


Prescribing and Pharmacology of Controlled Drugs: Current Issues and Strategies for Successful Patient Care

August 2-4, 2024


Presented by the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners

AGENDA

Friday, August 2, 2024

- 12:15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m. **Registration and Lunch** (Registered Attendees Only)
- 12:45 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Welcome and Announcements**
- 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. **Basic Principles and Clinical Issues in Pain Management**
Daniel M. Doleys, PhD | Clinical Director, The Doleys Clinic/Pain and Rehabilitation Institute, Birmingham
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Addiction and Substance Use Disorder Issues**
Theodore V. Parran, Jr., MD | Vice Dean Medical Education, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **Break** (Registered Attendees only)
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.  **Psychiatric Issues in Prescribing**
Daniel C. Dahl, MD | Supervising Psychiatrist, Birmingham Veterans Affairs Medical Center
- 4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m. **Psychostimulant and Benzodiazepine Prescribing**
Theodore V. Parran, Jr., MD | Vice Dean Medical Education, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio

Saturday, August 3, 2024

- 7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast** (Registered attendees only)
- 7:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m. **Controlled Prescribing in Collaborative/Supervisory Relationships: Things You Need to Know on the Administrative Side**
Suzanne Powell, RN | Collaborative Practice Nurse Consultant | Alabama Board of Medical Examiners
Kimie Buley | Director of Advanced Practice Providers | Alabama Board of Medical Examiners
- 8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.  **Gas Station Pharmacology**
J. Luke Engeriser, MD | Deputy Chief Medical Officer, AltaPointe Health Systems, Mobile

9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.



Prescribing Controlled Substances by Telehealth

E. Wilson Hunter, JD | General Counsel, Alabama Board of Medical Examiners

9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Break (Registered attendees only)

10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.



Basics of Controlled Substances: Utilizing the PDMP as a Monitoring Tool

Scott Harris, MD | State Health Officer | Alabama Department of Public Health
Nancy Bishop, RPh | State Pharmacy Director | Alabama Department of Public Health

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.



Buprenorphine: Managing Opioid Use Disorder

J. Luke Engeriser, MD | Deputy Chief Medical Officer, AltaPointe Health Systems, Mobile

Sunday, August 4, 2024

7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m.

Registration and Breakfast (Registered attendees only)

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Controlled Substance Issues in Palliative Medicine and Geriatrics

Gregory W. Ayers, MD | Birmingham Hospitalists PC, Birmingham | ALBME*

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Medical Marijuana in Alabama: What You Need to Know About Prescribing

Randall Tackett, PhD | Professor, Graduate Coordinator, University of Georgia College of Pharmacy, Athens, GA

9:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Break (Registered Attendees only)

9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.



Prescribing Controlled Substances: A DEA Perspective

Clay Morris | Chief of Police in Pell City, Retired DEA Supervisory Special Agent

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Prescribing Dilemmas: Case Studies from the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners

Gregory W. Ayers, MD | Birmingham Hospitalists PC, Birmingham | ALBME*
E. Wilson Hunter, JD | General Counsel, Alabama Board of Medical Examiners
Hernando Carter, MD | Medical Director, ArchWell Health, Birmingham | ALBME*

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Holders of a QACSC: The 12-hour Prescribing course is required for PAs, CRNPs and CNMs to obtain a QACSC. To renew a QACSC, PAs, CRNPs and CNMs must attend four hours of the twelve-hour Prescribing course, or any other Board-approved prescribing controlled substances course, every two years, listed at www.albme.gov/uploads/pdfs/ApprovedCMECourses.pdf.