

23rd Annual Jefferson Anesthesia Conference

Learner Objectives

At the conclusion of this conference, participants should be able to:

- Apply new up-to-date techniques in the placement of peripheral, single injection and continuous blocks including the use of ultrasound.
- Define point-of-care ultrasound techniques including gastric and lung ultrasound and how to apply in your practice.
- Discuss the perioperative challenges of a patient with history of substance abuse presenting for surgery.
- Identify common malpractice problems related to anesthesia and create plans to reduce liability.
- Discuss the risk of the opioid abuse epidemic on the pediatric population and the value of multimodal analgesia in this group of patients.
- Identify the challenges of providing anesthesia outside the operating room and define protocols for safe out of or anesthesia.
- Define methods to prevent intraoperative awareness.
- Apply up-to-date methods for emergency airway management and how to apply to your practice.
- Discuss current role of optical and video technology in airway management.
- Identify methods to improve awake fiberoptic intubation.
- Apply the concept of Enhance Recovery After Surgery (ERAS) to implement ambulatory joint replacement and improve patient outcome.
- Define the advantages/disadvantages of continuous perineural catheters versus single-shot peripheral nerve blocks.
- Identify risks/benefits of performing peripheral nerve blocks in patients with orthopedic trauma and blocks under general anesthesia.
- Discuss total intravenous anesthesia and target-controlled anesthesia and the role of these techniques in your practice.
- Review anatomical and physiological challenges in the obese patient presenting for surgery and define plans to employ a safe anesthetic in your practice.
- Identify signs, symptoms, and long-term consequences of provider burnout and methods to maintain a safe working environment.
- Define benefits and challenges of implementing a continuous perineural catheter program for postoperative pain management and how to implement in your practice.
- Assess their individual and team practices in light of the information and discussions during the course, and identify specific strategies to implement as part of a continuing improvement process for their practices.

Accreditation

Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University designates this live activity for a maximum of 25.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*[™].

Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

All faculty participating in continuing medical education activities sponsored by Sidney Kimmel Medical College are expected to disclose to the activity audience any real or apparent conflict(s) of interest related to the content of their presentation(s). Full disclosure of faculty relationships will be made at this activity.

This activity contributes to the patient safety CME requirement for Part II: Lifelong Learning and Self-Assessment of the American Board of Anesthesiology's (ABA) redesigned Maintenance of Certification in Anesthesiology Program[®] (MOCA[®]), known as MOCA 2.0[®]. Please consult the ABA website, www.theABA.org, for a list of all MOCA 2.0 requirements.

This program has been prior approved by the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists for 25 Class A CE credits: Code Number 1035267; Expiration Date 02/15/18.

Regional Anesthesia, Airway, and PoCUS

These hands-on workshops are included free to charge to all participants.

Problem Based Learning Discussion

Small case-based groups moderated by expert faculty. Participants will be able to sign up at registration for topics of their choice. Provided free of charge.

Evaluation & Claiming Credit

Participants will be required to complete an online evaluation in order to claim CE credits for the conference. After completing the online evaluation, the certificate will be immediately available. See conference materials for login information.

Refund Policy

Written notification of cancellation must be received by the Jefferson Office of CME by February 1, 2018 to obtain a refund (minus \$50 administrative fee). No refunds after February 1, 2018. Refunds will be issued after the conference. See additional details on registration form.

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