

# Continuing Education/Continuing Medical Education (CE/CME)

## Critical Care Management of Heart Valve Replacement

**WHEN:** November 19, 2021 - November 19, 2023

### Presentation purpose:

This course will discuss heart valve replacement, what types of valves are available, choice selection, and post operative care and follow up.

### Learning objectives:

- Recall the evaluation and indications for valve surgery
- Recognize the different types of valve replacement options
- Explain the factors that affect valve selection
- Identify post operative complications
- Identify echocardiographic findings consistent with valve incompetence
- Summarize the long term management of patients after valve surgery

### Target audience:

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

Specialties: *Critical Care Medicine*

Professions: *Physician Assistant, Nurse, Nurse Practitioner*

### 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 1.00 ANCC contact hour(s). (based on 60 minutes per contact hour)



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### Faculty/Course Director/Planners:

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Name of individual	Individual's role in activity	Name of commercial interest/Nature of relationship
Michelle Mitchell, NP	Activity Administrator, Nurse Planner, Faculty	Nothing to disclose - 07/03/2021
Robert C Unger, PA-C	PA Planner	Nothing to disclose - 07/26/2021

### Commercial Interest:

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