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Society for Obstetric Anesthesia and Perinatology

Target Audience

This activity is intended for anesthesiologists, anesthesiologists' assistants, CRNAs, residents/fellows and medical students.

Accreditation Statement

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Learning Objectives

- Summarize current advances in obstetric anesthesiology research with potential for translation into clinical practice.
- Discuss barriers and facilitators to implementing evidence-based research findings in obstetric anesthesia.
- Evaluate strategies to integrate translational research principles into quality improvement and patient safety initiatives.
- Describe methods to foster collaboration between researchers and clinicians that enhance the translation of evidence into bedside care.
- Apply an evidence-informed framework when developing or updating clinical protocols to improve maternal and neonatal outcomes.

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