



Association of Anaesthetists

Our vision

The Association of Anaesthetists' motto is *in somno securitas* (safe in sleep). Our vision is that every patient under our care is kept safe.

Our mission

Our mission is to safeguard patients by educating, supporting, and inspiring every anaesthetist throughout their career, enabling them to provide the best care in every healthcare setting.

Our values

Committed

We are a respected and independent organisation, committed to speaking up and speaking out on behalf of our members and the anaesthesia community.

Trusted

For over 90 years, we have helped to set standards, share knowledge, and support thousands of people in a vital profession. Our expertise matters to our members and globally.

Innovative

We look forward, not back. We care about the future of anaesthesia and actively help shape its future on behalf of our members by listening, responding, and innovating.

Connected

We are a dynamic, diverse, and inclusive community. We exist because of, and on behalf of, our members.

Our strategic priorities 2024 to 2029



Patient care and safety

- Advance and improve patient care and safety in the field of anaesthesia.
- Inspire and support our members always to practice with safety in mind.
- Be the leading publisher of anaesthesia safety guidelines and expert advice.



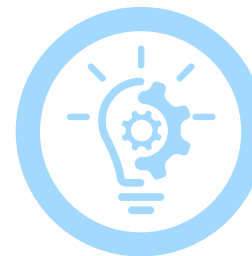
Education and research

- Preserve, develop, and share the heritage of the specialty.
- Develop and provide world class education in anaesthesia.
- Promote global access to anaesthesia education.
- Work in partnership with others to build capacity through national and international research initiatives.



Advocacy and support

- Be the leadership voice for the anaesthesia specialty.
- Represent and advance the interests and wellbeing of our members.
- Protect and support our members throughout their careers.
- Promote anaesthesia as a specialty led by and delivered by doctors.



Innovation and growth

- Research and promote innovations in sustainable working practices for the specialty.
- Use the latest technology to enable us to deliver the best services for our members.
- Promote the diversity, wellbeing, and continuous development of our people.
- Invest wisely, protect, and optimise our assets, and always act with sustainability in mind to ensure the future of the Association.