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E-learning resources for Infection Control and Prescribing

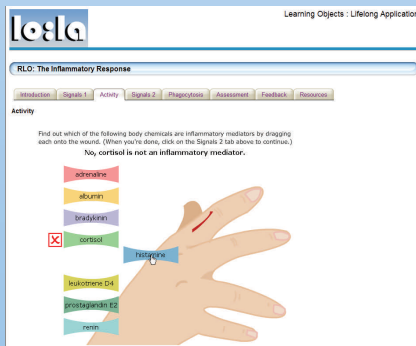
Do you:

- Teach about infection control or prescribing?
- Advise clinicians or students?

LOLA—a cross-sector, collaborative project—is currently producing RLOs in these areas for use within FE, HE and the NHS.

Available RLOs: Aminoglycoside dosing, Aseptic technique, Bacteria & viruses, Glove use, Hand hygiene, Home hazards, Inflammatory response, Volume of distribution

Coming soon: Drug clearance, Personal protective equipment

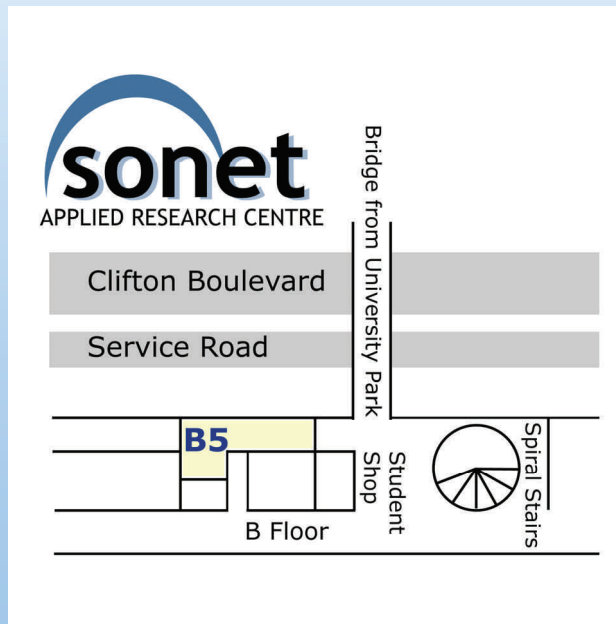


For more information about RLOs, contact SONET

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Expand your teaching through Reusable Learning Objects (RLOs)

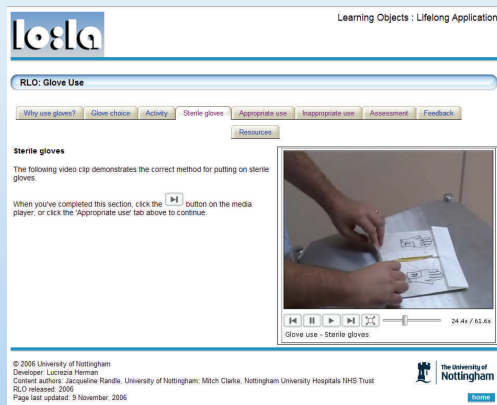


What is a Reusable Learning Object (RLO)?

An RLO is:

"a small interactive multimedia Web-based resource that covers a single learning objective"

Each RLO consists of approximately 15-20 minutes of learning material for an average student.



Where can I find these RLOs ?

www.nottingham.ac.uk/nursing/sonet/

This site contains RLOs from all projects.

Why should I use RLOs?

You might find RLOs useful:

- In teaching sessions to illustrate specific topics
- To review a topic already dealt with, in an engaging multimedia format
- To use in WebCT/Blackboard courses
- As preparatory work for lectures or tutorials
- To help students with difficult subjects

How can I use RLOs?

Simply locate the RLO on this website, copy its web address (URL) and create a link to it in your WebCT page or Powerpoint presentations.

You might provide a link to an RLO in a hand-out, or direct learners to the SONET website so that they can explore other RLOs.

Are RLOs intended to replace face-to-face teaching?

Definitely not! They should be used as resources to enhance student-centred learning.

What do I need to run an RLO?

A standard internet connection is all you and your students require. You *may* need one or more additional pieces of free software called "plugins" to view the multimedia elements of the RLOs. These are very common and often already installed. However, if required, you will be prompted and guided through the simple download process.

RLO-CETL
www.rlo-cetl.ac.uk

What is the RLO-CETL?

We are partners in the HEFCE-funded Centre for Excellence in Teaching and Learning for Reusable Learning Objects. We aim to:

- Develop RLOs for Health Sciences*
- Evaluate the use of RLOs
- Help lecturers to develop and use RLOs
- Research and advance RLO pedagogy

**Currently: Evidence-based practice, clinical skills, pharmacology, basic sciences and study skills.*

How can I get involved?

If you would like to know about developing RLOs for your modules, please contact us.

