New Health Risk Screening Tool (HRST) Advanced Rater Training (ART) Course Available May 1, 2022
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AUDIENCE:

Users of the HRST

PURPOSE:

As of May 1, 2022, a new web-based eLearning version of the HRST ART will become available. With the release of this eLearning course, the webinar-based version will no longer be offered.

DISCUSSION:

Advanced Rater training is the follow-up course for raters who complete the foundational HRST Online Rater Training and for nurses wishing to become clinical reviewers.

ART has been updated and redesigned as an eLearning course housed within the HRST web-based application. The concepts covered in past versions of this training have been enhanced and built upon to help raters score the HRST more accurately.

The ART eLearning will eventually become required training for all HRST users. Due to the change in content and delivery method, we highly recommend that Raters and Reviewers complete ART even if they have taken this training previously via webinar or onsite. Eventually any user wishing to be trained as a Clinical Reviewer will need to complete ART in order to register for Clinical Reviewer training. Nurses are not required

to complete ART at this time, however, those seeking to become clinical reviewers will find that completing ART prior to Clinical Reviewer training is extremely helpful in becoming more proficient in rating and reviewing.

If you have successfully completed HRST Online Rater Training, ART can be accessed within the HRST application under the Trainings tab. To access this training and others, log into the HRST and click on the graduation cap in the upper right corner of the application. All available trainings will be listed here, including ART.

Users can access support by clicking on "Contact Support" at the bottom of the HRST login page. Our regular hours of operation are Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM Eastern Standard Time (EST). Additional information can be accessed on the flyer included with this announcement.

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