

ANZCA and FPM CPD Program

Peer review of practice (anaesthesia) – Observation form

Date: _____ Location: _____

Type of surgical list: _____

Category of practice (<i>ANZCA role</i>)	Observations	Outcome of discussion
Patient management (<i>Medical expert</i>)		
Preoperative assessment		
Additional investigations/interventions		
Selection of anaesthetic technique		
Case preparation		
Use of monitoring devices		
Clinical and situational awareness		
Response to change in patient status		
Postoperative management plan		
Ethical care of the patient		
Communication (<i>Communicator</i>)		
Management of consent process		

Relationship with patients and their families/carers		
Negotiating patient concerns, values and wishes		
Communication with anaesthetic assistant		
Communication with theatre team		
Teamwork/collaboration (<i>Collaborator</i>)		
Plan of care agreed with surgeon		
Communication of anaesthetic management plan to all team members		
Negotiation with other staff to optimise patient care, as required		
Cooperation with team and requesting assistance from others		
Clear delegation of tasks		
Responsiveness to questions or suggestions		
List management (<i>Leader and Manager</i>)		
Case allocation and prioritisation		
Operating list organisation and efficiency		
Management of theatre resources and cost/utility implications		
Patient safety (<i>Health advocate, Professional</i>)		
Vigilance		

Handover of patient care		
Adherence to agreed standards and guidelines, including participation in WHO Surgical Safety Checklist		
Risk minimisation (practices to reduce patient harm)		