AmSECT Pillar Award Application

Section 6: Onboarding, Orientation and Training

In one page or less, please describe the in-house continuing education process for staff perfusionists. Please address the following six questions in your reply.

Please note that this section must be completed and each bullet point addressed, and each box checked "yes" in order to submit the application.

1. Describe the onboarding process which ensures that new hires are oriented and able to safely perform perfusion related responsibilities, including training with hazardous materials (e.g., radiation or chemotherapy) relevant to work duties.

2. Describe the plan for education and/or training of staff perfusionists, relative to general perfusion practice, that is followed.

3. Indicate specifically what Mechanical Circulatory Support (MCS) and/or ECMO related ongoing education and/or training is available to practitioners serving as MCS and/or ECMO team members, if MCS and/or ECMO support is offered by the perfusion department.

4. Is competency in general perfusion practice for staff perfusionists assessed annually?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ N/A

5. Is competency for MCS team members assessed annually, if MCS support is offered by the perfusion department?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ N/A

6. Is competency for ECMO team members assessed annually, if ECMO support is offered by the perfusion department?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ N/A