



Concussion Recognition & Management Training Modules

Because research frequently sheds new light on concussion care, these training modules are provided to Nebraska licensed health care professionals as a comprehensive overview and guide for best practices in concussion recognition and management to ensure that every child sustaining a concussion in Nebraska is managed according to current best practices. **Continuing Medical Education Credit is offered by Children's Hospital & Medical Center.**

As a responsible licensed health care professional, it's important for you to be familiar with the requirements of the **Nebraska Concussion Awareness Act**, as well as understand how to assess and manage concussions.

Nebraska's Concussion Awareness Act. It's the law. (Effective Date July 1, 2012)

Contains the Three Tenets of Model Legislation

1. Education - Coaches, Parents and Student Athletes
2. Removal from Play - if a concussion is reasonably suspected
3. Clearance by a licensed Health Care Provider: licensed health care professional: physician or licensed practitioner under the direct supervision of a physician, a certified athletic trainer, a neuropsychologist; or other qualified individual who (a) is registered, licensed, certified or otherwise statutorily recognized by the state of Nebraska to provide health care services and (b) is trained in the evaluation and management of traumatic brain injuries among a pediatric population. Also, requires clearance from the athlete's parents.
4. PLUS...Requires schools to have a return to learn protocol in place. (Concussion Awareness Act Amendment, July 2014)

Topics include:

Module 1 - Concussion Awareness Act (.5 CME)

Module 2 - Characteristics & Epidemiology (.5 CME)

Module 3 - Concussion Signs & Symptoms (.5 CME)

Module 4 - Assessment (.5 CME)

Module 5 - Management (.5 CME)

Module 6 - Delayed Recovery (.5 CME)



Find training modules here: <http://dhhs.ne.gov/ConcussionManage>

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