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Purpose

The AANA Nurse Anesthesia Annual Congress of the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists is designed to provide a variety of educational topics which will develop the maximal effectiveness of CRNAs in their roles as healthcare providers in diverse settings across the nation.

Goals

1. Provide an organized learning experience that augments the knowledge and skills of the CRNA in various settings.
2. Serve as a forum where research pertinent to the specialty of nurse anesthesia can be presented.
3. Familiarize the nurse anesthetists with the latest medical equipment, technology, and pharmacological products.
4. Provide AANA members with an opportunity to participate in the business of the AANA.
5. Facilitate interaction and networking between participants on a professional and social level.

Needs Assessment and Target Audience

The AANA Program Committee has reviewed program evaluations and other feedback from the AANA members to identify the issues that affect nurse anesthesia practice. The topics are determined based on overall member surveys, national trends and issues, and gaps in knowledge to further develop the professional practice of CRNAs. The education activities were developed to meet the needs of CRNAs, nurse anesthetist students, and other healthcare providers with an interest in the topics.

Accreditation Statements

The 2014 Nurse Anesthesia Annual Congress has been prior approved by the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists for a maximum of 20 (CE) Credits; AANA Code Number 1029289; Expiration date 09/16/2014.

The AANA designates the Pharmacology lectures as meeting the criteria for 6 CE credits in Pharmacology/Therapeutics.

The American Association of Nurse Anesthetists is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

This program will provide 20 contact hours of continuing nursing education.

Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider #10862, for 20 Contact Hours.

This educational activity is being presented without the provision of commercial support and without bias or conflict of interest from the planners and the presenters.

The maximum number of CE credits possible is 20.

On-Site Registration Desk Hours

(Located in Cypress Foyer)

Friday, September 12 1:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Saturday, September 13 6:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 14 6:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Monday, September 15 6:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday, September 16 7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Dear Colleagues,

Please join me for the AANA 2014 Nurse Anesthesia Annual Congress, Sept. 13-16, in sunny Orlando, Fla.

The AANA Annual Congress is the largest educational, professional, and social event in the country for CRNAs and SRNAs. I have attended the meeting for the past 22 years, and the AANA Annual Congress presents an incomparable opportunity to invest in my profession while creating lifelong experiences in a welcoming environment. I encourage you to attend the AANA Annual Congress and experience all of the benefits that AANA's foremost meeting has to offer.

The meeting opens with influential keynote speaker Dr. Maya Angelou, a Pulitzer Prize nominated writer, filmmaker, and activist who has received global recognition for her work. Over the course of four days you will have the opportunity to earn a total of 26 continuing education credits from a diverse selection of keynote addresses, lectures, and hands-on workshops—plus two additional free continuing education credits through AANA Learn—for a total of 28 possible continuing education credits!

Our new name change to the AANA 2014 Nurse Anesthesia Annual Congress reflects the AANA’s renewed emphasis on educational offerings. This year’s meeting will include educational topics and sessions that were created to appeal to both students and practicing members—regardless of your practice setting. Among the many topics that will be discussed include Cultural Competence in Nurse Anesthesia: Globalization and the Changing Demographics, Entry Level Clinical Competency for APRNs, Pharmacology, Pediatric Trauma Review, and So You Want to Start an Office Based Anesthesia Practice?

In addition, your fellow CRNAs and SRNAs will be present and looking to engage in peer-to-peer interaction, share best practices, and connect with old friends while developing new friendships. And AANA’s popular and extensive Exhibit Hall will feature more than 100 companies showcasing the industry’s most current technologies, products, and services.

Best of all, the AANA Annual Congress will take place in Orlando, Fla., where you can easily blend work and play. Bring your family and enjoy Orlando’s numerous attractions, noteworthy entertainment, and sightseeing selections. There is something for everyone to enjoy.

On behalf of your AANA Board of Directors, I look forward to seeing you in Orlando.

Sincerely,

Dennis C. Bless, CRNA, MS
President

Board of Directors Meeting
Friday, September 12
Open Session times will be available on the AANA Website in August.

Resolutions & Bylaws
Hearing
Friday, September 12
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
(Limited to AANA members only)

Annual Business Meeting
Sunday, September 14
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
(Limited to AANA members only)

Your association needs you! Show your support for AANA by joining us for this very important meeting.

Dennis C. Bless, CRNA, MS
AANA President

President’s report
Treasurer’s report
Executive Director/CEO’s report
Resolutions
Bylaws Amendments
Other association business
Election results
Open Forum (start time TBD)

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Educational Sessions & Events At A Glance

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Ambassador Program

The AANA is pleased to announce its first Nurse Anesthesia Annual Congress Ambassador Program for the 2014 AANA Annual Congress in Orlando, Florida.

Attending the AANA Annual Congress for the first time can be an overwhelming experience. Our goal is to connect every interested first-time attendee or those who haven’t attended in a while with a member ambassador who is passionate about the AANA and our meeting and who wants to share their experience.

