

**JANUARY –
JUNE 2022**

Continuing Education

PHARMACY

Each month, pharmacists and pharmacy technicians at Premier member institutions are invited to participate in live, knowledge-based, continuing pharmacy education (CPE) activities. The CPE activities are provided as teleconferences/webinars on topics that are based on member needs assessment surveys, new guidelines or regulation updates, and new findings in the medical literature. **All CPE offerings are fully funded by Premier and are free to Acurity/Premier members.** Please post this CPE calendar in your pharmacy department so that all staff can view the CPE program offerings.

Please Note: Pharmacy Practice and Antimicrobial Stewardship Forums include accredited CPE activities, and if there is time, also include discussion topics led by Forum Co-Chairs.

The 2022 Co-Chairs of the Pharmacy Practice Forums are Natalie Zilban, PharmD, MPH, Memorial Healthcare System, Hollywood, FL and Marcia Hunt-Curran, PharmD, BCPS, Union Hospital, Terre Haute, IN.

The 2022 Co-Chairs of the Antimicrobial Stewardship Forums are Nita Roy, PharmD, Southcoast Health, Fall River, MA, and Amy Fabian, PharmD, BCPS, BCIDP, Baptist Health Louisville, Louisville, KY.



**Pharmacy
Practice
Forum**



**Monthly
Staff CE
Webinar**



**Antimicrobial
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January

12 Wednesday



Implementing a Clinical Pharmacy Dashboard Noon – 1:00 p.m. EST

Speaker: **Marcia Hunt-Curran, PharmD, BCPS**, Systems Manager – Clinical Pharmacy Services, Union Hospital, Terre Haute, IN

UAN: 0122-0000-22-005-L04-P/T (Pharmacy Administration)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Discuss the deficiencies of a pharmacy productivity model that only measures doses dispensed.
- List currently available data sources that can be used to measure pharmacy productivity
- Summarize the components of a meaningful dashboard to measure clinical pharmacy activities

25 Tuesday



Best Practices Utilizing Diabetes Technology Through Transitions of Care Noon – 1:00 p.m. EST

Speaker: **Diana Isaacs, PharmD, BCPS, BCACP**, Endocrine Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Cleveland Clinic Endocrinology & Metabolism Institute, Cleveland, OH

UAN: 0122-0000-22-002-L01-P/T CEU

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Describe new diabetes technologies including continuous glucose monitors and insulin pumps
- Identify key patient counseling points of new diabetes technologies
- Explain how to monitor new diabetes technologies in the inpatient setting
- Discuss best practices for discharging inpatients with new diabetes technologies



February

10 Thursday



Anything but COVID: IDWeek 2021 Updates in Infectious Diseases and Antimicrobial Stewardship
Noon – 1:00 p.m. EST

Speakers:

Nita Roy, PharmD, Clinical Pharmacy Specialist - Infectious Diseases, Charlton Memorial Hospital, Southcoast Health, Fall River, MA

Amy Fabian, PharmD, BCPS, BCIDP, Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Infectious Diseases, Antimicrobial Stewardship Committee, Co-Chair, Baptist Health Louisville, Louisville, KY

UAN: 0122-0000-22-003-L01-P/T

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist Objectives

- Review recently published clinical trials that may impact your practice
- Identify best practices in antimicrobial stewardship
- Describe ways to incorporate antimicrobial stewardship methods into your practice
- Discuss stewardship challenges in transitions of care

Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Review recently published clinical trials
- Identify best practices in antimicrobial stewardship
- Discuss stewardship challenges in transitions of care

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Medication Safety and Regulatory Compliance in Ambulatory Surgery Centers
Noon – 1:00 p.m. EST

Speaker: Victor Alves, PharmD, BCGP, FASCP, President, Consultant Pharmacist, OctariusRX, Pembroke, MA

UAN: 0122-0000-22-004-L05-P/T (Patient Safety)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Recognize regulations and standards that apply to medication management in ambulatory surgery centers (ASCs)
- Describe ways to maintain patient safety through proper medication management
- Identify the most common medication-related deficiencies for ASCs
- Differentiate between high-alert and confused drug names (look-alike-sound-alike) and how to handle them safely
- Describe the impact of COVID-19 on safe medication management

March

8 Tuesday



Improving Nephrotoxic Stewardship by Utilization of Clinical Surveillance
Noon – 1:00 p.m. EST

Speaker: Sandra Kane-Gill, PharmD, MSc, FCCM, FCCP, Professor of Pharmacy and Therapeutics, UPMC and University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy, Pittsburgh, PA

UAN: 0122-0000-22-001-L05-P/T (Patient Safety)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Discuss drug-associated AKI and the role of a nephrotoxin stewardship program to reduce AKI events
- List at least three actions to achieve the goals of nephrotoxin stewardship program
- Summarize the use of clinical surveillance tools to implement the proposed actions of a nephrotoxin stewardship program



