic Stress
- Organ & Tissue Donation

**TCAR**  
EDUCATION PROGRAMS



OFFICE HOURS:

Monday – Friday: 7:00 am – 5:00 pm US Pacific Time



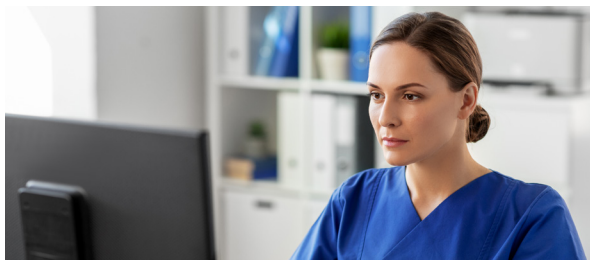
## PCAR Program Overview

PCAR is divided into 8 modules consisting of 75 bite-sized segments with over 700 interactions to reinforce learning. The PCAR course begins by focusing on concepts relevant to the nursing care of all injured, hospitalized children and adolescents:

- The trauma care spectrum
- The biomechanics of trauma
- The body's response to injury

Learners practice applying these concepts as they progress through case scenarios that cover the injury-to-discharge care of children with trauma to specific body regions. Cases include the surgical, medical, and nursing management of kids with:

- Thoracic trauma
- Abdominal trauma
- Musculoskeletal trauma
- Head trauma
- Spine & spinal cord trauma



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## A COMPREHENSIVE TRAUMA COURSE DESIGNED TO SATISFY THE LEARNING NEEDS OF PEDIATRIC INPATIENT NURSES AND OTHER CLINICIANS

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To receive a certificate of completion, learners must finish all portions of the course, complete a posttest, and submit a program evaluation. 18 NCPD hours are awarded for course completion.

TCAR Education Programs (a division of Visionem, Inc.) is accredited as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Continuing education hours are also provided through Visionem, Inc., a provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP 15483.