**Ambassadors**

Being an Ambassador is a short-term commitment and requires very little of your time, yet can make a big difference in the AANA Annual Congress experience. AANA Annual Congress Ambassadors will meet with attendees at the First-Timers Orientation on Friday evening, during Opening Ceremonies on Saturday and for the Business Meeting on Sunday.

**AANA Annual Congress Ambassadors must:**
- Be a current AANA member
- Have attended at least two AANA Annual Meetings in the past five years
- Be passionate about the AANA and our meeting
- Be willing to connect with the first-timer via email or phone prior to the meeting
- Be officially registered to attend the 2014 AANA Annual Congress

**AANA Annual Congress Ambassadors Receive:**
- An Ambassador button to wear during the AANA Annual Congress
- Acknowledgment during AANA Annual Congress sessions

To become an Ambassador, check this volunteer opportunity on the registration form at www.aana.com/AANA2014AnnualCongress

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**Keynote Session (1 CE Credit)**
Sunday, September 14
2:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m.
Opening Ceremonies
Saturday, September 13
9:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m.
• Processional
• Welcome
• Invocation
• Presentation of Colors
• National Anthem
• Presentation of Awards
• Friends for Life
• Entertainment

Exhibit Hall Opening
Sunday, September 14
3:15 p.m.–6:00 p.m.
Join us for the opening of the Exhibit Hall and visit with our Corporate Partners to obtain the latest information on their products and services.

Foundation Fundraiser
Sunday, September 14
7:30 p.m.–11:30 p.m.
Orlando– The Stars
Come Out Again
Orlando World Center Marriott, Orlando, Florida
Registration Fee of $250;
Pre-registration required.

Anesthesia College Bowl
Monday, September 15
6:00 p.m.–7:30 p.m.
Students compete with students – winning team faces the CRNA Challenge Team in a final match.

Ninth Annual Wellness Fun 5K Walk/Run
Tuesday, September 16
6:00 a.m.–7:30 a.m.
Marriott World Center, Hawk’s Landing Golf Course
$30/$40 registration fee

Annual Banquet
Tuesday, September 16
7:00 p.m.–11:30 p.m.
Semiformal/Formal Event

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Exhibit Hall Highlights

Exhibit Hall Hours
Sunday 3:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Monday 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Product Theater Hours
Sunday 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Monday 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Exhibitor Drawings
Tuesday 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Confirmed Exhibitors
CORP_COMPANY
A Fashion Hayvin Inc.
abeo
Ambu Inc.
American Anesthesiology
American Society of Anesthesia Technologists and Technicians
AmSol, LLC
Anesthesia Associates, Inc.
Anesthesiology News
Apex Anesthesia Review LLC
ARC Medical, Inc.
Armstrong Medical Industries, Inc.
Baxter
Bay Medical
Belmont Instrument Corp
Cincinnati Sub-Zero
CNA
Draeger Medical, Inc.
Edwards Lifesciences
GCX
GE Healthcare
Gebauer Company
The Gideons International
Hawaiian Moon
Health Volunteers Overseas
Intersurgical
Mainline Medical
MAQUET Medical Systems
Medical Protective
Medical Staffing Network
Micropore Inc.
Mindray North America
National Anesthesia Services
Northwest Anesthesia Seminars
OBP Medical
PharMedium Services, LLC
Second Opinion Consultants
Sheridan Healthcare
Spacelabs Healthcare
TeamHealth Anesthesia
Teleflex
Tiva Healthcare
United Anesthesia
Vargo Anesthesia Apps
### Upcoming Meetings & Workshops

#### Meetings
- **April 5-9, 2014**
  - **Mid-Year Assembly**
  - Arlington, VA
- **September 13-16, 2014**
  - **AANA Nurse Anesthesia Annual Congress**
  - Orlando, FL
- **November 7-9, 2014**
  - **Fall Leadership Academy**
  - Rosemont, IL

#### Workshops
- **April 30, 2014**
  - **Essentials of OB**
  - Park Ridge, IL
- **May 1-3, 2014**
  - **Spinal & Epidural**
  - Park Ridge, IL
- **June 6-9, 2014**
  - **Foundations of Pain Management**
  - Manchester, IA
- **July 12, 2014**
  - **Business of Anesthesia**
  - Chicago, IL
- **August 2-3, 2014**
  - **Upper & Lower Extremity Nerve Block**
  - Park Ridge, IL

#### Mid-Year Assembly
**Make a Difference on Capitol Hill**
- Nation’s largest meeting of CRNAs and student registered nurse anesthetists to address legislative and regulatory issues affecting the profession
- Protect and advance nurse anesthesia practice
- Learn how to be an effective lobbyist
- Engage with members of Congress and their staffs
- Build relationships with CRNA and Student colleagues

#### Fall Leadership Academy
**Leadership Skill Building for Current and Future CRNA Leaders**
- Educational tracks for state leaders, federal political directors, reimbursement specialists, Foundation advocates, and others interested in leadership roles
- Network, build relationships, share ideas with hundreds of CRNA colleagues
- Exceptional keynote speakers deliver informative “outsider” perspectives
- Learn how to be an effective spokesperson

