

Welcome to the 1st Nursing Emergency Abdominal Surgery Course. This course is based on the EASC multidisciplinary course, predominantly a surgeon's course. The parent EASC course has always embraced nursing concepts and now in recognition of the integral part of nursing care, DCRA has designed a unique course in the delivery of Emergency Surgery Care.

The first EASC was held in Letterkenny, Donegal in May 2012. That popular course is now taught around the world. This is the inaugural course nEASC. The course builds on previous successes and is further enhanced by a faculty who are at the coal face in Emergency Surgery and Nursing.

nEASC curriculum focuses on the acute abdomen, in a multidisciplinary shared learning approach. It will bring you a level of discussion you have not heard before and enhance your ability on-duty in emergency care. This course is about decision making in patients with common surgical emergencies.

Course Goals

Understanding the natural history of key emergency surgery presentations, with emphasis on decision making and how nursing can interact with other disciplines. nEASC will identify tips and traps to optimise outcome. This coupled with an emanual containing lectures and the latest literature references will ensure your patients are getting optimal outcomes.

Who should attend ?-

If you treat or manage a patient with an acute abdomen in Emergency, Ward, Theatre or ICU environment this course is a must for you!

Take this opportunity to be at the cutting edge of Emergency Abdominal Surgery delivery

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n EASC

**Friday October 8th 2021
0800-1200**

**Virtual Zoom Platform
NMBI 4 CEUs**



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08.00 Welcome

08.05 **Challenges in EGS**
Results of PreCourse Nursing Survey

08.10 **Emergency General Surgery-**
Profile and Target areas

08.25 Appendicitis-Pre-op Nursing Care

08.35 Case Scenario

0900 Cholecystitis-Post op Nursing care

0915 Case Scenario



0935 Emergency Coffee

0945 **Diverticulitis Nursing Challenges**

0955 Case Scenario Panel

10.20 **Small Bowel Obstruction-Pathways**

10.40 Case Scenario Panel

n **EASC**

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11.00 Emergency Tea

11.10 The Wound Bundle and the Nurse

11.20 Case scenarios

11.40 Issue in Imaging in EGS

12.00 Nurse led Improvement in EGS
outcomes

12.15 Close of meeting and Certification

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MCQ's via website for pre-course test

Registration Fee €30

