# Taking Time Out to Avoid Wrong-Site Surgery

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### Target Audience:

Physicians, Specialty Physicians, Residents, Physician Assistants, Nurses and Specialty Nurses.

#### Learning Objectives:

As a result of the participation in this activity, participants should be able to:

- 1. Describe the Florida Board of Medicine definition of surgery/procedure and what constitutes wrong-site surgery.
- 2. Recite pertinent state and federal standards relative to wrong surgeries, associated medico-legal and potential practitioner implications as well as prevalence data.
- 3. Relate common risk factors of wrong site, wrong patient, wrong procedure surgery and apply nationally recognized practices and preventive strategies.

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