



COMPREHENSIVE SIMULATION-BASED ADULT ECMO COURSE

MARCH 31 - APRIL 3, 2026

HEART AND VASCULAR CENTER
CONFERENCE ROOM (4999 JPP)
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA HEALTH CARE MEDICAL CENTER
200 HAWKINS DRIVE
IOWA CITY, IOWA



Provided by:
University of Iowa Heart and Vascular Center
University of Iowa Health Care

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OVERVIEW

With a rich history spanning three decades, the University of Iowa ECMO program proudly stands as a Platinum Level Center of Excellence. We are thrilled to announce our ELSO endorsed, four-day adult ECMO course, meticulously designed for healthcare professionals at all levels (APP, CCP, Physician, RN, RRT). This immersive program combines didactic presentations and high-fidelity simulations to offer a comprehensive training experience.

Recognizing the uniqueness of each participant's background, our course provides the flexibility to attend the didactic portion, the simulation segment, or both. The didactic component delves into the intricacies of managing Venovenous and Venovenous and Venovenous and Venovenous ECMO, meeting the criteria for step one of ELSO's E-AEC certification.

Furthermore, our high-fidelity simulation aspect is tailored to encompass essential scenarios, addressing the requirements for step two of the E-AEC certification. This hands-on experience ensures that participants not only acquire theoretical knowledge but also gain practical skills, preparing them for real-world challenges in ECMO practice.

Join us on this educational journey, where our decades-long expertise converges with cutting-edge simulation techniques to elevate ECMO proficiency across diverse healthcare roles.



INTENDED AUDIENCE

- Physicians
- Advanced practice providers
- Nurses
- Respiratory Therapists
- Perfusionists
- Any other healthcare professional who provides direct care for patients supported on extracorporeal membrane oxygenation devices

REGISTER NOW

Full Comprehensive Course	\$2,500
Simulation Only	\$1,500
Didactic Only.....	\$1,000

➔ <https://tinyurl.com/yeye8at6>

HOTEL

Courtyard by Marriott

Iowa City University Heights
901 Melrose Avenue
Iowa City, Iowa
Phone: 319-569-6777

Book room via the link below or by calling the hotel directly.

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CREDITS

AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ (21.25 hours)

ANCC Contact Hours (21.25 hours)

Non-Physician Attendance (21.25 hours)

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Physician: The University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 21.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Other Health Care Provider: A certificate of participation will be available after successful completion of the course. (It is the responsibility of licensees to determine if this continuing education activity meets the requirements of their professional licensure board.)

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QUESTIONS ABOUT THE COURSE

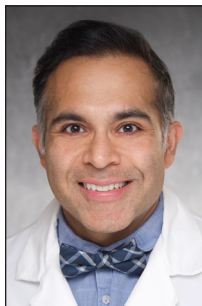
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AGENDA

TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2026

- 8:00 - 8:25** **Welcome & ECMO Training Overview**
Katelyn Meyer, MN, RN, E-AEC, CCRN
- 8:30 - 8:55** **ECMO Components**
Seth Jackson, BSN, RN, E-AEC
- 9:00 - 9:25** **Cannulation for ECMO**
Mohammad Bashir, MBBS
- 9:30 - 10:00** **Physiology of ECMO**
Desmond Barber, MD
- 10:00 - 10:30** **Break**
- 10:30 - 10:55** **Respiratory Failure and Indications for ECMO**
Kevin Doerschug, MD
- 11:00 - 11:25** **Management of VV ECMO**
Tahuanity Peña, MD
- 11:30 - 12:00** **VV Case Studies**
Desmond Barber, MD
- 12:00 - 1:00** **Lunch**
- 1:00 - 1:25** **Emergency Management of the ECMO Patient**
Lovkesh Arora, MD, E-AEC
- 1:30 - 1:55** **Emergency Management of the ECMO Patient II**
Kristina Rappaport, MSN, E-AEC
- 2:00 - 2:25** **ECMO Complications**
Mark Pedersen, MD
- 2:30 - 3:00** **ECMO Transport**
Katelyn Meyer, MN, RN, E-AEC, CCRN
- 3:00 - 4:00** **Discussion and Adjourn**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2026

- 8:00-8:25** **Cardiac Failure and VA ECMO Indications**
Mark Pedersen, MD
- 8:30-8:55** **Management of VA ECMO**
Lovkesh Arora, MD, E-AEC
- 9:00-9:25** **Physiotherapy**
Tony Naber, DPT
- 9:30-10:00** **Break**
- 10:00 - 10:25** **Managing VA ECMO Complications**
Archit Sharma, MD
- 10:30 - 10:55** **ECMO for Special Indications Case Studies**
Lovkesh Arora, MD, E-AEC
- 11:00 - 11:25** **ECMO Research**
Anita Chazhikattu, MBBS, MD
- 11:30 - 12:00** **VA Case Studies**
Jonathan Simmons, DO
- 12:00 - 1:00** **Lunch**
- 1:00 - 1:25** **Medical Management of the ECMO Patient**
Jonathan Simmons, DO
- 1:30 - 1:55** **ECMO Program Development**
Elizabeth Moore, MBA, BSN
- 2:00 - 3:00** **Discussion and Adjourn**

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THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 2026

8:00 - 10:00 Simulations
10:00 - 10:15 Break
10:15 - 12:00 Simulations
12:00 - 1:00 Lunch
1:00 - 4:00 Simulations

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2026

8:00 - 9:45 Simulations
9:45 - 10:00 Break
10:00 - 12:00 Simulations