# Speed and Safety Take Center Stage: Dr. Nancy Moureau to Showcase Breakthrough Ultrasound-Guided Peripheral IV Workflow at ENA 2025

**NEW ORLEANS, Louisiana** -- Attendees at the 2025 annual meeting of the Emergency Nurses Association (ENA) are in for a high-energy, high-impact session this September when internationally recognized vascular access expert and PICC Excellence CEO Nancy Moureau, RN, PhD, BSN, CRNI, CPUI, VA-BC, takes the stage to present a streamlined approach to ultrasound-guided peripheral IV (UGPIV) insertions. Her 20-minute presentation, "Speed and Safety for Ultrasound-Guided PIV and Probe Protection," will be held on Thursday, September 18, from noon to 12:20 p.m. CDT in the exhibit hall's Innovation Theater.

Presented by <u>Parker Laboratories</u>, Moureau's session will focus on accelerating emergency department workflows while elevating patient safety using <u>UltraDrape® or UltraDrape II®</u> UGPIV barrier and securement dressings. UltraDrape streamlines the insertion process by combining barrier protection with securement, simplifying procedures and reducing the risk of contamination during ultrasound-guided vascular access.

"When it comes to vascular access, emergency nurses want one thing: to get the line in quickly and safely," says Moureau. "One method of probe protection checks all the boxes—UltraDrape is fast, easy to use, affordable, and once clinicians understand it, they don't want to go back. It transforms the procedure."

## No Gel, No Mess, No Compromise

One of the key innovations highlighted in the session is UltraDrape's unique design, which eliminates the need to apply gel at the insertion site. "While CDC recommends sterile gel for UGPIV insertions, UltraDrape features a removable layer that prevents any gel—sterile or otherwise—from reaching the patient's skin," says Moureau. "That means a cleaner insertion site, reduced risk of contamination, and no cleanup. Nurses save over 50% of procedure time—improving success and patient safety."

#### A Workflow Built for the ED

Moureau's session will resonate with emergency nurses who juggle competing demands every minute of every shift. Rather than a traditional lecture, the talk will blend quick, digestible takeaways with hands-on demonstrations, humor, and real-world experience. The focus: how to build smarter, faster workflows using products and techniques that fit the emergency department's pace and pressure.

"Speed and ease of workflow are everything in the ED," says Moureau. "We're not just talking about best practices—we're showing nurses how to cut procedure time in half, avoid line failures, and improve patient outcomes, it's a win win all around!"

#### **Game-Changing Products**

Originally developed by Parker to provide probe protection during UGPIV procedures, UltraDrape has evolved into a tool that streamlines the entire process from prep to dressing. Its clear insertion window enables precise catheter visualization and verification, while the intuitive design supports aseptic non-touch technique (ANTT).

"It's like the iPhone of probe barriers," Moureau says. "There's a bit of a learning curve, but once the lightbulb goes on, there's no going back."

Parker also promotes safety by offering <u>Tristel ULT</u>, a high-level disinfectant foam with dry wipes intended to disinfect endocavity and transvaginal ultrasound probes as well as general purpose transducers. Used by professionals in 35 countries since 2008, Tristel ULT is now FDA-cleared for purchase in the United States.

In addition to getting practical tips that ENA attendees can take back to their departments and put into practice immediately, nurses will also receive free UltraDrape samples from the Parker Laboratories booth (#1109).

## **Empowering Nurses to Lead Change**

This will be Moureau's first presentation in the ENA Exhibitor Forum, but she's no stranger to the national stage. A long-time educator and advocate for vascular access excellence, Moureau says "The ENA audience is uniquely positioned to drive change from the front lines by using products that improve efficiency."

"Seventy-five percent of ENA attendees are staff nurses," she notes. "If we can give them tools to be faster, safer, and more confident at the bedside, that's how change starts. That's how new standards get set."

# **About PICC Excellence**

Founded by Nancy Moureau, RN, PhD, BSN, CRNI, CPUI, VA-BC, PICC Excellence is a global leader in vascular access education, certification, and consulting. With a mission to promote safe, evidence-based vascular access practices, PICC Excellence empowers clinicians worldwide through blended educational programming with hands-on training, procedural innovation, and expert resources. To learn more, visit <a href="https://www.piccexcellence.com">www.piccexcellence.com</a>.

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