



Innovative Medical Products Sponsors Free Continuing Education Course on Pressure Ulcer Prevention for Perioperative Nurses

Available online through the Nursing CE Portal, the IMP-sponsored course is one of the website's newest "Hot Topics" offerings

PLAINVILLE, Conn., (October 7, 2009) – Innovative Medical Products, an industry leader in patient positioning devices and pressure redistribution gel pads, has announced its sponsorship of a free continuing education course for perioperative nurses through the Nursing CE Portal website. The free online course, authored by Suzy-Scott Williams, MSN, RN, CWOCN, instructs nurses on one of the portal's newest "Hot Topics" offerings: Perioperative Pressure Ulcer Prevention. According to Nursing CE Portal, the free course is "due to the generous support of nursing education by Innovative Medical Products' innovative new line of Phase 4 Gel™ products."

"We are pleased to make available to perioperative nurses a valuable continuing education course on a critical issue of patient care," said Greg Prentiss, IMP Gel product manager. "Perioperative ulcer prevention impacts the perioperative nurse directly, as the OR has been identified by several studies as a potential source of pressure ulcers. Because the Nursing CE Portal plays an important role in perioperative education, we could think of no more effective way to provide information on pressure ulcer prevention than through this outstanding online resource for perioperative nurses."

To sign up for the free course, visit the Nursing CE Portal at www.nursingceportal.com. Click on "Hot Topics" and scroll down the course offering list to locate the IMP Phase 4 Gel™ sponsored course. Click on Course Title to see the course description. Or: visit the home page of the Innovative Medical Products' website (<http://www.impmedical.com>) and click on the Nursing CE Portal logo, displayed on the page, to be taken directly to the course offering.

The IMP-sponsored course is fully accredited in all 50 states and will be available free on the nursing website until May 2010.

About Innovative Medical Products

Established in 1983, Innovative Medical Products is focused on developing innovative products to benefit and improve efficiency in the operating room and hospital clinics where patient stability and positioning are required. Its products are designed to provide accuracy for the surgeon, save time for operating room personnel, and benefit the overall patient surgical experience. For more information, call: 800-467-4944; or visit: <http://www.impmedical.com>.

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