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March

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Wednesday



Pharmacy Law and Ethics Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speaker: Keith Yoshizuka, PharmD, MBA, JD, FCSHP, Asst. Dean for Administration, Chair, Social, Behavioral and Administrative Sciences, Touro University California – College of Pharmacy, Vallejo, CA

UAN: 0122-0000-22-006-L03-P/T (Pharmacy Law)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Identify the four elements of the foundation of biomedical ethics, also known as the Georgetown Mantra
- Cite an example of how the ethical principle of justice had to be applied during the SARS COVID-19 pandemic
- Give an example of an ethical dilemma
- Cite a reason that pharmacists should periodically review elements of ethics and cognitive moral development as it relates to clinical performance

April

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Wednesday



Updates in HIV Treatment and Prevention Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speaker: Melanie Barry, PharmD, BCACP, Ambulatory Clinical Pharmacy Specialist – HIV, Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA

UAN: 0122-0000-22-007-L02-P/T (AIDS Therapy)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Identify new treatment options for HIV and prevention of HIV
- Discuss benefits and drawbacks of new and upcoming HIV treatment options, in comparison with previously approved HIV treatment options
- Recognize side effects of new medications for treatment and prevention of HIV
- Classify HIV medications based on drug class

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Thursday



CMS Conditions of Participation: Integration into Accreditation Standards Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speaker: Patricia C. Kienle, RPh, MPA, BSCSP, FASHP, Director, Accreditation and Medication Safety, Cardinal Health, Laflin, PA

UAN: 0122-0000-22-008-L03-P/T (Pharmacy Law)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- State the source of the pharmacy requirements that a hospital must comply with to be certified by Medicare
- Identify the reasons a hospital may have a Medicare survey
- Explain “deemed status”
- Cite how best practices are listed in Conditions of Participation and accreditation organization documents
- Discuss how to prepare your pharmacy for compliance with the most-cited elements found on surveys



Pharmacy Practice Forum



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Antimicrobial Stewardship Forum

May

12 Thursday



Data-Driven Formulary Management: Applying Analytic Tools to Drive Efficient Medication Use Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speakers:

Pavel Goriacko, PharmD, MPH, BCPS, Clinical Pharmacist, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY
Mark Sinnett, PharmD, FASHP, Director, Clinical and Educational Pharmacy Services, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY

UAN: 0122-0000-21-049-L04-P/T (Pharmacy Administration)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Describe the need for collaborative efforts to identify medication use process inefficiencies within a healthcare system
- Articulate how clinical quality databases and clinical cost optimization tools can provide both cost and quality data to support and sustain pharmacy standardization initiatives
- Identify at least two drug use cases in which the addition of outcomes data helps reframe a clinical best practice conversation

25 Wednesday



This is Our Shot: 2022 Immunizations Update Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speaker: Ashley Pugh, PharmD, BCACP, Assistant Director for Experiential and Interprofessional Education, Assistant Professor of Pharmacy Practice, Union University, College of Pharmacy, Jackson, TN

UAN: 0122-0000-22-009-L06-P/T (Immunizations)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Recall updates to the 2022 CDC Immunization Schedules
 - Recognize pharmacy practice changes resulting from the PREP Act
 - Indicate correct information regarding available COVID-19 vaccines
- Identify appropriate vaccine recommendations when given a case

June

7 Tuesday



Strategies to Enhance and Expand Your Antimicrobial Stewardship Program Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speaker: Yi Guo, PharmD, BCIDP, Clinical Pharmacy Manager of Infectious Diseases, Montefiore Medical Center, Bronx, NY

UAN: 0122-0000-22-011-L04-P/T (Pharmacy Administration)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist Objectives

- Review the literature on guidance and resources needed to structure a stewardship program
- Identify strategies for justifying additional personnel for existing stewardship programs
- Discuss the impact of technologies to maximize stewardship efforts
- Describe the role of a tele-antimicrobial stewardship program

Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Review the literature on guidance and resources needed to structure a stewardship program
- Discuss the impact of technologies to maximum stewardship efforts
- Describe the role of a tele-antimicrobial stewardship program

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Managing Acute Pain in Opioid Use Disorder Noon – 1:00 p.m. EDT

Speaker: Lee Kral, PharmD, BCPS, CPE, Clinical Assistant Professor of Anesthesia, Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Pain Management Clinic, University of Iowa Hospitals & Clinics, Iowa City, IA

UAN: 0122-0000-22-012-L08-P/T (Pain Management)

0.1 CEU; 1 contact hour

Pharmacist and Pharmacy Technician Objectives

- Compare and contrast medications used in opioid use disorder (OUD)
- Discuss state and federal laws pertaining to use of OUD medications in the acute care setting
- Describe a plan for managing acute surgical pain in a patient with OUD
- Describe a plan for managing acute non-surgical pain in a patient with OUD

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