Board Approved Courses for Renewal of a Full Drug Dispensing Permit

*The following courses have been approved by the Dental Board for the renewal of a* ***Full Drug Dispensing Permit****. These courses do*

*not satisfy the renewal requirement of a course in “Proper Prescribing and Disposal of Prescription Drugs”, which is required to be*

*completed by each dentist every other renewal cycle.*

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| **Education Provider or Accredited Provider** | **Course Title** | **Location** | **Live or Online Course** | **Course Format or Duration**  **& Credits** | **Additional Information** |
| Maryland State Medical Society  **(MedChi)**  and the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy  [www.pharmacists4knowledge.org](http://www.pharmacists4knowledge.org/) | Controlled Substances and Inventory: Issues for Maryland’s Dispensing Physicians\* | N/A | Online | One activity  (1.25 AMA PRA  Category 1 Credits™) | * Advertised cost:   $187.50 for MedChi physicians  $531.25 for Non‐member physicians |
| Maryland State Medical Society  **(MedChi)**  and the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy  [www.pharmacists4knowledge.org](http://www.pharmacists4knowledge.org/) | Counseling Patients at the Point of Dispensing: Requirements and Best Practices\* | N/A | Online | One activity  (1 AMA PRA  Category 1 Credit™) | * Advertised cost:   $150 for MedChi physicians  $425 for Non‐member physicians |
| Maryland State Medical Society  **(MedChi)**  and the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy  [www.pharmacists4knowledge.org](http://www.pharmacists4knowledge.org/) | Dispensing, Labeling and Documentation for Maryland  Physicians\* | N/A | Online | One activity  (1 AMA PRA  Category 1 Credit™) | * Advertised cost:   $150 for MedChi physicians  $425 for Non‐member physicians   * Advertised cost:   $150 for MedChi physicians  $425 for Non‐member physicians |
| Maryland State Medical Society  **(MedChi)**  and the University of Maryland  School of Pharmacy  [www.pharmacists4knowledge.org](http://www.pharmacists4knowledge.org/) | Physician Dispensing: An Overview of Maryland Law  and Regulation\* | N/A | Online | One activity  (1 AMA PRA  Category 1 Credit™) |

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| Maryland State Medical Society  **(MedChi)**  and the University of Maryland School of Pharmacy  [www.pharmacists4knowledge.org](http://www.pharmacists4knowledge.org/) | Physician Dispensing:  Optimizing Patient Use  of Inhalers and Other  Respiratory Devices\* | N/A | Online | One activity  (2 AMA PRA  Category 1 Credit™) | * Advertised cost:   $290 for MedChi physicians  $800 for Non‐member physicians |
| **Texas A&M University/Texas A&M Health Science Center**  Rural and Community Health  Institute  KSTAR Program & Rangel School  of Pharmacy  [www.rchitexas.org/kstar](http://www.rchitexas.org/kstar)‐physician | Pharmacology and Prescribing Course | College Station, Texas | Live | Three‐day course (Scheduled April 10-11, 2019)  (Scheduled Oct 7-8, 2019)  AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ are offered) | * Advertised cost: $1,650 * KSTAR = Knowledge, Skills, Training, Assessment and Research * Per the course brochure, accreditation is through the Texas Medical Association * One half‐hour session on day one of the * agenda is entitled, “How and Why Medications are Prescribed, Dispensed and Documented” |
| **University of Florida,**  College of Medicine  <http://cme.ufl.edu> | Prescribing Controlled Drugs: Critical Issues and Common Pitfalls of Misprescribing | Gainesville, Florida | Live | Three-day course (Scheduled in June 5-7, 2019)  (Scheduled in Oct 16-18, 2019)  (AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ are offered) | * Advertised cost: $2,700 * Per the course brochure, the dispensing of controlled substances from office practices is one of the topics addressed; the three-day course originally was developed at Vanderbilt University Medical Center * Per its Website, the University of Florida is accredited by ACCME |
| **Western Institute of Legal Medicine**    <http://wilm-ed.org> | Prescribing Practices and Management of Chronic Pain and Substance Use Disorder | San Mateo, California | Live | Entire course:  2.5 days  (Scheduled June 6-8, 2019)  (Scheduled Jan 16-18, 2020)  (Scheduled June 4-6, 2020)  (AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™ are offered) | * Advertised cost: $1,749 * Per the Institute, the agenda for the one‐day option focuses on pain management and includes a topic (one half hour) on clinician storage and dispensing of controlled substances. If a particular group includes physicians that dispense, then the topic could be covered for up to one hour |

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