Course Content:
This course is designed for healthcare professionals who are responsible for performing, recording and interpreting spirometry in adults, or a combination of these.

The course is designed to enable you to learn at a pace and style that is suitable for you; it is a truly interactive course which combines tutorials, podcasts and eLearning in several distinct chapters. The course is specifically designed to give you the knowledge and ‘know how’ to demonstrate competence in spirometry, enabling you to assess your patients with both confidence and competence.

Written by a team of expert clinicians, aligned with ARTP standards, this course is easy to access and provides opportunities each month to speak with a clinical tutor.

You will learn:
- Pathophysiology of lung disease
- Flow and volume measuring spirometer devices
- Cleaning and equipment maintenance
- How to perform spirometry
- Interpretation of values obtained
- Trouble shooting and pitfalls
- How to deliver spirometry in a pandemic

By the end of the course you will be able to:
- Obtain and interpret accurate lung function tests
- Recognise normal and abnormal patterns and how they relate to diagnosis
- Understand the relationship between pathophysiology and measurements
- Define and explain common terms in measuring lung function
- Identify the essential pre-test requirements and correct patient testing
- Understand the need for correct methods of regular cleaning/maintenance