Optometric Surgical Assisting for the Paraoptometric Technician - Workshop

What to Expect

Explore the office operating room protocols and behaviors as they relate to optometric office surgery.

Identify office surgical equipment, instrumentation and supplies.

Review and practice sterile technique, including pre-operative procedure setup and discuss standard precautions.

Analyze, demonstrate and perform intra-operative assisting, wound irrigation, hemostasis, tissue management, instrument hand-off and wound closures.

Evaluate, verify and practice post-op wound dressing, instrument/environmental management and sterilization.

Duration: 4 Hours

Interactive Workshop

- This 4-hour workshop is an excellent in-depth, hands-on practical application in assisting during office-based surgical procedures.

- Paraoptometrics seeking the AOA Paraoptometric Micro-credential for Optometric Surgical Assisting will be required to demonstrate a mastery of the essential clinical skills by passing all 14 lab exercises.

Learn more about the micro-credential in AOA’s EyeLearn: Your Professional Development Hub

Price: $50

Questions?
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