

# NAON Orthopaedic Nursing Roundtable Course Host Information

#### **Program Target Audience**

Nurses and other health professionals who are interested in a relevant overview of "hot topics" related to commonly seen orthopaedic conditions and diseases.

#### Purpose

Explore current trends in orthopaedic nursing care and how the nurse applies critical thinking skills to assess, plan, implement and evaluate care for the these patients in the clinical setting, beginning with the challenging topic of pain management. An in-depth review of the pathophysiology of pain, multi-modal approaches and specialty populations provides participants with strategies to implement in their practice to improve patient outcomes. Heavy emphasis is given to Total Joint Arthroplasty and Trauma patient populations. Learning is enhanced through embedded, comprehensive case studies, small group discussions and even a Jeopardy game activity on the topic of Diagnostic Testing. Contact hours are provided to attendees.

## NAON Orthopaedic Nursing Roundtable Course Topics

- Pain Management
- Advances in Joint Replacement
- Orthopaedic Complications
- Common and Complex Trauma
- Diagnostic Testing
- Comprehensive Case Studies

#### **Course Objectives**

- Pain Management
  - Identify multi-modal pain management strategies to treat acute and chronic orthopaedic pain across the life continuum.
- Advances in Joint Replacement
  - Describe evidence-based practices to improve outcomes for joint arthroplasty patient populations.
- Orthopaedic Complications
  - Outline common orthopaedic complications, preventive strategies, critical assessments and applicable interventions when a potential complication is suspected.
- Common and Complex Trauma
  - Discuss the pathophysiology and treatment plans for orthopaedic trauma and strategies to avoid complications.
- Diagnostic Testing

- Engage in peer to peer learning through interactive orthopaedic case studies and gaming.
- Comprehensive Case Studies
  - Develop a nursing plan of care that addresses physiological and psychosocial needs, reduces anxiety and addresses potential complications.

## **Contact Hours**

The course is a one day event offering 7.50 contact hours for each participant who attends the entire course. These contact hours are Category A as designated by the Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Board.

The National Association of Orthopaedic Nurses (NAON) is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center Commission on Accreditation (ANCC-COA).

In order for attendees to receive their contact hour certificate, they must be present for the full course.

## **Course Fees**

## Hosting a 1 Day Course

The NAON fee to host a one-day course is \$4,000. *This fee is for all courses being held on the continental US. There may be additional charges for courses being held outside of the continental US.* 

This fee includes:

- Speaker expenses
- Contact hours for each attendee
- NAON staff coordination
- Marketing on the NAON Web site and in the NAON News

# As the host your facility will be responsible for

- Meeting Room
- AV equipment
- Food and Beverage (if offered)
- Registration processing
- Speaker hotel accommodations (1-2 nights dependent upon location and flight availability)

# How to Book a Program for Your Facility or Chapter

- Contact NAON with the preferred dates and the location (city and state) of the roundtable course.
- NAON will secure a speaker based on geographical proximity to course location and presenter's availability.
- NAON will send a contract to the host once the date and presenter are confirmed. Host sends a signed copy of the contract to NAON.
- Host makes arrangements for roundtable course including AV equipment, food and beverage, registration, and speaker hotel accommodation.

• NAON will provide instructions on how to access the online course evaluation and obtain the contact hour certificate. Host will distribute these instructions to all attendees.

To begin hosting an Orthopaedic Nursing Roundtable Course for you facility please contact NAON at <u>naon@orthonurse.org</u> or at 312-321-3708.