LIVE WEBINAR

Environmental Cleaning in the Perioperative Setting

A joint presentation of the Illinois Health and Hospital Association (IHA) and the Association for Professionals in Infection Control & Epidemiology (APIC) – Chicago Chapter

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Wood has been the lead author of AORN’s Guidelines for Perioperative Practice, which discusses environmental cleaning. She offers clinical information to AORN members via the AORN Consult Line and contributes regularly to the Clinical Issues column in the AORN Journal.

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Learn best practices for environmental cleaning in the perioperative setting, including the operating room (OR), pre- and postoperative patient care areas, and sterile processing areas. This webinar will provide guidance and supporting evidence from the Association of periOperative Registered Nurses (AORN) Guidelines for Perioperative Practice, a nationally recognized resource. You’ll get tips and suggestions for real-world implementation, as well as answers to your questions about OR cleaning.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND
Managers and staff in Infection Prevention, Environmental Services and Quality Improvement

WHAT YOU’LL LEARN
At the end of this webinar, you’ll be able to:

• Discuss at least three practices to improve environmental cleaning in the perioperative setting
• Identify at least two elements to consider when determining cleaning frequencies for the operating room
• Describe the role of the multidisciplinary perioperative environmental cleaning team

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