

Exceptional Patient Centered Critical Care: The CERTAIN Approach

Activity Description

Implementation of best acute care practices to drive safety and quality improvements remains a challenge for many healthcare systems. This course offers an evidence based solution through the CERTAIN (Checklist for Early Recognition and Treatment of Acute Illness and iNjury) program, a validated, bedside decision support tool to standardize best approaches to evaluation and treatment of acutely ill patients. Participants will have the opportunity to learn the CERTAIN approach through interactive and simulation based experiences, and develop a customized implementation plan for their institution using key implementation tools including change management science, informatics resources, lessons learned from the Mayo Clinic experience, and interactions with an international group of faculty experts who have implemented this program in intensive care units (ICUs) across five continents over the past 5 years.

Target Audience

This activity is appropriate for physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, and pharmacists.

Learning Objectives

Upon conclusion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Describe the importance of managing acutely ill and injured patients by the standardized, systematic and structured approach.
- Apply the CERTAIN Approach (admission, rounding, point of care ultrasound, and patient centered decision making) to consistently deliver the best possible care to acutely ill and injured patients.
- Develop implementation strategies to incorporate the CERTAIN approach into their healthcare team's daily clinical practice.

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