

Continuing Education/Continuing Medical Education (CE/CME)

**Implantable Ports - Access/De-Access and Care/Maintenance**

WHEN: May 24, 2021 — 8:00 AM

**Presentation purpose:**

* Patients receiving therapy requiring implanted ports, require nurses to have an expertise in accessing and de-accessing. This 90 minute (1.5 CE) class educates the attendee about implantable port access/de-access and care and maintenance. The program teaches assessment skills necessary for determining the correct access devices for both power and conventional ports, and assessment of port for complications.

**Learning objectives:**

* Identify and distinguish between power injectable ports and conventional ports
* Discuss troubleshooting strategies when blood return is not obtained
* Verbalize two complications related to implantable ports

**Target audience:**

This activity is designed for the interdisciplinary audience including the following:

Specialties: Anesthesiology, Cardiology, Dermatology, Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine, General Medicine, Medicine, Neurology, Ob/Gyn, Oncology, Orthopedics, Pathology & Laboratory Medicine, Pediatrics, Physical Medicine & Rehab, Primary Care, Psychiatry, Radiology, Radiation Oncology , Surgery, Other, Rheumatology, Palliative Care, Infectious Disease, Telemedicine

Professions: Nurse

**Accreditation**

In support of improving patient care, Ascension is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

**Credit designation:**







This activity is awarded 1.50 ANCC contact hour(s). (based on 60 minutes per contact hour)







**Faculty/Course Director/Planners:**

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| **Name of individual** | **Individual's role in activity** | **Name of commercial interest/Nature of relationship** |
| Fawn A McDonough, BSN | Activity Coordinator | Nothing to disclose - 05/10/2021 |

**Commercial Interest:**

No commercial interest was received for this CE/CME activity.