



## **HCV Snapshot: An Introduction to Hepatitis C for Health Care Professionals Online Course**

### **Overview**

This course is designed to briefly familiarize federally qualified health center (FQHC) and other medical and behavioral health staff with Hepatitis C, specifically: 1) populations at risk; 2) Hepatitis C, the disease; 3) screening processes; and 4) treatment options. This course was developed by Mid-America Addiction Technology Transfer Center, part of the Collaborative for Excellence in Behavioral Health Research and Practice.

### **Successful Completion**

This course offers up to **1.5** nursing contact hours. To receive contact hours, participants must complete the course with a satisfactory grade of 80% or higher on all module quizzes. CNE, CE, and non-CE Certificates of Completion are available immediately for electronic download upon satisfactory completion of the course.

### **Objectives**

- Describe populations at increased risk for Hepatitis C.
- Differentiate Hepatitis C from A and B, and review transmission, symptoms, testing, and curability.
- Describe the screening process and the importance of your role in addressing patient concerns and improving outcomes.
- Review factors influencing treatment, current and emerging treatment options, and patients' treatment concerns.

### **Conflict of Interest**

In accordance with continuing education guidelines, speakers and planning committee members have disclosed financial relationships with commercial interests that may create a potential conflict of interest. Patricia Stilen, MSW and Sarah Knopf-Amelung, MA-R have nothing to disclose. Jacki Witt, JD, MSN, WHNP-BC, SANE-A, FAANP – Advisory Boards for Medicines 360, Actavis, Afaxys and Bayer

### **Commercial Support**

There is no commercial support for this program.

**Enduring Materials** – Contact hours will be awarded for this program through March 2017.

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