

Perioperative 101 Certificate

Curry College brings you closer to your goals

Prepare for a role as an outpatient surgery director, scrub nurse, circulator nurse, OR director, and more. Gain a specialty that will set you apart, in just 6 months, and benefit from our 40-year tradition of nursing excellence.

Get Closer with Curry – Periop Certificate Curriculum

Schedule Overview

- Periop Safety
- Periop Assessment and Infection Prevention
- Scrubbing, Gowning, Gloving
- Positioning, Patient Transfer and Skin
- Patient Skin Antisepsis
- Medication Safety and Anesthesia
- Operating Room Safety
- Sterilization and Introduction to Instruments
- Hemostasis, Wound Closure, Prevention of Retained Surgical Items
- Wound Healing
- Surgical Specimen Management and Environmental Sanitation

Clinical Experience

Includes a 6-week scrub experience and a 6-week circulating experience with a preceptor in an OR.

Closer to Your Budget

The fixed tuition for students entering the Spring 2018 cohort is \$3,995. If you complete your clinical at a site other than where you are currently employed, you will incur a \$75 fee for a CORI background check. Total cost for books is approximately \$325.

This program is Veterans Benefits-eligible.

Key Program Benefits

- Prepares RNs to sit for certification through the Association of periOperative Registered Nurses (AORN)
- Hybrid courses: In-class and online learning
- Hands-on training, with 192 hours of precepted OR clinical experience
- Eligible for 41.7 continuing education (CE) contact hours through AORN

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Closer to Your Career – Take the Next Steps

Application Deadlines

Submit all materials by December 1 for priority consideration.

Application Requirements

1. Completed application with a non-refundable application fee of \$35, payable to Curry College
2. One letter of recommendation from a professional reference
3. Current resume
4. Copy of your unrestricted RN license

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Milton Campus Spring 2019 Schedule
Program scheduled to run January 23 through July 17, 2019
Classroom Sessions scheduled Wednesdays, 5:00 – 9:00 pm
Schedule Overview

Introduction/Orientation

Periop Safety

Periop Assessment and Infection Prevention

Scrubbing, Gowning, Gloving

Positioning Patient Transfer and Skin

Patient Skin Antisepsis

Medication Safety and Anesthesia

Operating Room Safety

Sterilization and Introduction to Instruments

Hemostasis; Wound Closure, Prevention of Retained Surgical Items

Wound Healing

Surgical Specimen Management; Environmental Sanitation Review

Clinical Experience

Clinical experience includes a 6-week scrub experience with a preceptor in an Operating Room (OR) and a 6-week circulating experience with a preceptor in an OR. Total tuition cost is \$3,995 and includes classroom instruction, online learning tools, and guidance throughout the clinical experience. Estimated book cost is approximately \$380 ordered directly by the student through the Association of Operating Room Nurses (AORN). There may be parking fees related to your clinical site.

Books

Total book cost is approximately \$380 and must be ordered directly by the student through the Association of periOperative Registered Nurses (AORN) after course registration. Currently the required course textbooks are Guidelines for Perioperative Practice, 2018 edition and Alexander's Care of the Patient in Surgery, 15th Edition. These books are included in the 2018 Periop 101 Textbook Package through AORN.