**LEARNER NOTIFICATION**

**Society of Cardiovascular Anesthesiologists**

**Activity Title: Cardiovascular Outcomes Research in Perioperative Medicine**

**Date:** **May 5, 2023**

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**Description:**

Annual societal meeting that presents clinical research for cardiovascular anesthesiologists and trainees.

**Educational Information**

**Physician Practice Gap:**

Anesthesiologists may not be aware of recent developments to improve feasibility and rigor of clinical research projects.

**Needs that Underlie the Gap**

There is a need to provide education to clinicians on how to plan and conduct research associated with the field of cardiovascular anesthesiology as well as to provide clinicians with new approaches, strategies and updated methods to investigate cardiovascular conditions and combine these investigations with their practice.

**DESIGNED to Change/Outcome**: Following this activity, learners will develop competence by increasing their knowledge through a combination of hands-on learning, case-based presentations, and online lectures. Knowledge will be assessed with a pre-test and post-test.

The physicians in attendance will be able to deliver a higher quality of care in cardiothoracic anesthesiology and clinical research by reviewing evidence-based material that has been identified as a knowledge gap, by attending workshops to improve hands-on research skills (e.g., accessing databases), and to improve health care delivery in perioperative medicine. Teaching modalities will include panel discussions, hands-on workshops, and abstract presentations.

**Educational Objectives**

*After completing this activity, the participant should be better able to:*

* Describe the latest advances in perioperative clinical outcomes research.
* Identify current trends in clinical and bench research pertinent to cardiovascular medicine and incorporate this knowledge into understanding of the science of cardiothoracic and vascular anesthesia.
* Discuss research methods.
* Identify sources of research funding.
* Acquire skills necessary for career progression in cardiovascular and thoracic anesthesia.

**Satisfactory Completion**

Learners must complete an evaluation form to receive a certificate of completion. Partial credit of individual sessions is not available.

**Contact Information**

If you have questions regarding your CME certificate, please contact Kerim Oz, kerim@veritasamc.com.

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2. Login and evaluate the meeting.

3. Print all pages of your certificate for your records.