

3.11 The Digestive System

3.11 The Digestive System online module forms part of the **3.0 Working with Healthcare Professionals** course. It aligns to VET competency *HLT401A Confirm Physical Health Status*.

Working with Healthcare Professionals

Medical technology industry staff often need to work directly with healthcare professionals. A range of skills, knowledge and understanding that respond to the needs of healthcare professionals is required.

What is the Working with Healthcare Professionals Course?

The *Working with Healthcare Professionals* course supports medical technology industry employees needing to interact with healthcare professionals.

There are 20 modules available within this course.

- 3.1 Understanding Medical Terms (online)
- 3.2 Language of the Human Body (online)
- 3.3 Interpreting Medical Terminology
- 3.4 Hospital Protocols
- 3.5 Introduction to Operating Theatre Protocols
- 3.6 Operating Theatre Protocols Update
- 3.7 Professional Conduct
- 3.8 Communicating Effectively with Healthcare Professionals
- 3.9 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology (online)
- 3.10 The Cardiovascular System (online)
- 3.11 The Digestive System (online)
- 3.12 The Endocrine System (online)
- 3.13 The Integumentary System (online)
- 3.14 The Lymphatic System (online)
- 3.15 The Muscular System (online)
- 3.16 The Nervous System (online)
- 3.17 The Reproductive System (online)
- 3.18 The Respiratory System (online)
- 3.19 The Skeletal System (online)
- 3.20 The Urinary System (online)

A photo ID will be provided upon successful completion of modules 3.5 and 3.6.

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What topics are covered in The Digestive System module?

This online module is aligned to VET competency *HLTAP401A Confirm Physical Health Status* in the HLT07 Health Training Package. It aims to familiarise participants with the anatomy and physiology of the digestive system. There are 6 topics included in the module.

Learning outcomes

- Understands the anatomy and physiology of the digestive system.
- Recognises common disorders of the digestive system.
- Recognises supportive medical technology.

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Who should participate?

Staff working with healthcare professionals who are not from a healthcare or science background should participate. The recommended pre-requisite training for this Level 1 module is *3.9 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology* or equivalent industry experience.

How much does it cost?

Fees commence at \$165 per person. To view the fee sliding scale, please visit the MTAA website.

How do I register?

Please visit *Training* under *Professional Development* on the MTAA website www.mtaa.org.au to register.