

# TAPAN

## Texas Association of PeriAnesthesia Nurses

### 49<sup>th</sup> Annual State Conference

*Unseen, Essential, Extraordinary:*  
*The Perianesthesia Nurse*  
**September 26-27, 2025**

#### Program Topics

Herbal Supplements; Migraine Treatments; Regional Anesthesia; SGLT-2 and GLP-1ra; Corneal Abrasions; Workplace Violence; and Legal Considerations in Perianesthesia Practice

**Outcome:** To enable the nurse to increase knowledge on perianesthesia implications of herbal supplements, migraine treatment post-nasal sinus surgery, regional anesthesia, corneal abrasions, workplace violence, SGLT-2 and GLP-1 receptor agonists, and legal considerations in perianesthesia practice demonstrated by 80% or more of the participants scoring 80% or higher on the post test.

**Target Audience:** All perianesthesia nurses

**Location:** Conroe, TX

**September 26, 2025** Presidential Banquet

**Registration** 5:00pm-6:00pm; **Program** 6:00pm-10:00pm

**September 27, 2025** Education Sessions

**Registration** 7:30am-8:00am; **Program** 8:00am-5:15pm; **Evaluations** 5:15pm-5:30pm

**Faculty:** Ursula Mellinger, BSN, RN, CPAN, CAPA; Dr. Kevin Smith; Dr. Rayomond Mody; Dr. Nadia Hernandez; Dr. Luke Carroll; Patty Charles, BSN, RN, CPAN, CAPA, Stephanie Lombard, MLS, BSN, RN; and Racheal Leavy, JD and 15 Poster Presentations

#### **Accreditation**

This activity has been submitted to the American Society of Perianesthesia Nurses for approval to award contact hours. The American Society of Perianesthesia Nurses is accredited as an approver of nursing continuing professional development by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

For more information regarding contact hours, please contact the Nurse Planner Geraldine delos Santos, MSN RN CPAN at [gm.puno@gmail.com](mailto:gm.puno@gmail.com)

## Cancellation Policy

TAPAN reserves the right to cancel a program due to insufficient enrollment or any unforeseen circumstances. Written notice is required for all refunds. Full refund if requested by 9/1/25; 50% refund if requested by 9/15/25; no refund if requested after 9/16/25.

\*TAPAN reserves the right to substitute speakers if necessary\*

## Registration Form (Please Print)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ ASPAN Member # \_\_\_\_\_

### Fees:

Attendance Choice	Early Registration (Ends 9/1/25)		Registration (After 9/1/25)		Walk-in (9/26-27/25)	Student (undergrad, unlicensed)
	ASPAN Member	Non- Member	ASPAN Member	Non- Member		
Full Conference <b>Sept. 26-27</b>	<b>\$125</b>	<b>\$135</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$155</b>	<b>\$175</b>	n/a
Saturday Only <b>Sept. 27, 2025</b>	<b>\$125</b>	<b>\$135</b>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$155</b>	<b>\$175</b>	<b>\$60</b>

Register Online at: [TAPAN.org](http://TAPAN.org)

### Mail in Registration

c/o Alma Pope, TAPAN Treasurer  
318 Bananaquit Way, Magnolia, TX 77354

\*\*\*\*\*Check Payable to **TAPAN**\*\*\*\*\*

### Questions? Contact:

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### Hotel Information

Hyatt Regency Conroe  
1001 Grand Central Parkway  
Conroe, TX, 77304  
Group Rate of \$192+tax/night  
for Texas Association of  
Perianesthesia Nurses  
**Book by August 29, 2025**

## Schedule

<b>September 26, 2025</b>	<b>Presidential Banquet</b> (Dress Code: Semi-Formal) Region Colors: N&E: Red Hill Country: Green UGCR: Blue WTxPanhandle: Pink
5:30pm-6:00pm	Welcome and Registration
6:00pm-7:00pm	Dinner and Business Meeting
7:00pm-7:45pm	Region and Individual Awards
7:45pm-8:00pm	Installation of Executive Board. Introduction of Regional Board
8:00pm-8:15pm	Presidential Address
8:15pm-10:00pm	Networking

<b>September 27, 2025</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
7:00am-8:00am	<i>Registration and Breakfast</i>	
8:00am-9:00am	Perianesthesia Implications: Herbal and Vitamin Supplements	Ursula Mellinger, BSN, RN, CPAN, CAPA
9:00am-10:00am	Post-Op Pearls: Nursing Care after Nasal Sinus Surgery to Cure Migraines	Dr. Kevin Smith
10:00am-10:30am	<i>Break Exhibitors and Poster Presentations</i>	
10:30am-11:45am	Recognizing and Managing Complications of Regional Anesthesia	Dr. Rayomond Mody
11:45am-12:15pm	<i>Boxed lunch + Posters/Exhibitors</i>	Lunch Break
12:15pm-1:15pm	SGLT-2/GLP1ra Perianesthesia Implications	Dr. Nadia Hernandez
1:15pm-2:30pm	Corneal Abrasions & Anesthesia-Related Complications: A Perianesthesia Perspective	Dr. Luke Carroll
2:30pm-2:45pm	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
2:45pm-3:45pm	Workplace Violence and Active Shooter Preparedness	Patty Charles, BSN, RN, CPAN, CAPA
3:45pm-5:15pm	When Leadership Fails: Legal Consequences	Stephanie Lombard, MLS, BSN, RN & Racheal Leavy, JD
5:15pm-5:30pm	<i>Closing Remarks. Evaluations</i>	

## Standards for Integrity and Independence

The provider will collect information from all individuals in a position to control content regarding financial relationships with ineligible companies, analyze the data for relevant financial relationships related to the educational content; and mitigate relevant financial relationships. The results of this analysis will be reported in the course presentation materials on the required handout.