Dialysis Technicians comprise a major portion of the workforce in dialysis facilities. They are essential members of the interdisciplinary team who interact with other healthcare providers and patients. This program is designed for dialysis technicians and other healthcare providers who participate in providing care for patients on dialysis therapy.

Program Objectives:
- Review the appropriate roles of the technician working in a dialysis facility.
- Describe current trends and major clinical areas of practice that are most affected by the dialysis technician.
- Discuss the impact of the technician’s job performance on patient care outcomes.

Session I - Shirley Farrah, PhD, RN, Presiding
8:05 The Certified Dialysis Technician: Performing at a Higher Level of Accountability in the Workplace - Danilo Concepcion, CHHT, CHT
8:45 Frequently Asked Questions about Certification - Nancy Gallagher, BSN, RN
9:15 What You Should Know About Water Standards for Hemodialysis - Glenda Payne, MSN, RN
9:45 Discussion
10:00 Break

Session II - Shammyra Lewis, CCHT, Presiding
10:15 Fluid Management in Dialysis Patients - Lisa Koester, MSN, RN
11:00 Observation and Physical Measurements: Why is this Important during Dialysis Treatments? - Mikey Spiller, RN
11:30 Supporting Patients to Achieve Nutrition Outcomes - Karen Wiesen, MS, RD
12:00 Discussion
12:15 Lunch (provided)

Session III - Mikey Spiller, RN, Presiding
10:15 Fluid Management in Dialysis Patients - Lisa Koester, MSN, RN
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Session IV - Leanne Peace, MSW, Presiding
1:00 Vascular Access: Back to Basics - Lesley Dinwiddie, MSN, RN
2:00 Treatment-related Emergencies: Do You Know What To Do? - Carol Headley, DN, RN
2:30 Break

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