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**Integrity in Action: Guidelines for Operating
Room Nurses**

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*Ghana Peri-operative Nurses Group
St. Johns Hospital, Springfield, IL*

Learning Objectives

- Provide overview of the principles and practice of peri-operative nursing
- Describe the standards of Association of periOperative room Registered Nurses
- Demonstrate closed gloving techniques

8:00 – 8:45 am

Registration

8:45 - 9:00 am

Opening & Welcome Remarks - Ms. Vivienne Dawkins

The Role of the PeriOperative Nurse

9:00 – 9:30am

Preoperative needs

9:30- 10:00am

Intraoperative care

10:00 – 10:30am

Postoperative Responsibilities

AORN Standards and Recommended Practices

10:30 – 11:00pm

Theory vs. Practicum

11:30 – 12:00pm

Counting & Sterilization

12:00 – 1:00pm

Lunch Break

1:00- 1:30pm

Hand Hygiene & Environment of Care

1:30-2:00pm

Transfer of Patient Care Information

Demonstration of Closed Gloving & Gowning

2:00-2:50pm

Return student practicum

2:50 – 3:00pm

Closing Remarks

3:00pm

Adjourn

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