PERI-OPERATIVE NURSING

A 10-week course based on the standards of the AORN’s Peri-operative Nursing 101 Program. Choose from Operating Room or Ambulatory Surgery Tracks.

What’s Included?
80 hours classroom lectures, simulation lab practice, and 50 hours clinical practice in hospitals/surgical centers.

Earn the AORN Certificate: 41.7 contact hours for OR or 43.3 hours for Ambulatory track

What Are the Course Topics?

- Anesthesia
- Aseptic Technique
- Documentation
- Electrosurgery
- Endoscopic Surgery
- Environmental Sanitation & Terminal Cleaning
- Hemostasis, Sponges & Drains
- Introduction to Perioperative Nursing
- Critical Thinking
- Latex Allergy
- Medications & Solutions
- Patient & Family Education
- Peri-Anesthesia Nursing (OR/Ambulatory)
- Perioperative Assessment (OR/Ambulatory)
- Positioning the Patient
- Preoperative Patient Care (Ambulatory)
- Postoperative Patient Care (Ambulatory)
- Professionalism
- Safety in the Surgical Suite
- Scrubbing, Gowning & Gloving
- Skin Prep
- Specimens
- Sterilization & Disinfection
- Surgical Instruments
- Surgical Draping
- The Surgical Environment
- Transmissible Infection Prevention
- Wound Closure & Healing
Course Overview

This 10-week course is based on the standards of the AORN’s Peri-operative 101 Program. This course is focused on training and education to registered nurses who are either new graduates or have been previously employed in non-OR nursing positions.

The course includes classroom lectures, lab skills practice, simulation and observational experiences and skill implementation in the surgical setting. As part of this blended course, participants will work with the online learning modules delivered through the AORN’s e-learning platform. By the end of the course, participants will have acquired the basic knowledge and fundamental skills necessary to function in entry level peri-operative nursing positions.

Course includes the outstanding and comprehensive AORN online program. This program has been developed by the AORN as an excellent and essential introduction to OR nursing. The course is blended and offers the best of online, classroom and clinical teaching.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Describe the role and responsibilities of the peri-operative nurse.
- Apply principles of asepsis (infection control) to nursing practice.
- Demonstrate knowledge and principles of sterilizations and disinfection.
- Demonstrate proficiency and independence in performing selected clinical skills.
- Apply nursing actions based on appropriate scientific rationale.

Schedule and Location

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Additional Module

| Ambulatory Surgery Tract | $50.00 $50.00 |

Payment

First half due with registration, balance due June 15

Location

TBD

How to Register

The Peri-Operative course is offered for new graduates and registered nurses. Complete brochure and fax, mail or call 212-614-6177 to register.

NURSE MANAGERS

To register nurses, please email the names to Kurt.Villcheck@mountsinai.org or fax the signed brochure to 212-614-6109.

We accept credit cards and personal checks. Seats fill up quickly so register early to assure your seat. You can also mail, fax or phone in your registration.