



# CALLING ALL COPD EDUCATORS!

INCLUDING NURSES, RESPIRATORY THERAPISTS,  
CARE MANAGERS, AND HEALTH EDUCATORS

Do you want to reduce hospital readmissions and improve patient outcomes?  
Attend the American Lung Association in Oregon COPD Educator Institute!

## COPD EDUCATOR INSTITUTE

June 20 - 21<sup>st</sup>, 2014

8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Pacific University  
College of Health Professions  
222 SE 8th Avenue  
Hillsboro, OR 97123



The American Lung Association in Oregon COPD Educator Institute (COPD EI) is a two-day professional development course for healthcare professionals to learn best practices in COPD management and patient care. The aim of the course is to reduce hospital readmissions and improve patient outcomes, with specific attention given to COPD self-management, smoking cessation, pulmonary rehabilitation, developing action plans, medication guidelines and patient adherence, and patient education resources.

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Fee: \$225

Includes take-home materials, continental breakfast and lunch. Please note that overnight accommodations are not included.

**Early Bird Registration: \$200**

Register before April 30, 2014 to receive the early bird special.

**This is an inaugural training, and limited to only 50 participants.**

**REGISTER NOW!**

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### COPD EI COURSE BENEFITS:

- Learn how to provide guidelines-based care to COPD patients
- Acquire the skills necessary to be an effective COPD Educator
- Participate in a hands-on skill building session to learn and teach correct techniques for using medications and devices to manage COPD such as inhalers, spacers, peak flow meters, mucus clearance devices, and patient relaxation techniques
- Interact with experts and peers involved in COPD education
- Learn about outstanding COPD resources and programs
- Earn Continuing Education Units

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