

Phlebotomy Training Live Bloods Clinic Sessions (Stage 2)

Course ID: FA-S2LBS | **Duration:** Half-Day Sessions (2 Mornings) or Full-Day Sessions (1 Morning & 1 Afternoon)

(hours may vary depending on how busy the clinic is with patients)

Dates: Arranged Individually *(the standard wait time for Stage 2 training is minimum 2-3 weeks after once Stage 1 training is completed)*

Price: £290 for two sessions *(Minimum booking is for two sessions. Thereafter, each session is priced at £130)*

Course Description

The last stage of our Phlebotomy Training takes place in an NHS facility and gives you the opportunity to take blood from real patients under the one-to-one supervision of a Floreo trainer. Here, you will develop your technical and interpersonal skills in an authentic clinical setting, performing the procedures you will regularly carry out as a practicing phlebotomist. On completion, you will be issued with a **Certificate of Competency** awarded jointly with the NHS facility in which you train.

The time it takes to achieve competency varies from individual to individual - two sessions is often sufficient to develop the necessary level of knowledge and skills, but this will remain at the discretion of the trainer assessing your performance.

Entry Requirements

- **Aged 18** or over
- **Hepatitis B** vaccinated (1st Jab Only) and **Covid-19** (both 1st & 2nd Jab)
- Completion of our Introductory Course (Stage-1)

Course Content

Practical Instruction of:

- Patient Identification
- Explaining Procedures to Patients
- Providing Information & Patient Sensitivity
- Obtaining Valid Consent
- Maintaining Patient Confidentiality
- Infection Control Measures
- Identifying Appropriate Equipment
- Obtaining Venous Blood Safely
- Minimising Discomfort
- Disposal of Sharps & Clinical Waste
- Labelling Samples & the Order of Draw
- Dealing with Common Adverse Reactions

Learning Outcomes

Practical Knowledge of:

- ✓ Methods for obtaining positive confirmation of individuals' identity
- ✓ How to gain valid consent before carry out phlebotomy procedures
- ✓ Issuing relevant information and sensitivity to patient needs and concerns
- ✓ Applying precautions for infection prevention and control
- ✓ How to prepare individuals for obtaining venous blood and managing personal beliefs and preferences
- ✓ Selecting and preparing a suitable site for venepuncture and appropriate blood collection equipment
- ✓ Performing venepuncture safely and applying/releasing a tourniquet at appropriate stages of the procedure
- ✓ Factors likely to cause patient discomfort and how to minimise them
- ✓ Recognising common adverse reactions and actions to take if they occur
- ✓ How to correctly label blood samples and the Order of Draw
- ✓ Ensuring the safe disposal of sharps and clinical waste
- ✓ Working within your own sphere of competence and reporting incidents

Certificates & Progression

- Following satisfactory performance, participants are issued with a **Certificate of Competency** awarded jointly with the NHS facility in which they have undertaken their training.
- References will be provided as and when required.

