



SDSA Spring 2023 Conference

Friday, April 21, 2023, from 5 to 8pm (Central Time)

5-550pm – *OSA, Inspire, UPPP – What’s the Right Choice?* – Dr. Gregory Danielson, MD

6-650pm – *Updates and Advances in Central Sterile Processing* – Heather Duffy, CRCST Chief from Sterile Processing Services Sioux Falls VA Health Care System

7-750pm – *Hands on Experience with Stryker Endoscopy Equipment* – Mike Newman, Stryker Endoscopy
Dinner Sponsored by Stryker

Saturday, April 22, 2023, from 8 to 3pm (Central Time)

715-750am – *Breakfast sponsored by Sanford Health*

750-8am – *Welcome & Announcements*

8-850am – *Corneal Treatments & Transplants D-SEK, D-MEK, PKP* – Dr. Tanner Ferguson, MD

9-950am – *How to be an Effective Preceptor* – Angie Burton, CST, FAST and Dani Hersrud, CST

10-1050am – *Inclusion in Healthcare* – (Stephanie) Faith Minnich Kjesbo, MAMFT, NDCCDP, Manager of Formation and Cultural Competence Avera Mission Services

11am-12pm – *Lunch Sponsored by Sioux Falls Specialty Hospital*

12-1250pm – *Awake Hand Surgeries* – Dr. Hillary Becker, MD

1-250pm – *Organ Recovery Process and the Vital Role of the Surgical Technologist* – Karen Hecimovich, CST, BS, CTP Manager of Organ Recovery and Preservation Services

Donor Recipients – Patient Perspective / Experience - Organ Recipients

****AST approved for 9 live CE credits**

REGISTRATION: Online registration required by April 14th at:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=hx9v69abb&oeidk=a07ejp6lvzr9d820037>

COST:

- Friday Session - \$25 for AST Members and \$10 for students
- Saturday Session - \$50 for AST Members and \$20 for students
- We must have an email address and payment for each person attending.
- Current AST members will have CE's automatically documented with AST after the event.
- Each participant will receive a post-conference survey via email after the event.

LOCATION:

- Southeast Technical College campus – 2320 N. Career Ave in Sioux Falls

Southeast Technical College students will be holding a raffle to raise funds for their community service projects.

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT:

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