

NYC Assn. for Central Service Professionals

Theme: Quality and Service Excellence as Our Ultimate Goal!

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Nancy Fellows is a Sr. Clinical Education Consultant for Advanced Sterilization Products. Her perioperative experience spans many years. She has held positions from staff nurse, educator and Operations Manager in large teaching institutes including the renowned Cleveland Clinic. The last several years she has spent working in industry as an educator and consultant for products used by the Operating Room, Central Service and Endoscopy departments. She is serving her second term on the Ohio Board of Nursing and is a member of Sigma Theta Tau.



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With more than 30 years' experience in the Peri-Operative setting, Brenda has held positions from staff nurse to Manager of Surgical Services Manager. Her experience includes managing the Endoscopy Suite, Pre-op, PACU and Ambulatory Surgery, Information Systems, Surgical Scheduling, Inventory and Physician Order Entry Systems. Brenda has worked as a Clinical Specialist for Advanced Sterilization Products and TSO₃ Inc., and Smith & Nephew providing clinical and technical support and education for the CS and Operating Rooms.



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Lamont Holliday, has been in the Central Service field for over 30 years in the position of Central Service Technician, Manager, Director and Educator. Currently, he is the Manager of Central Sterile at Kings County Hospital Center in Brooklyn, NY. He is the Founder/Director of KAS Knowledge & Action = Success, Inc. The Central Service Certification Training Program. Lamont is also, an ACE Instructor at LaGuardia Community College.



MARY OLIVERA, MHA, CRCST, CHL, FCS

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Mary has actively participated in the monitoring, surveying and training interdepartmental staff in the proper cleaning, decontamination and sterilization practices and has been highly committed to the standardization of interdepartmental processes. Currently, she is the Director of Sterile Processing Services Assessment Program for Nexera, Inc. a division of Greater NY Hospital Association. Mary is an educator and has published several articles related to central sterile and surgical services. Upon her major accomplishments are implementing lean six sigma principles in CSS, developing a continuing education and certification program for her department, increasing efficiencies in inventory turns in supply distribution, developing a management training program for the supervisory staff, developing performance improvement teams between surgical services and central sterile and winning the hospital team award, received the 2006 National Central Service of the year award given by *Health Purchasing News* and was awarded the 2007 IAHCMM Educator of the year award. She also was named by Hospital Purchasing News in 2007 as one of the 30 most influential people within the field of Central Service. She is also a member of the government advisory committees. Award, Healthcare Purchasing News National Central Service Department of the Year, IAHCMM's Educator of the Year, and was named as a person to watch in Central Sterile, also in Healthcare Purchasing News. Mary has successfully renovated multiple Central Sterile departments without interruption of the surgical services caseload, consolidated hospital sterile processing departments to achieve efficiencies, implemented transport programs between facilities, increased quality processes, and applied remediation programs that led to outstanding remarks from the Joint Commission surveyor. She joined Nexera to lead process improvement in Supply Chain and Sterile Processing practice.



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Kevin Reilly is a veteran of the medical device industry with 35 years of sales and marketing experience. Areas of experience include cardiology, general, gynecologic, orthopedic and laparoscopic surgery as well as extensive experience (over 20 years) in the area of sterile processing.

Kevin has worked with Surgical Concepts and SP Concepts for over 11 years and is currently working in sales management and product development with the company.



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Ray is the principal of Healthcare CS Solutions. His healthcare career spans over five decades as an Administrator, Educator, Technologist and Consultant. Ray is a past president of IAHCSSM and has contributed to many national committees, and task forces for a myriad of professional organizations, and regulatory entities. He has been an advisor and consultant to many manufacturers, corporations and healthcare organizations. Ray has been a faculty member of numerous colleges teaching in the divisions of business administration, nursing and health sciences. He has authored several articles and textbook chapters and has been a featured speaker on the international scene. Since 2002 he has authored a monthly column in HPN entitled *CS Solutions*. He has been very involved in community health affairs and he served two terms as an elected official on the Board of Health in the metropolitan Boston area. Ray is an active member and contributor to many professional associations and regulatory entities including IAHCSSM, AORN, AAMI, AHA, ASCA and SGNA. In addition to his professional credentials in the field of Sterilization Technology and Education, he holds a BS degree in management and a Master's degree in Business Administration. His dedication to the healthcare field and community service has won him international recognition and several prestigious awards including HPN's selection as one of the "Most Influential People in Healthcare Sterile Processing", The IAHCSSM Award of Honor and a Mayoral proclamation of "Ray Taurasi Day" in the City of Boston.