

Easing Apprehension Surrounding MAT in Primary Care

ECHO Program



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-All sessions will be held via Zoom invite, from 12:00-1:00pm EST-

Session 1: Diagnosis of Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) - Dr. Frank 10/5/22

- Review and apply the DSM-V criteria for OUD
- Review components of an intake for a patient with OUD
- Understand basic neurobiological changes in a patient with OUD

Session 2: Harm Reduction - Dr. Poland 10/19/22

- Be able to identify general principles of harm reduction
- Be aware of harm reduction in treating persons with substance use disorders (i.e., syringe access, safer use supplies)

Session 3: Buprenorphine Initiation - Dr. Sethi 11/2/22

- Review the necessary steps prior to proceeding with a buprenorphine initiation
- Understand the buprenorphine initiation process
- Learn how to manage precipitated withdrawal

Session 4: Office Based Opioid Use Disorder Treatment - Dr. Kates

11/16/22

- Learn different models for the outpatient implementation of MAT
- Learn best practices for outpatient management
- Identify common barriers in providing MAT
- Identify solutions to overcome common barriers

Session 5: Substance Use and Co-Occurring Disorders - Dr. Morrow

12/14/23

- Assess the effect of co-occurring psychiatric disorders on clinical outcomes
- Compare treatment strategies for co-occurring psychiatric disorders
- Appraise the effectiveness of standard treatments in the presence of co-occurring psychiatric disorders

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Session 6: Perinatal Care and Support - Dr. Poland 01/11/23

- Be able to recommend Medications to treat SUD during pregnancy
- Understand the impact of substance use on pregnancy outcomes

Session 7: Pain Management - Dr. Sethi 01/25/23

- Review methods to treat acute pain for patients using buprenorphine or methadone
- Review methods to treat chronic pain for patients using buprenorphine or methadone
- Review how to start patients on buprenorphine formulations to treat patients with chronic pain with and without diagnosis of OUD

Primary care clinical teams (team may include MD, DO, NP, PA, RN, LPN) are invited to participate.

- Increase knowledge and comfort with diagnosing and treating Opioid and Substance Use Disorders
- An opportunity to present your challenging cases and receive recommendations from a multidisciplinary team of specialists and peers
- **Free** CMEs & CEUs
- Access to all references and resources

Registration link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/H66QFBD>

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