



Missouri Alliance for Home Care in partnership with the Association of Home Care & Hospice of NC
presents...

4-Part Series: Medication Appropriateness, Management, and Safety

4 Part Webinar Series – Wednesdays, 2:00 – 3:00 pm CST

Part 1 – September 19, 2018; Part 2 – December 5, 2018; Part 3 – January 30, 2019; Part 4 – March 20, 2019

Recordings will be available until June 30, 2019

Medication management can be overwhelming for your patients living with a serious illness. This webinar series will provide an opportunity to learn more about medication regimens frequently used for patients receiving palliative care or hospice care services. Regardless of your practice setting or patient population served, it is important to weigh the risks and benefits of medication regimens as your patients progress through an illness trajectory. Please join us to discuss appropriate medication use and symptom management for patients facing a serious illness. Learn at your pace right from your office!

[Webinar 1, September 19, 2018](#)

Medication Appropriateness

This program will review practical tips for ensuring your patients' medication regimens are optimal for their needs. We will review medication selection, identifying nonessential medications, and how to safely discontinue medications for seriously ill patients. This program will also address formulary medication selection for seriously ill patients with commonly occurring symptoms.

[Webinar 2, December 5, 2018](#)

Medication Safety

This program will briefly review and build on medication appropriateness. It will review the importance of having a formal reconciliation process for your organization to reduce patient risks, especially during transitions of care. Additionally, common survey deficiencies involving aspects of drug profiles will be identified and patient cases will be used to highlight nonessential medications and unsafe medication use at end-of-life.

[Webinar 3, January 30, 2019](#)

Pain & Symptom Management

This program will review pain assessment and hospice quality measures surrounding pain management at end-of-life. Additionally, we will differentiate nociceptive and neuropathic pain and identify appropriate therapies based on clinician assessments. We will review formulary analgesic selection and safe opioid regimen initiation, rotation and titration.

[Webinar 4, March 20, 2019](#)

Methadone Use at End-of-Life

Methadone can be a challenging analgesic to work with, but it's worth the extra effort! This webinar will provide the audience with basic information regarding methadone use for your patients with advanced pain management needs. This presentation will discuss the appropriate use of methadone in the hospice population. Patient case examples will be used to demonstrate dosing and monitoring strategies.

Presenter: Ellen Fulp, PharmD, BCGP, AvaCare, Inc. Dr. Fulp earned her Bachelor's Degree in Pharmaceutical Science and her Doctor of Pharmacy Degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She has over seven years of experience practicing pharmacy in the community setting, in rural North Carolina encompassing traditional dispensing and physician support, including renal and geriatric dosing for pain medications, anxiolytics and antibiotic therapy. Since 2013, she has been on staff at AvaCare, Inc., providing comprehensive medication reviews and clinical consults to hospice and palliative care nurses from hospice locations across the nation. Doctor Fulp routinely provides consult in regards to appropriate symptom management, regulatory issues and medication appropriateness at end of life. She is Board Certified in Geriatric Pharmacy (certified in August 2013), specializing in medication use in the elderly. Dr. Fulp is currently enrolled in the first ever interdisciplinary Masters Degree program in Palliative Care.

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Registration: Registration fees are based on one phone/webinar connection; multiple site participation for your agency will require a second registration fee for each connection. Following each webinar, you will receive a recording via link and it will be available until June 30, 2019.

Registration Form

Registration fee is for 1 phone connection & recording.
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Medication Appropriateness, Management and Safety

Registration Fees

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Part 1—September 17, 2018; **Part 2**—December 3, 2018; **Part 3**—January 28, 2019; **Part 4**—March 18, 2019 and non-paid registrations will be billed full conference price. Deadline for refunds for entire series is September 17, 2018. Cancellations received on or prior to cancellation deadlines will receive a 90% refund.

Confirmation: Prior to the webinar, a GoToWebinar link will be e-mailed to you. You will need to register through this link to attend the webinar. You will be sent a confirmation which will include a join link to access the webinar, a dial-in number and an access code to listen in via telephone. You will also be sent any pertinent handouts if available, an evaluation and certificate.

Continuing Education: The Association for Home and Hospice Care of North Carolina is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the North Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Association Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.



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