

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 specifically for nurses

The first EASC was held in Letterkenny, Donegal in May 2012. That popular course is now taught around the world. This is the inaugural nEASC course and builds on previous successes of the other EASC courses. It will be 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 optimize 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, Surgical 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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1st Nursing Emergency Abdominal Surgery Course

nEASC

**Friday October 8th 2021
08:00-12:30**

**Virtual Zoom Platform
Approved by Nursing +Midwifery
Board of Ireland for 4 Continuing
Education Units (CEUs)**



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08.00 Welcome M Sugrue

08.05 **Challenges in EGS
Results of Pre-Course Nursing Survey**

08.10 **EGS The Challenge and
the Team approach**

08.25 **Appendicitis - Nursing
Care**

08.35 **Case Scenario with Panel**

Walker Waldron Crawford Pereira
Keating Boermeester

09.00 **Cholecystitis - Peri-op Nursing
care**

09.15 **Case Scenario**

Flanagan G Sugrue Toner Donohoe
Zeeshan



09.35 **Emergency 10 min Coffee**

09.45 **Diverticulitis Nursing
Challenges**

09.55 **Case Scenario Panel**

Hogan Walker Crawford Gallagher
Varzgalis

10.20 **Small Bowel Obstruction
making a difference**

10.40 **Case Scenario Panel**

Marren Cross R Waldron Zeeshan
Gallagher Crawford

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11.10 **The Wound Bundle and the
Nurse**

11.25 Case scenarios

Bolster Lawler Flanagan C Waldron
Bass Coulter Toner

12.00 **Nurse led Improvement in EGS
outcomes**

12.15 **Close of meeting and
Certification**

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