

## 4-6 Hematology online course

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Hematology means taking doing blood work. In WIC we take blood to assess for possible anemia. This online course will show you how to correctly take a blood sample and read the hemoglobin level.

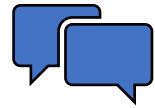
### What you need to do

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1. Work with your training supervisor to determine a time to complete the *Hematology* online course. It takes about 2 hours to complete.  
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2. Complete the *Hematology* online course and posttest.
3. Make note of any questions or concerns you have about information in the module.
4. Schedule a time to discuss what you learned with your training supervisor using the *Talk it over* section below.  
Date and time \_\_\_\_\_

## Talk it over

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1. Review your notes and ask any questions you have about the course.
2. Practice taking blood samples from women, infants, and children. How did that go?
3. What kinds of things might make it difficult to take accurate blood tests?
4. What are common errors when taking blood?
5. When should you re-do a hemoglobin test in an appointment? What additional documentation is needed when this happens?
6. What should you do if a participant refuses to complete a hemoglobin screening?
7. What referrals are needed when a participant has a high risk due to low-hemoglobin levels?"
8. Who maintains the hematology equipment in your agency?