

TARGET AUDIENCE:

Perioperative Team Members and
Nurse Leaders

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WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND?

Due to the risk factors related to perioperative bleeding, members of the perioperative team need to be knowledgeable about the wide variety of hemostatic, sealant, and adhesive agents that are available for the management of bleeding in surgical and other invasive procedures. Their components, mechanisms of action, properties, appropriate use, and safety considerations vary between the different product categories.

OBJECTIVES

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Discuss the evolution of surgical hemostasis.

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Review the surgical challenges and impacts of bleeding.

3

Describe methods to achieve surgical hemostasis.

4

Summarize the coagulation cascade and how a clot is formed.

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Define the categories of hemostatic, sealant, and adhesive agents.

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Discuss mechanisms of action, components, and safety considerations for hemostatic, sealant, and adhesive agents.

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