#### Essentials of OB
- Provides expert training in obstetric analgesia/anesthesia techniques
- Examines effects of anesthesia on normal and abnormal pregnancies

#### Business of Anesthesia
- Addresses relevant business, economic and legal issues associated with anesthesia practice
- Helps CRNAs effectively/successfully navigate the billing and coding minefield of healthcare reform

#### Spinal & Epidural
- Learn spinal and epidural techniques using simulators and partial task trainers
- Understand how to avoid complications when administering spinal and epidural anesthesia

#### Upper & Lower Extremity Nerve Block
- Gain hands-on experience with regional anesthesia block techniques for upper and lower extremities
- Enhance participant’s educational experience with simulators and partial task trainers

#### Foundations of Pain Management
**A Jack Neary Series Course**
- Delivers advanced practical information for CRNAs interested in a Pain Management Practice

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**Friday, September 12**

### Pre-Congress Programs – Separate Registration Fee
These separate educational activities are planned for CRNAs and student nurse anesthetists. The programs will include expert faculty and provide 6 CE credits.
Registration limited. Register early before workshops fill up.

### 7:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. ⇒ Concurrent Programs

1. **New Beginnings – A Continued Professional Certification (CPC) Update**
   - 7:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.
   - Overview of the CPC Program Requirements
   - Airway Management Techniques

2. **Neuraxial Regional Anesthesia Hands-On Workshop – Epidural**
   - 7:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.
   - Neuraxial Regional Anesthesia – Epidural
   - Clinical Conundrums – Epidural Misadventures

### 9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. 仳 Refreshment Break

### 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. ⇒ Concurrent Programs

1. **New Beginnings – A Continued Professional Certification (CPC) Update**
   - 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
   - Human Physiology and Pathophysiology

2. **Neuraxial Regional Anesthesia Hands-On Workshop – Epidural**
   - 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
   - Application of Ultrasound in Epidural Placement
   - Catheter In, Now What? Obstetric and Surgical Dosing Applications

### 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. ⇒ Concurrent Programs

1. **New Beginnings – A Continued Professional Certification (CPC) Update**
   - 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
   - Applied Clinical Pharmacology
   - Anesthesia Technology

2. **Neuraxial Regional Anesthesia Hands-On Workshop – Epidural**
   - 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
   - Hands-on Lab for techniques

**Visit AANA Website in August for Open Session time.**

- AANA Board of Directors Meeting – Open Session

### 5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

1. **First-Timers Orientation**
   - Designed to assist first-timers in navigating the meeting as well as to learn more about the nurse anesthesia profession.
   - First-timers will gain insights into what to expect throughout the week and how to maximize their experience

### 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

- **Bylaws and Resolutions Hearing**
  - *(Limited to AANA members only)*

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Saturday, September 13

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

General Session (1 CE Credit)
Helen P. Vos Memorial Lecture
Patient Safety: Is There Still Room for Improvement?
Chuck Biddle, CRNA, PhD
Learner Outcomes:
1. Review patient safety foundations.
2. Critique current safety literature.
3. Cite current gaps in safety culture.

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

General Session (1 CE Credit)
Diversity in Healthcare Settings
Freeman A. Hrabowski III, PhD
Learner Outcome:
1. Examine concepts and issues related to healthcare and diverse populations.

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Refreshment Break

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Opening Ceremonies
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11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch on Own

1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

⇒ 101 – Student Session (0 CE Credits)
1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.
Is Overseas Volunteer Work in Your Future?
Richard A. Henker, CRNA, PhD, FAAN
Learner Outcomes:
1. Describe the different types of volunteer organizations and their goals.
2. Identify factors to consider when selecting a volunteer assignment.
3. Recognize cross cultural differences on anesthesia care.
4. Compare care provided in the current practice setting and care provided the overseas sites.

1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Career Planning: Navigating the CRNA Job Market
Brent A. Dunworth, CRNA, MSN
Learner Outcomes:
1. Describe the current market forces shaping the CRNA job market.
2. Demonstrate behavioral interviewing skills for successful career placement.

⇒ 102 – New Speakers/Hot Topics (2 CE Credits)
1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Evaluating Lower Extremity Motor Function Following Scoliosis Surgery
Jeanne M. Antolchick, CRNA, MS
Learner Outcome:
1. Describe the six specific exercises which make up the LEMF evaluation necessary to evaluate spinal cord integrity following scoliosis surgery.

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Intraoperative Endotracheal Tube Cuff Pressure Monitoring in Children
Lisa E. Allison, CRNA, DNP
Learner Outcomes:
1. Describe the anatomic differences between the pediatric airway and the adult airway.
2. Recognize the necessity of accurate, routine cuff pressure monitoring in children.
3. Measure endotracheal tube cuff pressure in children with a cuff pressure manometer.

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Patient Selection for Ambulatory Surgery: The Controversies of Obstructive Sleep Apnea and Morbid Obesity
Paul L. Liszewski, CRNA, DNP
Learner Outcome:
1. Describe the evidence-based criteria for selecting patients for ambulatory surgery.

