**AGENDA**

**May 3, 2019**

7:30-8:00  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00-8:15  Welcome and Announcements

Robbie Stefanski, MSN, RN

8:15-9:30  State-of-the-Art Procedures in Cardiac and Cardiovascular Care

Azeem Khan, MD

9:30-9:40  Break

9:40-10:55  Advancements in Plastics and Reconstructive Microvascular Surgeries

Sarosh Zafar, MD

10:55-11:05  Break

11:05-12:20  Cutting-Edge Procedures to Treat Peripheral Vascular Disease

Ankur Kodha, MD

12:20-1:20  Lunch Break (Available on site through the Petroleum Club, cash or check payable to Petroleum Club or participant may leave and return at 1:20 PM)

1:20-2:35  Current and New Treatments for the Burn Patient

James Garcelon, MD

**CONTINUING EDUCATION**

University of Louisiana at Lafayette College of Nursing and Allied Health Professions is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Louisiana State Board of Nursing – Provider # 9.

To receive 5.0 contact hours, the participant must attend the entire program, and complete and submit the Contact Hour and Evaluation forms.

**DISCLAIMER**

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**SPECIAL NEEDS**

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**REFUND POLICY**

Refunds will not be issued for cancellations or incorrect fee submissions. Fee may be applied to future programs if you cancel at least two days prior to the program.

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**FACULTY**

Azeem Khan, MD

Dr. Khan grew up in Baton Rouge and received his undergraduate degree at LSU. He attended LSU Medical School in Shreveport, completed a general surgery residency at LSU in New Orleans and recently completed a cardiothoracic surgery fellowship at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. Dr. Khan gained additional experience in minimally invasive transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) in Leipzig, Germany and endovascular surgery at the Arizona Heart Institute in Phoenix, Arizona. He participated in cardiac surgery research at The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia at the University of Pennsylvania. Previously, Dr. Khan practiced in Baton Rouge for five years and has recently moved to Lafayette to assume the role of Director of CVT Surgery Center of Acadiana.

Sarosh Zafar, MD

Dr. Zafar is a board certified plastic and reconstructive surgeon as well as a board certified general surgeon. A native of Pennsylvania, Dr. Zafar received her bachelor's in science degree from Villanova University where she graduated with summa cum laude honors. She then went on to receive her medical degree from Drexel University College of Medicine, where she also completed a full residency in general surgery. She then completed her residency in plastic surgery at Houston Methodist Hospital in The Texas Medical Center, followed by a fellowship in microsurgery at the University of California, San Francisco. Dr. Zafar is the only fellowship trained microvascular surgeon in Lafayette and performs a wide range of plastic and reconstructive surgeries and procedures.

Ankur Kodha, MD

Dr. Lodha earned his Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery at Bangalore Medical College in India. He completed his general cardiology fellowship at Maimonides Medical Center in Brooklyn, New York where he was given the honor of being named chief resident because of his knowledge, skills, and leadership qualities. He continued his training in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania at Allegheny General Hospital where he completed his fellowship in interventional cardiology. Dr. Lodha is board certified in internal medicine, cardiovascular disease, nuclear cardiology, echocardiography, and interventional cardiology, and he is a registered physician in vascular interpretation. He has been a reviewer for many well-known medical journals and has published numerous articles and abstracts. He has also received an award from the Medical Society for the State of New York for his clinical research. Currently, Dr. Lodha practices in Lafayette where he specializes in the management and treatment of cardiovascular and peripheral vascular disease including interventional procedures.

James Garcelon, MD

Dr. Garcelon has been practicing as a general surgeon in the Acadiana area for twenty-two years. He completed his Doctor of Medicine and General Surgery Residency in 1997 at LSU School of Medicine in New Orleans where he was named Surgery Resident of the Year for four years and served as Chief Resident. Currently, he specializes in various types of general surgery, breast surgery, and burn surgeries. Dr. Garcelon is on the team of burn surgeons at Our Lady of Lourdes Burn Center, southwest Louisiana’s only burn center that offers state-of-the-art, multi-disciplinary, comprehensive burn care.

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**TARGET AUDIENCE**

This educational activity is designed for registered nurses and other healthcare providers who provide care for patients undergoing surgical procedures.

**LEARNING OUTCOME**

To increase the participants' knowledge of new, innovative surgical procedures offered to patients with various disease processes.

**OBJECTIVES**

At the conclusion of this educational activity the participant will be able to:

1. Describe new, innovative surgical advancements in cardiac, cardiovascular, and peripheral vascular disease, as well as, microvascular reconstructive procedures and burn injuries.
2. Identify the risks and benefits for patients undergoing new, innovative surgical procedures for cardiac, cardiovascular, and peripheral vascular disease, as well as, microvascular reconstructive procedures and burn injuries.
3. Discuss the evidence-based pre-operative, intra-operative, and post-operative care for patients undergoing new, innovative surgical procedures for cardiac, cardiovascular, and peripheral vascular disease, as well as, microvascular reconstructive procedures and burn injuries.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Less invasive, decreased procedure time, shorter recovery, with improved outcomes is the surgical trend seen in healthcare today. These ever-changing times in the realm of surgery make it difficult for the nurse to stay abreast to the many new, innovative surgical procedures that physicians perform. Nurses must be knowledgeable of the risks, benefits, side effects, and treatment goals of the procedures in order to provide quality, safe patient care and what better way to learn than from the surgeons who themselves perform these state-of-the-art procedures.
REGISTRATION FORM

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REGISTRATION CAPACITY WILL BE LIMITED.

Early Registration Submission is Suggested.

(CHECK ONE)

REGISTRATION

Individual $80.00

Subscriber Participant $20.00

Retired RN $30.00

Undergraduate Students $10.00

and Dietetic Interns

Graduate Students $40.00

Region IV LA Public Health $40.00

Please add $10.00 for registrations received after Monday, April 29, 2019.

For your convenience the College of Nursing accepts telephone registrations. However, it will be necessary to submit payment via mail.

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