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Perioperative anaesthetics and recovery room nursing science 712 (AOT 712)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty Faculty of Health Sciences

Module credits 20.00

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 22 hours work-integrated learning, 3 lectures per week, 3 practicals per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Nursing Science

Period of presentation Quarter 2

Module content

Theory and practice of perioperative care related to recovery room (pre-, intra- and post-operative), preoperative risk factors, informed consent, ethical considerations; intraoperative role and responsibilities of anaesthetic, scrub and circulating nurses; drugs used pre-, intra- and post operatively; airway management, blood and blood products; emergency conditions and implementation of evidence-based interventions.

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