

Second Annual  
**Houston Aortic Nursing Symposium**

March 6, 2019 | 12:00 – 5:00 PM  
The Westin Oaks, Houston, Texas

## **Wednesday, March 6, 2019**

**Meeting Location:**        **The Westin Oaks, The Roof, 21<sup>st</sup> Floor**

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| 12:00 – 12:10 PM | <b>Welcome Address</b><br><i>Jody Thiele, MSN, APRN, AGACNP-BC</i><br><i>Program Director</i>  |
| 12:10 – 12:30 PM | <b>Aortic Anatomy, Dissection, Aneurysm: Etiology, Classification</b><br><i>Selena Akers, RN</i>   |
| 12:31 – 12:51 PM | <b>Aortic Management: Medical vs. Open vs. Endovascular</b><br><i>Jody Thiele, MSN, APRN, AGACNP-BC</i>                                    |
| 12:52 – 1:12 PM  | <b>Infected Aortic Aneurysm</b><br><i>Glenda Medina, MSN, RN, ACNP-BC</i>  |
| 1:13 – 1:33 PM   | <b>Fundamentals and Management of Lumbar Drain</b><br><i>Kaphne Harris, MSN, RN, ACNP-BC</i>   |
| 1:34 – 1:54 PM   | <b>SSEP/MEP Monitoring</b><br><i>Hyng Nguyen, MD</i>   |
| 1:55 – 2:15 PM   | <b>Genetics and Aortic Disease</b><br><i>Alana Cecchi, MS, CGC</i>   |
| 2:16 – 2:45 PM   | <b>Break</b>   |
| 2:46 – 3:06 PM   | <b>TAVR: Criteria, Procedure, Pre and Post Care</b><br><i>Sarah Johnson, MSN, RN, ACNP-BC</i>  |
| 3:07 – 3:27 PM   | <b>Minimally Invasive Aortic Mitral Valve: Criteria, Procedure, Pre-Workup, and Post-Op Care</b><br><i>Lisa Delgarmo, MSN, RN, ACNP-BC</i> |
| 3:28 – 3:42 PM   | <b>Fundamentals of Cardiopulmonary Bypass and Hypothermia During Aortic Surgery</b><br><i>Michael Neylor, CCP</i>                          |

3:43 – 4:03 PM

**MCS (Mechanical Circulatory Support 101)**

*Barbi Miller Witz, PA-C*

4:04 – 4:24 PM

**Acute Limb Ischemia After Cardiac Devices**

*Cristina Sola, BSN, RN, CVN*

4:25 – 4:45 PM

**Panel Discussion and Closing Remarks**

**5:00 PM**

**Please join us for a Reception in the Grand Foyer**