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Implementation of Operating Room Critical Checklists at an Urban Academic Medical Center: One Center’s Experience
Laura L. Ardizzone, CRNA, DNP

Learner Outcomes:
1. Discuss the use of critical checklists in an OR environment.
2. Identify key aspects related to the implementation of the use of these checklists in the OR environment.

103 – Diversity (2 CE Credits)
Cultural Competence in Nurse Anesthesia: Globalization and the Changing Demographics
Wallena M. Gould, CRNA, EdD

Learner Outcomes:
1. Discuss the demographic shift in patient population in the past 10 years.
2. Describe cultural competence and its implication in nurse anesthesia practice.

104 – Assembly of School Faculty (2 CE Credits)
Entry Level Clinical Competency: How Did We Get Here?
Rebecca L.M. Gombkoto, CRNA, DNP

Learner Outcome:
1. Describe the processes undertaken for the development of educational competencies and standards for nurse anesthesia education.

An Educator’s View of Regulation and the CRNA: Exploring the APRN Consensus Model
Ann L. O’Sullivan, PhD, FAAN, CRNP

Learner Outcome:
1. Describe education related regulatory matters for APRNs.

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. ⇨ Refreshment Break

3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. ⇨ Concurrent Sessions

102 – New Speakers/Hot Topics (1 CE Credits)
Fast-Tracking Ambulatory Surgery Patients Following Anesthesia
Andi N. Rice, CRNA, DNP

Learner Outcomes:
1. Use the White Fast-Track Score (WFTS).
2. Identify patients able to bypass PACU and be discharged from the hospital in an efficient and timely manner.

Anesthetic Implications for Ventricular Assist Device Patients
Kelle Logan, CRNA, MS

Learner Outcomes:
1. Identify the most common surgeries and procedures performed post VAD.
2. Identify special anesthetic considerations for VAD patients undergoing non-VAD related surgeries.
3. Identify potential complications during non-VAD related procedures.
4. Identify preventative measures and solutions for potential complications.

104 – Assembly of School Faculty (1 CE Credits)
Hospital Administrator’s Perspective on Entry Level Competency
Kathleen P. Kinslow, CRNA, EdD, MBA

Learner Outcome:
1. Identify factors related to entry-level competency as a nurse anesthesia practitioner.

105 – Pharmacology (2 CE Credits)
Current Concepts of Local Anesthetic Pharmacology
Ronald M. Dick, RPh, PhD

Learner Outcome:
1. Discuss the basic mechanisms, interactions and potential side effects of the local anesthetics and how these concepts apply to their use.

4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
The Noble Gases: Their Developing Role in Anesthesia and Medicine
Ronald M. Dick, RPh, PhD

Learner Outcomes:
1. Identify the noble gases.
2. Demonstrate the chemistry of noble gases and their uses in anesthesia and medicine.
**7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.**

**General Session (1 CE Credit)**

**Can Teamwork Save Lives? What Does it Take?**
Eduardo Salas, PhD

**Learner Outcome:**
1. Report benefits of teamwork relative to patient safety and outcomes.

**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Annual Business Meeting**
(Limited to AANA members only)
Dennis C. Bless, CRNA, MS
AANA President
- President’s report
- Treasurer’s report
- Executive Director/CEO’s report
- Resolutions
- Bylaws Amendments
- Other association business
- Election results
- Open Forum (start time to be determined)

Your association needs you! Show your support for AANA by joining us for this very important meeting.

**12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **

Lunch on Own

**2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**

Keynote Session (1 CE Credit)

**3:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

**Exhibit Hall Opening**
Complimentary refreshments will be served.

Join us for the opening of the Exhibit Hall and visit with our Corporate Partners to obtain the latest information on their products and services.

**Exhibit Hours**
- Sunday 3:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
- Monday 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- Tuesday 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

**5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

**Military CRNA Updates**
- Air Force
- Navy
- Veterans Affairs

**7:30 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.**

**AANA Foundation Fundraiser**
Orlando – The Stars Come Out Again
Orlando World Center Marriott, Orlando, Florida
Registration Fee of $250; Pre-registration required

The AANA Foundation fundraising event will once again feature CRNA and SRNA talent performances in addition to dinner, drinks, DJ, dancing and the opportunity to vote for your favorite performers. Winners will be announced at the end of the evening. Those who attended last year’s Vegas event raved about the tremendous talent, fantastic host and hysterical judges – you won’t want to miss it! All guests are encouraged to dress like a star or a favorite celebrity.

Visit the AANA Website at www.aana.com/AANA2014AnnualCongress to purchase tickets. Pick up your tickets at the Foundation Booth onsite.

Proceeds benefit the AANA Foundation and its mission to advance the science of anesthesia through education and research.

