



## “Back to Basics an ORNAC Standard Review”

Join the Manitoba Operating Room Nurses Association for a session, “Back to Basics an ORNAC Standard Review.” presented by Vanessa Ferdinand. This event is hosted by the MORNA Executive.

**When:** Wednesday November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 | 6:30 pm

**Where:** Online via Zoom, [Click Link to Register](#)

**Presenter:** **Vanessa Ferdinand RN, BN**  
Registered Nurse



Vanessa obtained her Bachelor of Nursing from Brandon University in 2010. She returned to Newfoundland and worked on a Neuro/Med and post-op Urology Surgical Floor. At the end of 2012 she moved back to Brandon, an opportunity came to take the Perioperative course at Saskatchewan Polytechnic and work in the OR, she took it and cannot imagine working anywhere else. Since then, Vanessa has gained experience in Ophthalmology, Dental, Urology, Thoracic, ENT, Orthopedics, Obstetrical/Gynecological and General Surgery. In 2018 Vanessa moved into her current role as the Regional Clinical Nurse Educator for the Surgical Suite and Endoscopy for Prairie Mountain Health. Vanessa has also recently taken on the role of President Elect (2023-2024) for the Manitoba Operating Rooms Nurses Association (MORNA). Her passion and dedication were rewarded this past April at the Operating Room Nurses Association of Canada (ORNAC) Conference when Vanessa was awarded the Gloria Stephens Award for Excellence as an Educator in Perioperative Nursing.

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