



AORN CENTER OF EXCELLENCE IN SURGICAL SAFETY: ENHANCED RECOVERY AFTER SURGERY (ERAS) *A complimentary education & recognition program*

Build your reputation as a Center of Excellence in Surgical Safety with AORN's team-based education program to implement Enhanced Recovery After Surgery (ERAS). This complimentary program is focused on education, training, analysis, and quality improvement to implement enhanced recovery after surgery.

THE IMPACT OF ENHANCED RECOVERY AFTER SURGERY

ERAS uses evidence-based protocols to improve patients' physical and psychological condition before, during, and after surgery. It involves the entire perioperative team in a coordinated plan tailored to each patient to enhance outcomes and speed up recovery.

Through this evidence-based education program, perioperative teams will learn:

- The stages of ERAS planning
- Who should be involved
- Optimized pain management strategies
- Interventions to implement in every phase of care
- Standardized postoperative care pathways

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Improve patient recovery time and patient satisfaction
- Decrease costs due to shorter length of hospital stay and lower readmission rates
- Foster a collaborative work environment
- Reduce team workload
- Gain community and national recognition as a Center of Excellence in Surgical Safety

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- Pre- and post-tests on knowledge of ERAS
- Online education modules
- Gap analysis tools
- Process audits to confirm progress
- Award and recognition as an AORN Center of Excellence in Surgical Safety including a listing on the AORN website, recognition at AORN Global Surgical Conference & Expo, and access to the Center of Excellence media kit to promote your facility's commitment to patient safety.

Are you ready to take the first step in implementing ERAS?

Learn more at aorn.org/eras-coe

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