

## 3.6 Operating Theatre Protocols Update

**3.6 Operating Theatre Protocols Update** module forms part of the **3.0 Working with Healthcare Professionals course** and is designed to support experienced medical technology industry staff that visit the peri-operative environment review changes to the ACORN Standards.

### Working with Healthcare Professionals

Medical technology industry staff often need to work directly with healthcare professionals. A range of skills, knowledge and understanding that respond to the needs of healthcare professionals is required.

### What is the Working with Healthcare Professionals Course?

The *Working with Healthcare Professionals* course supports medical technology industry employees needing to interact with healthcare professionals.

There are eight modules within this course.

- 3.1 Understanding Medical Terms (online)
- 3.2 Language of the Human Body (online)
- 3.3 Interpreting Medical Terminology
- 3.4 Hospital Protocols
- 3.5 Introduction to Operating Theatre Protocols
- 3.6 Operating Theatre Protocols Update
- 3.7 Professional Conduct
- 3.8 Communicating Effectively with Healthcare Professionals



A photo ID will be provided upon successful completion of modules 3.5 and 3.6.

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### What topics are covered in the *Operating Theatre Protocols Update* module?

This module provides a review of the ACORN Standards and an opportunity to discuss industry issues relevant to the peri-operative environment.

#### Learning outcomes

- Reviews changes to the ACORN standards for visitors to the peri-operative environment.
- Explore other relevant changes in policy.
- Discusses topical issues and industry based challenges of the peri-operative environment.
- Revises hand-washing techniques.

### Who should participate?

Medical technology industry staff who have previously completed OTP training and are experienced in the peri-operative environment, or who are registered surgical nurses should attend this training. Modules 3.1, 3.4, 3.7 and 3.8 are recommended as complementary training for this module. Module 3.5 is the recommended prerequisite for this Level 2 module.

### How much does it cost?

The cost of this half day module including GST is \$550 for members and \$850 for non-members.

### How do I register?

Please visit *Professional Development* on the MTAA website [www.mtaa.org.au](http://www.mtaa.org.au) to access course information and register for the training. Places are limited.

Following registration, participants will be forwarded a program. Participants will receive a *Certificate of Participation* and photo ID upon completion.