

The breakdown for Administrator Education Units (AEUs) by content area for AORN's Surgical Conference & Expo is listed below. It reflects the number of AEU(s) and the content area for each session. Please refer to this breakdown when submitting this program as part of the recertification process for the CASC credential.

Session Title	Content Area	AEU Hours
<b>Sunday, March 30, 2014</b>		
Reliability Science and the Socio-Technical Model	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
Care Planning Using Syntegrity	Delivery of Patient Care	
Ambulatory Supplement for AORN Perioperative Standards and Recommended Practices	Delivery of Patient Care	
The Fine Art of Giving an Effective Deposition: What Every Perioperative Nurse Should Know	Regulatory & Legal Issues	
Using Narrative to Bring Safety Innovation to Life	Delivery of Patient Care	
Reprocessing Complex Surgical Instruments	Quality Management	
The Evolution of Aortology	Delivery of Patient Care	
A New Educator Ponders, "I've Said It, They've Read It; How Come They Aren't Doing It	Quality Management	
An Innovative Surgical Procedure for Treatment of Obstructive Sleep Apnea	Delivery of Patient Care	
Large-Scale Disclosure of Patient Harms	Quality Management	
Advances in Bariatric Surgery	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
Improving Safety in the Office-Based Setting	Delivery of Patient Care	
Breathing Life Into Thoracic Surgery Through Robotics	Delivery of Patient Care	
Pediatric Trauma at a Non-Pediatric Hospital: Taking a Risk to Save a Life	Delivery of Patient Care	
Anterior Total Hip Arthroplasty	Delivery of Patient Care	
Navigating the Financial Rapids Ahead	Financial	1.50
Buzz Session #1: Sharps Safety	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
Building an ASC Surgical Site Infection Surveillance Program	Delivery of Patient Care	
Big Changes in Surgical Suite Design for 2014 and Beyond	Quality Management	
Fire in the OR: Innovative Simulation Center Team Approach to Fire Preparedness	Delivery of Patient Care	
Damage Control in the Poly Trauma Patient and Resuscitation: 2014 Updates	Delivery of Patient Care	
Seeking the "Holy Grail": Efficient Use of time and Supplies as a Component of Value Based Medicine	Financial	
<b>Monday, March 31, 2014</b>		
Innovative Ways to Manage Block Scheduling Efficiently	Financial	1.25
Quality Assurance: Crisis to Control	Quality Management	1.00
Wet Packs: Are They Sterile?	Quality Management	
Challenges and Successes of Implementing Comprehensive Unit-Based Safety Program (CUSP) in a Canadian OR	Delivery of Patient Care	
NEW! Flip the Session: An Experiment in Content Delivery	Delivery of Patient Care	
Hot Topic! Sustaining A Safety Culture: Are We One Step Forward or Three Steps Back?	Delivery of Patient Care	
<b>Tuesday, April 1, 2014</b>		
Beyond the Bundle: Effect of Real Time Feedback and Staff Engagement in Process Improvement Related to Surgical Site Infections for Joint Arthroplasties	Quality Management	1.00

Misaligning the Cheese: Assuring Perioperative Safety Prior to Admission	Quality Management	
The Latest from The Joint Commission	Delivery of Patient Care	
Perioperative Nursing of Autistic Pediatric and Adult Patients (PeriopNAPPS) Tool Kit	Delivery of Patient Care	
Proactive Safety Planning for an Intraoperative MRI	Quality Management	
Caring for Transgender Patients	Delivery of Patient Care	
Clinical Effectiveness: Reducing Cost Through Clinical Redesign	Financial	1.00
Can Lean Improvements Fuel Innovation in the OR?	Financial	1.25
Laparoscopic Surgery: The Innovative Progression	Delivery of Patient Care	
OR Environmental Hygiene: New Insights and Technologies	Delivery of Patient Care	
An Innovative Partnership Results in Improved Care for Wounded Heroes and Injured Civilians	Delivery of Patient Care	1.50
Surgical Lasers: Understanding Lasers, Tissue Response, and Safety in the OR	Delivery of Patient Care	
Critical Events Happen! Critical Even Checklists Work	Delivery of Patient Care	
Multidisciplinary Team Approach to Hand Transplantation	Delivery of Patient Care	
A Culture of Safety and Implementation of the AORN Surgical Checklist	Delivery of Patient Care	
Putting on the Ritz: Increasing Excellence and Patient Care in ASCs	Quality Management	
The Red Line Safety Program: Here's Where We Draw the Line	Regulatory & Legal Issues	
NEW! Flip the Session: An Experiment in Content Delivery – Pharmaceutical Waste: Hands-on Strategies to Reduce Waste in Perioperative Settings and Access Resources for Safe Disposal	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
Got Trauma? Innovations in Trauma Management: Balancing Access and Resource Utilization	Delivery of Patient Care	
We Are The World: Respecting Cultural Diversity and Managing Communication Needs During Perioperative Care	Delivery of Patient Care	
Ground Zero: Rising from the Ashes; Leading Positive Change Management	Delivery of Patient Care	
<b>Wednesday, April 2, 2014</b>		
Talent Management	Human Resources	
Update on Clinical Quality Measures	Quality Management	
Do I Report This to the Board of Nursing?	Regulatory & Legal Issues	
Advancing Nurses in Practice: What Works and What We've Learned	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
Compassion vs. Vulnerability: Caring for the Inmate Patient	Delivery of Patient Care	
Innovations in Quality: A Collaborative Multidisciplinary Approach to Perioperative Mortality and Morbidity	Quality Management	
Hot Topic! Federal Regulatory and Legislative Issues that Affect ASCs	Delivery of Patient Care	
Improving Patient Safety in the OR through PSO Participation	Delivery of Patient Care	
Fostering Health Care Innovation and Enhancing Patient Outcomes and Safety with Evidence-based Practice	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
Pressure Ulcers in the OR: An Update on the Munro Scale	Delivery of Patient Care	
Innovation Between OR & SP Personnel Resulted in Success	Quality Management	
First Do No Harm: Patient Safety Starts with Leadership	Delivery of Patient Care	



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Remembering the Third Monday in April	Delivery of Patient Care	1.00
The Importance of Measuring Clinical Outcomes for Pain Medicine	Quality Management	
Executive Walk Rounds	Delivery of Patient Care	
Understanding Critical Financial Concepts	Financial	
Simulating and Implementing Family Presence in the OR for Donation after Circulatory Death	Delivery of Patient Care	
Coordinate Clinical Documentation for an Integrated Perioperative Process	Regulatory & Legal Issues	
My Mistake: the Role of Apology, Disclosure, and Pre-litigation Compensation in Reducing Claims	Regulatory & Legal Issues	1.50
Operation Whipstitch: Sewing Together Operational Efficiencies	Financial	
Evidenced-based Design Principles Transform Hospital Constructions Projects	Delivery of Patient Care	
Applying Science and Strategy to OR Workforce Management	Human Resources	1.00
Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement: Innovation at Work	Delivery of Patient Care	
Perioperative Efficiencies	Financial	
Perioperative Pain Management: A Team Approach	Delivery of Patient Care	

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