Visit www.aana.com/AANA2014AnnualCongress for additional information
7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

11th Annual Jan Stewart Memorial Lecture (1 CE Credit)

Making Lemonade: One CRNA’s Story of Addiction and Recovery
Anita M. Bertrand, CRNA, MS

Learner Outcomes:
1. Explain risk factors for substance abuse disorders in anesthesia professionals.
2. Identify five signs or symptoms of substance abuse in an anesthesia professional.
3. Describe a treatment option for substance abuse disorders that has been both lifesaving and career saving for anesthesia professionals.
4. Identify lifesaving actions to be taken when an anesthesia professional has a substance abuse disorder.

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

So You Want to Start an Office-Based Anesthesia Practice? (1 CE Credit)
Stephen D. Smith, CRNA, MA

Learner Outcome:
1. Describe the necessary actions to consider when starting an office-based anesthesia practice.

9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Open
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Product Theaters
Bistro Open for Lunch

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m  Refreshment Break

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

State Presidents Networking Coffee
• Attendance limited to State Presidents
• State Presidents picture will be taken

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  Concurrent Sessions

⇒ 201 – Pediatrics (2 CE Credits)
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Anesthesia and Pediatric Development
Heather J. Rankin, CRNA, MSN

Learner Outcomes:
1. Define neuroapoptosis.
2. Identify medications shown to cause neuroapoptosis.
3. Discuss medications shown to cause neuroapoptosis.
4. Identify human complications from neuroapoptosis.

⇒ 202 – Pharmacology (2 CE Credits)
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Pharmacogenetics
Gwendolynn D. Randall, CRNA, PhD, ARNP

Learner Outcome:
1. Identify pharmacogenetic characteristics of selected anesthetics.

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Psychotropic Medications: Implications for Anesthesia Provider
Gwendolynn D. Randall, CRNA, PhD, ARNP

Learner Outcomes:
1. Describe potential drug interactions of psychotropic drugs and anesthetics.
2. Discuss perioperative management of patients presenting on psychotropic medications.

⇒ 203 – Health & Wellness (2 CE Credits)
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Training to Identify Those at Risk of Substance Abuse: Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
Michael W. Neft, CRNA, DNP, MHA
Ann Bostic, CRNA, MS, MBA

Learner Outcomes:
1. Discuss the importance of identification of substance abuse risk in the healthcare team members, patients, family and friends.
2. List three signs and symptoms of chemical dependency.
3. Demonstrate SBIRT skills to encourage new behaviors in those at risk.

⇒ 204 – History and Archives (2 CE Credits)
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
The Discovery of Anesthesia and Why Nurses Led the Way in the United States for 100 Years
Edmond I Eger II, MD

Learner Outcomes:
1. Describe how shamans and others attempted to relieve pain of surgery before the discovery of anesthesia.
2. Explain what was needed for the discovery of anesthesia to occur.
3. Identify the main contributors in the discovery of anesthesia.
4. Describe the increased sophistication of anesthesia delivery systems.
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  The Rise of Modern Anesthesia: How the Role of the CRNA May Change in the 21st Century  Edmond I Eger II, MD

Learner Outcomes:
1. Show why modern inhaled anesthetics were synthesized after World War II.
2. Report reasons for the increase in both the quality and quantity of CRNAs and anesthesiologists in the U.S. after World War II.
3. Explain why intensive care medicine arose in the 1950s.
4. Explain the progressive decrease in anesthetic morbidity and mortality in the past 60 years.
5. Outline how doctoral education may benefit the patients and standing of CRNAs.

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Exhibit Hall Bistro Open for Lunch on your own

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Student Luncheon (included in registration fee)
1. Student Representative’s farewell message
2. Student Writing Contest Winners Presentation
3. 2015 Student Representative Announcement
4. Student scholarship recognition

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Open Lab (CRNAs Only)

Ultrasound (1 CE Credit)

Learner Outcomes:
1. Demonstrate proper ultrasound probe orientation and application on models.
2. Identify structures with ultrasound guidance on models.
3. Utilize ultrasound guidance to perform vascular access on models.

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Concurrent Sessions

⇒ 205 – Obstetrics (2 CE Credits)

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Prevention and Treatment of Spinal–Induced Hypotension During Cesarean Section
Joseph E. Pellegrini, CRNA, PhD

Learner Outcomes:
1. Review all the non–pharmacological interventions used to treat and prevent spinal–induced hypotension.
2. Rate various non–pharmacological treatment regimens used to prevent and treat spinal–induced hypotension.
3. Review the current literature regarding specific pharmacological agents that are specific in the treatment and prevention of spinal–induced hypotension.

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  The Best Possible Epidural: Tips and Techniques for a Safe and Effective Neuraxial Anesthetic
Brian J. Kasson, CRNA, MHS

Learner Outcomes:
1. Discuss pathophysicologic conditions specific to the OB population and their implications for regional anesthesia.
2. Compare and contrast the regional anesthetic techniques currently used in OB.
3. Describe the anatomical considerations that can predict difficult block placement and interventions required to improve success.
4. Identify strategies to optimize patient safety and satisfaction.
5. Outline steps to predict, prevent and manage the inadequate neuraxial anesthetic.

