

*This virtual class (with highly respected national speaker Maureen McLaughlin) is not only for those considering certification, but an excellent review for ALL perianesthesia nurses, from novice to expert. The wide range of topics means something for everyone! Join us for 8 contact hours of perianesthesia education that is certain to enhance and strengthen your practice.*

### **Speaker Information:**

**Maureen McLaughlin MS, RN,  
ACNS-BC, CPAN, CAPA**

Maureen has spent her career in perianesthesia environments and is considered a perianesthesia nurse expert. She began her perianesthesia nursing career as a staff nurse in a high acuity PACU in an academic medical center. Since that period, she has held a variety of clinical leadership roles including PACU Clinical Educator, Clinical Nurse Specialist of Procedural Sedation, Critical Care Clinical Educator and now her current role as Quality Nurse, Department of Anesthesia.

Maureen's possesses a baccalaureate degree and a master's degree from Boston College. She is board certified as a Clinical Nurse Specialist in Adult Health as well as dual certification as a CAPA and CPAN. Maureen is a frequent lecturer locally, nationally, and internationally covering a variety of clinical topics. She echoes the vision statement from the American Board of Perianesthesia Nursing Certification, Inc.:

*"Recognizing and respecting the unequalled excellence in the mark of the CPAN and CAPA credential, perianesthesia nurses will seek it, managers will require it, employers will support it and the public will demand it."*



### **Maine Society of PeriAnesthesia Nurses (MeSPAN)**

The Maine Society of PeriAnesthesia Nurses is an association dedicated to the promotion of the highest standards of professional practice in the perianesthesia setting.

#### **Website:**

<https://mespan.nursingnetwork.com/>

## **MESPAN'S 2024 SPRING CONFERENCE**



### **CPAN&CAPA Certification Review Course**

***National Speaker:  
Maureen McLaughlin***

*Virtual conference via zoom with  
8 CEU'S provided*

***Saturday  
March 16, 2024***

## Registration Information

Registration is **online only** via

[Upcoming Maine Nursing Events / The Maine Society of PeriAnesthesia Nurses / Nursing Network](#)

MeSPAN Member	\$75
ASPAN Member (non-MeSPAN)	\$90
Non-Member	\$105

**Registration Deadline**  
**3/11/24**

### Conference Link:

A link for conference sign-in will be sent via email 3 days prior to the conference and again the night before the conference. When registering ensure your email address is correct and you use the email where you want your access link to be sent.

### Cancellation Policy:

Full refunds will be given for cancellations received no later than 3/6/2024. Refund will be determined by the date that the written cancellation is received by the registrar. MESPAN reserves the right to cancel for low enrollment. In the event of course cancellation, a full refund will be provided.

### Picture Consent Statement:

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## Program Schedule

7:15	Registration opens via Zoom
7:50	Welcome and introduction
8:00	Introduction to Certification
8:15	Anesthesia Review
09:30	Regional Anesthesia
10:00	Break
10:15	Preoperative Preparation
10:45	Anesthesia Complications
12:15	Break
12:30	Perianesthesia Pharmacology
13:00	Special Populations and Special Concerns
13:45	Break
14:00	Surgical Specialties
15:00	Discharge Preparation
15:30	ASPAN Standards
16:00	Test-taking Strategies
16:30	Evaluation & Summation; Test Questions & Answer
16:45	Adjourn

\* Please note that due to the virtual nature of this conference, breaks are abbreviated to maximize learning opportunities.

### Accreditation:

This nursing continuing professional development activity was approved by the American Association of Critical Care Nurses, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This continuing nursing education individual activity was approved for **8.00 contact hours**.

### Learning Outcome:

To provide perianesthesia nurses with the knowledge, confidence and test taking skills necessary to obtain specialty certification.

### Target Audience:

All perianesthesia nurses

### Disclosure Statement:

All planners and presenters at nursing continuing education activities are required to disclose to the audience any financial relationships with ineligible companies. Such disclosures will be made in writing in the course presentation materials and verbally at the start of the conference.

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