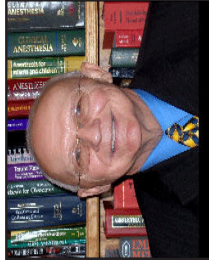


Current Issues in Anesthesia for CRNA's

Course Faculty



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Course Description

This continuing education program offers the anesthesia practitioner an opportunity to update and reinforce knowledge in the current thinking associated with trauma and anesthesia management. Core didactic lectures will be offered that will enable the learner to gain insight into the management of anesthesia in varied situations. These include preventing anesthesia related blindness; deciding upon appropriate fluid management; applying new airway adjuncts and preventing fires in the operating room. Registrants will have an opportunity to update knowledge on the mechanisms of trauma, dealing with allergy and anaphylaxis, managing the traumatized pregnancy patient and a review of the pharmacology of resuscitative drugs. The program concludes with discussions of ARDS, Trauma to the Spinal Cord, Abdomen, and Thorax and an update on polycystic disease and concerns with pediatric trauma. A presentation of unusual cases and their management will be offered and participants are invited to discuss interesting cases in which they participated.

Accreditation

Approved by the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists for 20 CE Credits. Code Number 31893, Expiration Date January 24, 2010.

IPGE designates this activity as meeting the criteria for 6 hours of Pharmacology/Therapeutics Credit.

Seminar Agenda

Monday, January 18

(10" of each lecture session will be devoted to Q/A)

- 0730-0830 Preventing Anesthesia Related Blindness
- 0830-0930 Massive Fluid Volume Replacement
- 0930-1000 Break
- 1000-1100 Applications of New Airway Adjuncts
- 1100-1200 Preventing Fires in the Operating Room
- 1200-1300 Discussion of these topics

Tuesday, January 19

- 0730-0830 Understanding Mechanisms of Injury
- 0830-0930 Allergy and Anaphylaxis under Anesthesia
- 0930-1000 Break
- 1000-1100 Considerations with Pregnancy and Trauma
- 1100-1200 Pharmacology in Trauma Resuscitation
- 1200-1300 Discussion of these topics

Thursday, January 21

- 1400-1500 ARDS: The Anesthesia Implications
- 1500-1600 Considerations with Spinal Cord Injury
- 1600-1700 Anesthesia and the Asthmatic Patient

Friday, January 22

- 0700-0800 Anesthesia and Thoracoabdominal Trauma
- 0800-0900 The Pediatric Trauma Patient
- 0900-1000 Discussion of these topics

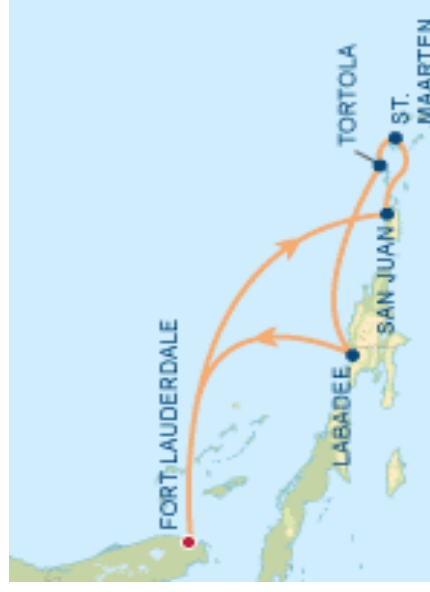
Saturday, January 23

- 0730-0830 Sugammadex: a new twist on SMR reversal
- 0830-0930 Unusual Cases and Their Management
- 0930-1030 Polycystic Renal Disease and Anesthesia
- 1030-1130 Discussion of these topics

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