



Introduction to Perioperative Nursing — Learning Plan

The Introduction to Perioperative Nursing course is for undergraduate nurses and provides fundamental knowledge of pre, intra, and post-operative surgical practices. Nursing schools can incorporate the course into their curriculum as an introduction to the challenging and exciting perioperative nursing profession. The 15-module course includes QSEN competencies and focuses on key infection prevention concepts, preventing complications in the surgical patient, and teaches how to look at the patient and identify potential complications.

IPN Modules	
IPN01	Professionalism
IPN02	Patient and Family Education: Social Determinants of Health
IPN03	Organizational Influences and Patient Outcomes
IPN04	The Nursing Process
IPN05	The Surgical Team
IPN06	Surgical Attire, Gowning and Gloving
IPN07	The Surgical Suite and Safety in the Surgical Suite
IPN08	Surgical Team Communication
IPN09	Basic of Infection Prevention and Principles of Aseptic Technique
IPN010	Hand Hygiene and Surgical Hand Antisepsis
IPN011	Prevention of Surgical Site Infection
IPN012	Patient Skin Antisepsis and Draping
IPN013	Patient Transfer and Positioning
IPN014	Surgical Counts
IPN015	Postanesthesia Care