

PROJECT FIRSTLINE

CDC's National Training Collaborative for Healthcare Infection Prevention & Control

CDC's Project Firstline is a collaborative of diverse healthcare and public health partners that aims to provide engaging, innovative, and effective infection control training to more than 6 million healthcare personnel in the United States, as well as members of the public health workforce. Project Firstline will provide every person working in a U.S. healthcare facility the foundational understanding of infection control to protect the nation from infectious disease threats, such as COVID-19.

Empowering



Core Training

Provides all frontline healthcare personnel with foundational and COVID-19-specific infection control knowledge.



Practical Tools

Delivers training materials, supplemental memory aids, and resources to guide conversations with workers, residents, families, and patients.

Immersive



Engagement

Shares information across all healthcare settings through trusted partners and channels, and ensures materials are relevant to daily work activities.



Mentorship

Connects infection control experts with their local healthcare community so that they may become an ongoing resource.

Lasting Results



Public Health Capacity

Leverages the public health workforce to train and educate healthcare personnel on infection control. Public health workers will also be trained to connect their clinical community to Project Firstline.



Innovation

Deepens knowledge to better inform infection control recommendations, and develops innovative platforms to train adult learners.

Building a culture of confidence for consistent use of infection control across every healthcare setting.



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