Advanced Suturing Skills Workshop Program Schedule

This intensive skills workshop is designed for nurse practitioners and physician assistants who are proficient in performing simple interrupted sutures and wish to build on their skills. The Advanced Suturing Skills Workshop will provide opportunity to practice: hand-tie knots, subcuticular running, mattress stitch, corner stitch, buried stitch, and securing tubes. All supplies are provided for the workshop. Enrollment is limited in order to optimize the learning experience.

Learning objectives: Upon conclusion of this program, participants should be able to:

- Discuss management of more complex wound closure
- Demonstrate more advanced wound closure techniques

Thursday, February 8, 2018	
3:15 p.m.	Complex wound closure and special considerations – James Stone M.D.
3:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Suturing Demonstration and Practice – James Stone M.D.
	Hand-tie Surgical Knots
	Vertical and Horizontal Mattress
	Corner stitch
	Buried stitch
	Subcuticular running
	Chest tube suture technique
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	Other techniques as time permits

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