

ASC COVERAGE TRANSITION

2.5 FTE CRNA Positions Filled in 1 Week, Preventing OR Closure

Independent multi-specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center

THE CHALLENGE

This independent, multi-specialty Ambulatory Surgical Center has spent 40 years serving colonoscopy/endoscopy, ophthalmology, and orthopedics/spine patients. They received 30-day notice that their outsourced anesthesia coverage group was terminating its contract, threatening closure of its four operating rooms.

THE SOLUTION

- 1 Job order received; ARK's clinician network activated the same day
- 2 Within 1 week: 3 CRNA candidates identified and placed, covering 2.5 FTE positions
- 3 Credentialing and scheduling completed ahead of the outgoing group's departure date
- 4 All 3 CRNAs onboarded and started within 1 month — zero disruption to OR schedule

30

day notice received

1 Week

to full placement

2.5

FTE positions filled (3 CRNAs)

THE PAYOFFS

- ✓ Zero disruption to the OR schedule across all three surgical specialties; no closed ORs
- ✓ Rapid network activation identified qualified CRNA candidates within days
- ✓ All clinicians credentialed and scheduled ahead of the outgoing group's departure date
- ✓ Full continuity of care preserved for patients across colonoscopy/endoscopy, ophthalmology, and orthopedics/spine cases