



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

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

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