

Conference Objectives

- Describe the ASA guidelines for preoperative fasting.
- Discuss the current NPO practices in this country and internationally.
- Define The ASPAN Discharge Assessment Criteria For PACU Phase I and II.
- Describe the advantages and disadvantages of postanesthesia scoring systems.
- Describe fast tracking and its essential elements for success with the perianesthesia patient.
- Define evidence-based practice (EBP) for nursing.
- Examine EBP application in the perianesthesia nursing practice setting.
- Identify the challenges faced by perianesthesia nurses today, personally and professionally.

7.0 Contact Hours

Hotel Accommodations

Crowne Plaza
2700 Pilot Knob Road
Eagan, MN 55121
(800) 324-2664

Make reservations directly with the hotel and identify yourself as a MNDKSPAN conference participant. A block of rooms is being held until March 4th, 2005. Single or double occupancy rate is \$89.99 plus applicable taxes.

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