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.  Update on Trauma Care: What the Future Holds!
Caleb A. Rogovin, CRNA, MS, CCRN, CEN

Learner Outcomes:
1. Identify key components of trauma resuscitation using a Massive Transfusion Protocol.
2. Discuss current pharmacologic agents available to treat traumatic coagulopathies.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Wellness in the Face of Critical Adverse Event Stress
Lynn J. Reede, CRNA, DNP, MBA

Learner Outcome:
1. Discuss critical incident awareness, response and support for yourself, team, patient, and family.

⇒ 206 – Clinical Topics (2 CE Credits)

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⇒ 207 – State of the Science Oral Poster Presentations (2 CE Credits)

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Anesthetists in Recovery (AIR) Open Support Meeting
All are welcome to attend this open meeting to find addiction support, guidance, and hope or to just learn more about chemical dependency and anesthesia professionals. AIR is a national network of CRNAs and student nurse anesthetists in recovery from chemical dependency.

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Regional Breakouts
Please come to your regional breakout to discuss issues with your AANA Region Director. These breakout sessions provide you the opportunity to share successes and concerns with engaged members from other states in your region.

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Anesthesia College Bowl
Students compete with students – winning team faces the CRNA Challenge Team in a final match.
Come to this exciting event and support your favorite team.
Students or CRNAs who would like to compete should obtain full details regarding this event, including the rules for competition, from the AANA website, program directors, or the AANA Education Department at 847–655–1161.
Deadline to apply is April 15, 2014.
6:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m

**Ninth Annual Wellness Fun 5K Walk/Run**
Orlando World Center Marriott, Hawk’s Landing Golf Course
$30 registration fee*

The theme is the Spirit of Disney! Inspired by Disney’s imagination, fun, and make believe for all ages, character themed attire is highly encouraged. Pre-race contest for best Disney attire and teams (Disney categories such as individual, family, and group; team ideas like largest state association or most enthusiastic nurse anesthesia program students/faculty), etc. Walkers, runners, families, friends, and children welcome; children under 16 free. Top three male and female runners will be recognized.

*$30 before 7/15; $40 after 7/15.

For more info and details on the AANA’s entertaining wellness event: www.AANA.com/WalkRun. Any questions, email wellness@aana.com

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

**Exhibit Hall Hours**
Complimentary Coffee and Danish

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Open Lab**

**Ultrasound (1 CE Credit)**

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10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

**General Session (2 CE Credits)**

**Patient Safety and Residual Neuromuscular Blockade - A Lesson for all Practitioners**
Sorin J. Brull, MD
Mark D. Welliver, CRNA, DNP
John M. O'Donnell, CRNA, DrPH
Maria M. vanPelt, CRNA, MSN

**Learner Outcome:**
1. Identify patient safety influences related to perioperative neuromuscular blocking agent use.

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch on Own**

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. **Concurrent Sessions**

=> **301 – Clinical Practice Issues (2 CE Credits)**

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Anesthesia Provider's Role in Preventing Hospital Acquired Pressure Injuries**
Cormac T. O’Sullivan, CRNA, PhD, ARNP

**Learner Outcomes:**
1. State the incidence and impact of hospital acquired pressure injuries on a surgical patient.
2. Identify intrinsic and extrinsic factors associated with HAPU formation.
3. Describe surgical and anesthesia specific factors that lead to the formation of HAPU in surgical patients.
4. Explain the physics of pressure injury development.
5. Illustrate methods used to alleviate pressure, friction, and shear forces to reduce the incidence of HAPU

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

**Closed Claims – Lessons Learned**
Lorraine M. Jordan, CRNA, PhD, FAAN

**Learner Outcome:**
1. Discuss case examples of poor outcomes and the anesthesia implications for practice.

=> **302 – Cardiovascular (2 CE Credits)**

1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

**Current Trends in Cardiovascular Surgery**
Charles T. Everson, MD

**Learner Outcomes:**
1. Describe current trends in adult cardiovascular (CV) surgery.
2. Discuss patient selection and preoperative evaluation for patients undergoing selected CV surgery.
3. Identify anesthetic techniques used in selected CV surgeries.

=> **303 – Clinical Topics (2 CE Credits)**

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Cases You Wish You Were at Lunch For: Case Studies of Uncommon But Potentially Dangerous Scenarios**
James K. Sperle: CRNA, DNP

**Learner Outcome:**
1. Examine and illustrate the anatomical and physiological considerations, pathophysiology and the anesthetic management of tracheal stenosis, severe croup and Ludwig’s Angina.

