

Preliminary Updates for faculty February-March 2024

Thanks for joining APLS faculty at the start of 2024. There are a few changes that have been implemented and some are going to be rolled out over the next few months.

Please read below for details about:

1. ALSi is now REALITi
2. Day 1 Faculty meeting starts at 0830 for Instructor Development time
3. Revised pre-course online learning
4. Course Dinner for candidates and faculty at the end of Day 1
5. 7th Edition manual ANZ version – e-copies and manual
6. Some courses are trialling – Skills Repeated Practice with coaching

1. ALSi is now REALITi

iSimulate has updated software. Older iPads have been replaced and we anticipate that occasional glitches with Wi-Fi will be minimised. The control screen will look different however all the scenarios are the same. <https://www.apls.org.au/realiti>

2. Day 1 Faculty meeting starts at 0830 for Instructor Development time

If this change affects your travel plans – please contact Tiarni Riddle via APLScourses@apls.org.au or 99612961

3. Revised pre-course online learning

Pre-course online learning has been updated to a user-friendly platform. There have been content revisions in line with 7th Ed changes and new questions to assess and consolidate learning. As faculty you all have access to [APLS 2024 online learning](#) and here is a [Summary of changes](#)

4. Course Dinner for candidates and faculty at the end of Day 1

The candidate and faculty course dinners are returning! Please support this opportunity to build connections for the APLS community of practice.

5. 7th Edition manual ANZ version – e-copies and manual

The 7th Edition manual for Australia and New Zealand is imminent, but not available yet. E-versions will be available 2-3 mths before hard copies arrive. Candidates on courses Feb-March have been given 6th Edition. Faculty will be notified as soon as the 7th Ed is available.

6. Skills Repeated Practice with coaching – trial courses prior to roll out.

At the end of Day 1, candidates will be supported with practicing resuscitation skills in their coloured groups. This will be using a repeated scenario. All candidates will rotate through roles for further skills practice of primary airway manoeuvres, bag valve mask, chest compressions and safe defibrillation.

Thanks again for your commitment to improving the care delivered to sick and injured children,

Jacquie Schutz and Marissa Alexander on behalf of the CDC, IDC and APLS Board