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IOWA ASSOCIATION OF NURSE ANESTHETISTS

Spring 2026
HYBRID
EDUCATIONAL MEETING
April 17-19
Embassy Suites
Des Moines, IA

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FRIDAY, APRIL 17 (8 CE_s)

0730-0830: Ventilation Physics: One lung, double lung, and positioning
Andrew Miller, CRNA

0830-0930: Ketamine and Other Psychedelics
Mindy Gingery, CRNA

0930-0945: Break

0945-1045: Mental Health Medications and Anesthesia
Mindy Ginger,, CRNA

1045-1145: Navigating Healthcare Contracts
Jen Lindberg, JD

1145-1245: Lunch (on own)

1245-1345: DNP Presentations
UI Senior SRNAs

1345-1445: Why the Anesthesia Market is Complicated
Wendy Odell, CRNA

1445-1500: Break

1500-1600: Anesthesia Business Fundamentals
Wendy Odell, CRNA

1600-1700: DNP Presentations
UI Senior SRNAs

1700-1800: Social & Networking Hour/UI 30th Anniversary Celebration
Embassy Suites Lobby

SATURDAY, APRIL 18 (8 CE_s)

0730-0830: Airway Considerations in Special Populations
Emily Ford, DNP, CRNA

0830-0930: Cricothyrotomy
Jeremy Heiner, CRNA

0930-0945: Break

0945-1045: Small Group Workshop
UI Faculty

1045-1145: Small Group Workshop
Jeremy Heiner, CRNA

1145-1245: Business Meeting Lunch
1245-1345: Awake Intubation
Jeremy Heiner, CRNA

1345-1445: Difficult Airway Algorithm
UI Nurse Anesthesia Faculty

1445-1500: Break

1500-1600: Small Group Workshop
UI Faculty

1600-1700: Small Group Workshop
Sass Elisha, CRNA

Small Group Workshops:

- Front-of-neck access
- Airway POCUS
- Flexible video laryngoscopy
- Advanced and high-flow oxygen therapies

SUNDAY, APRIL 19 (4 CE_s)

0730-0830: DNP Student Presentations
UI Senior SRNAs

0830-0930: AANA Update
Wendy Odell,, CRNA

0930-0945: Break

0945-1045: State Government Update
Doug Struyk, JD
Jenny Dorman, JD

1045-1145: Bias in Anesthesia
Randy Cornelius, CRNA

1145: ADJOURN