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

**“A” is for Airway: Managing the ENT Patient**
Mark J. Haffey, CRNA, MSN, APN

**Learner Outcomes:**
1. Identify the structures of the larynx.
2. List the key aspects of successful airway management.
3. Identify pitfalls of ENT cases.
4. Identify keys of managing ENT cases.
5. Manage airway crisis in ENT patients.
Tuesday, September 16

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Annual Banquet Reception (Cash Bar)

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Annual Banquet
Semiformal/Formal Event
Highlights of the evening include:
• Musical Salute to the States
• Meet your New Board of Directors
• Recognition of award recipients
• AANA Scrapbook

9:00 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.
Dancing
Corporate Partners

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Registration Details

What Your Registration Fee Includes

Full Fee
Payment of an AANA member or nonmember registration fee includes admission to:
- Opening Ceremonies
- Business Meeting
- General & Concurrent Sessions
- Exhibit Hall

Daily Fee
You may register either in advance or onsite to participate on a particular day or days. A maximum of two daily registrations is permitted. Daily fees apply to all days from Saturday, September 13, through Tuesday, September 16.

Guest
Payment of a guest registration includes admission to Opening Ceremonies and the Exhibit Hall. Every guest must be accompanied by a CRNA sponsor who has registered and paid all applicable fees. A reduced registration fee is available to guests who are not themselves CRNAs or SRNAs. Tickets to the Annual Banquet and fundraising events must be purchased separately. Daily registration is not available to guests.

Register by July 15th & be entered to win 2 Walt Disney World® Theme Park Tickets!

Pre-Congress Workshops

| Neuraxial Regional Anesthesia Hands-On Workshop–Epidural | $350 Member / $450 Nonmember |
| New Beginnings: A Continued Professional Certification (CPC) Update | $350 Member / $450 Nonmember |

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**Associate (student) members**

The associate member’s registration fee is for those who:
- Are enrolled in approved nurse anesthesia program
- Are eligible to take the certification examination after graduation
- Have been accepted into an approved nurse anesthesia program and can provide letter of verification from program director

Associate members are invited to the Student Luncheon (complimentary).

Students who wish to be sponsored through AANA’s Sponsor-A-Student program must indicate their desire when and submit payment for registration and the Annual Banquet (if attending) by July 15, 2014. All students will be randomly selected for sponsorship. Those selected for sponsorship will receive a refund by October 1, 2014.

We ask that students who are being sponsored by a specific individual, school, or state, not request sponsorship on their registration forms to allow other students the same opportunity to be sponsored.

**Retired members**

AANA members over 62 years of age and in retired status with AANA can register for a reduced fee.

**CRNA speakers**

Those who are CRNAs and also speakers at the AANA Annual Congress may register at a reduced fee. If they will only be at the meeting on the day they are speaking, they will not be required to pay the fee and will be entitled to participate in scheduled activities on the day of their presentation.

**Persons with disabilities**

To assist AANA in complying with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those with disabilities are asked to check the appropriate box on the registration form. An AANA representative will contact you personally to discuss any special requirements you may have.

**Recording waiver (Photography, Audio & Video)**

Portions of this AANA Annual Congress may be photographed or audio/video recorded for various purposes, including reporting, promotion, archival, or sale and distribution. By registering, individuals agree that the AANA may photograph or record by audio/video their attendance and involvement in any portion of the meeting. Furthermore, individuals agree that the AANA may use these photographs and/or recordings without additional approval or permission.

**Exhibitor registration**

Exhibitors at the AANA Annual Congress are encouraged to refer to the Exhibitor Prospectus for rules and regulations surrounding their participation in the meeting. Exhibitor badges and meeting materials may be picked up at the Exhibitor Registration Desk.

**Exhibitor representatives**

Only those who are employed by the exhibitor and will be working in the booth will be registered as exhibitors and given an exhibitor badge, which they must wear at all times. Badges will not be issued to registrants who are subject to the registration fee or to representatives of leasing companies, suppliers, vendors, or others who want to be admitted to make contacts. However, exhibitors will receive 2 guest passes; additional badges will be $50.

**CRNAs who are exhibitors**

CRNAs who are registered as exhibitors are not eligible to receive CE credit unless they have also registered as members or nonmembers and paid the registration fees.

**Recruiting at AANA’s Annual Congress**

The AANA Annual Congress is an ideal place to seek a new position, discuss the many practice options available, and network with those who have positions available. You will find many recruiters from agencies, hospitals, and placement services in the Exhibit Hall. You are encouraged to visit their booths to learn about the opportunities available.

In fairness to those who have rented space in the Exhibit Hall, recruiting devices such as posters, business cards, private hospitality suites, or any other recruiting media cannot be used during the meeting, except by those who are officially listed as exhibitors. Anyone who is found to be recruiting and is not an exhibitor will be charged a full booth fee. If the fee is not paid, it will affect their attendance at future AANA Annual Congresses.

**Registration for Children**

Children under the age of 16 are not required to register. Tickets must be purchased for children who attend the Annual Banquet. Children are not permitted in the educational sessions under any circumstances.
Children in the Exhibit Hall
Children may walk through the Exhibit Hall if they are accompanied by an adult who will assume responsibility for any damage to exhibits caused by the child. No strollers are permitted in the Exhibit Hall. Children are not permitted in the Exhibit Hall during the setup and dismantlement periods.

Child care
Contact the concierge at the hotel for assistance in finding a child care service that meets your needs.

