

## Basic and Clinical Science of Plastic Surgery

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School of Medicine - Main Campus

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### Learning Objectives

*Upon completion of this session, learners should be able to:*

- 1 Recognize the latest advancements in plastic surgery techniques and technologies.
- 2 Apply evidence-based practices and research findings into clinical decision-making in plastic surgery.
- 3 Determine the risks and benefits associated with different surgical approaches and materials.
- 4 Discuss strategies for managing complications and achieving optimal surgical outcomes in plastic surgery.

### Target Audience

Specialties – Plastic Surgery

Professions – Physician, Fellow/Resident, Medical Student, Physician Assistant

### Accreditation

The University of California San Diego School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of California San Diego School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 1.00 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the learner to earn credit toward the CME requirement of the American Board of Surgery's Continuous Certification program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit learner completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABS credit.

### Disclosure Statement

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