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Staff Development Department

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Course Size Limited: Pre-registration required

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COURSE TITLE:	Basic Dysrhythmia Course
DATE:	Tuesday-Wednesday-Thursday, June 29, 30 & July 1, 2010
TIME:	0900-1500
PLACE:	Board Room
INSTRUCTOR:	Felicia Moffett, RN, FNP, MSN, PHN, CCRN, MICN, CFRN; and Debbie Shafer
CONTACT HOURS:	16.5
FEE:	<u>\$80</u> payable at the time of the class. No fee for NIH/MH employees or if continuing education credit is not desired. A refund will be given when applicable.
COURSE DESCRIPTION:	An introductory course that includes basic anatomy of the heart, including the conduction system and a systematic approach to identification of dysrhythmia. Special emphasis will be placed on life-threatening dysrhythmias, in preparation for upcoming ACLS courses.
COURSE OBJECTIVES:	At the conclusion of this course the participant will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Correctly measure the time intervals of a rhythm strip on calibrated EKG paper</li><li>2. Identify the individual waveforms, segments, and intervals of the P, QRS, and T complexes and state the normal time interval range of each</li><li>3. Measure heart rate</li><li>4. Label all anatomical structures</li><li>5. Identify basic atrial, junctional, ventricular and sinus dysrhythmias</li><li>6. Identify first-, second- and third-degree blocks</li><li>7. Identify life-threatening dysrhythmias</li><li>8. Identify types of pacemakers commonly used</li></ol>
EVALUATION OF STUDENT:	<u>Post Test</u>

Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nurses, Provider #02458 and EMSA/ICEMA provider # 62-0079 for (16.5) contact hours. This course meets the requirements for CE for RCPS in California. (16.5) contact hours.