Confirmations
All registrations received by mail, fax or email by July 15, 2014, at 4:00 p.m. CDST, will receive a confirmation by email. When you arrive at the AANA Annual Congress Registration Desk, you will be given the Official Program and Exhibitor Directory as well as a badge.

Cancellation Policy
If you are not able to attend the meeting or any separate ticketed event, please email your cancellation to meetings@aana.com. Listed below is the cancellation fee schedule:

- 31 days or more prior to event – 20% of registration/ticket fee; remainder will be refunded
- 16-30 days prior to event – 50% of registration fee/ticket fee; remainder will be refunded
- 15 or fewer days prior to event – no refund because the expense of your anticipated participation has already been incurred

All requests for cancellation must be received in writing.

Annual Banquet Seating Procedure
You are strongly encouraged to purchase tickets by July 15, 2014, at 4:00 p.m. CDST, to guarantee your seating preference.

- Annual Banquet seats are reserved, and all attendees, including children, must purchase tickets.
- Tickets are nonrefundable after 4:00 p.m. CDST, July 15, 2014.
- Seating assignments will be available at the AANA Annual Congress
- Appropriate apparel includes cocktail dresses for women and suits and ties for men. Black tie optional.

Advance ticket purchases for state/military tables
- Tickets must be purchased through the pre-registration process and picked up by 2:00 p.m., Monday, September 15, 2014, to be guaranteed a reserved seat at the state/military table requested.
- Anyone who purchases tickets after July 15, 2014, will be assigned a seat on the basis of availability.
- Under no circumstances can tables be rearranged to accommodate onsite purchasers or individuals who purchased tickets after the pre-registration date/time.

Seating at state tables
- Through the use of annual rotation of state tables, those who were seated farther from the head table one year can be assured of being seated closer the next year.
- A maximum of 10 people can be seated at a table. Every effort will be made to seat those from the same state in the same area.
- Large video screens will enable everyone to have a clear view of the head table.

Seating at state presidents’ tables
- State presidents in office during March 2014 will receive an explanation of banquet seating procedures by email.
- If you are or will be a state president at this year’s AANA Annual Congress, it is your responsibility to be knowledgeable about the procedures AANA follows.
- Members/guests seated at a state president’s table must purchase a banquet ticket by July 15, 2014, at 4:00 p.m. CDST.

Contractual arrangements with the Orlando World Center Marriott do not allow beverages to be brought to the banquet. Wine will be available for purchase before and during the banquet.

Sponsor-A-Student Program Support AANA’s future CRNAs
This is the 22nd Annual AANA Sponsor-A-Student Program, which has been hailed by sponsors and students alike. For $360, you enable a student nurse anesthetist to attend both the meeting and the Annual Banquet, the social highlight of the entire meeting. During the banquet, your sponsored student(s) can meet and mingle with those employed in the profession and learn more about the AANA and its worldwide nurse anesthetist advancement efforts.

All student sponsorships made through the AANA Sponsor-A-Student program are randomly selected by the computer. Individuals, state associations, schools of nurse anesthesia, and partners in the profession may contribute to the program. There are three sponsorship options:

- Registration and banquet ticket - $360
- Registration only - $265
- Banquet ticket only - $95

The AANA Foundation processes all randomly-selected student sponsorships, which are tax-deductible. The AANA Foundation Board endorses all selections.

Direct Sponsorships
If you wish to sponsor a specific student(s), please contact that individual directly. If you would like to sponsor a student(s) from a specific state or school, please contact that state or school directly to identify students in need of sponsorship. Contact information for schools of nurse anesthesia and state associations can be found at www.aana.com on the AANA Annual Congress web page.
Hotel Details

**Headquarter Hotel and Meeting Location**
Orlando World Center Marriott
8701 World Center Drive
Orlando, FL 32821

**Single or Double Occupancy**
$189/night
Room tax – 12.00%

**Early check-in/Late Arrival**
Early check-in is based on hotel availability. Your deposit will guarantee your reservation for late arrival after 6:00 p.m. If you plan to arrive after 12:00 midnight, inform the hotel of your arrival time so they do not release your reservation.

The hotel cut-off is July 15, 2014. Hotel reservations, or any changes to existing reservations, may be made by using one of the following methods:
- Via the AANA Website (www.aana.com)
- Call AANA Housing Bureau at 877-226-2885, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (CDT), Monday through Friday

If you do not receive confirmation within 48 hours of making your hotel reservation, please call the AANA Housing Bureau at 877-226-2885. Do not call the hotel directly as they will not have your information until two weeks before the meeting.

The hotel may require a deposit of one night’s room rate plus tax with each reservation request. Requests received without a deposit will be returned. Credit card deposits may be charged by the hotel after August 22, 2014.

All changes and cancellations must be made through the Housing Bureau. Reservations will be assessed a $25.00 processing fee for cancellations at any point. Reservation cancellations must be in writing and emailed to meetings@aana.com.

For suite information, please contact AANA, Housing Bureau at 877-226-2885.

**Check your confirmation**
Be sure to check your hotel confirmation from the AANA Housing Bureau. Errors can occur, so it is important that you verify the accuracy of your reservations.