

2015 Maryland Board of Pharmacy Continuing Education Breakfast

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October 18, 2015 ♦ 8:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Maritime Institute ♦ Linthicum Heights, MD

Agenda

8:00 AM - 8:30 AM – Registration and Breakfast*

Welcome: **Mitra Gavvani**
President, Maryland Board of Pharmacy

8:30 AM - 9:15 AM

Naloxone: Overdose Response Program
ACPE UANs: 0025-9999-15-154-L04-P
0025-9999-15-155-L04-T (knowledge, 0.75 credit hours)

Michael Baier
PDMP Coordinator
Behavioral Health Administration

Learning Objectives (Pharmacists and Technicians)

1. Identify the causes and scope of the opioid addiction and overdose epidemic in the United States and in Maryland.
2. Discuss the role of overdose education and naloxone distribution (OEND) as a component of a comprehensive strategy to reduce opioid overdose deaths.
3. Describe the operations of the Maryland Overdose Response Program (ORP), the state's primary OEND initiative, and specifically the expanding role of pharmacists and pharmacies in ORP activities.

9:15 AM - 10:45 AM

Advancing Telehealth in Maryland
ACPE UANs: 0025-9999-15-155-L04-P and
0025-9999-15-155-L04-T (knowledge, 1.5 credit hours)

Angela Evatt, M.A, M.P.P.
Division Chief for Health Information Exchange
Maryland Health Care Commission
Center for Health Information Technology and
Innovative Care Delivery

Learning Objectives (Pharmacists and Technicians)

1. Identify telehealth technologies and adoption levels among health care providers in Maryland.
2. Describe efforts to advance telehealth adoption in Maryland.
3. Describe the utilization and challenges associated with telehealth implementation in pharmacy settings.
4. Discuss efforts to involve community pharmacies in electronic health information exchange for enhanced care coordination.

10:45 AM – 11:00 AM – Break*

11:00 AM – 11:15 AM

Recognition of Pharmacists in Practice for 60 Years*

Mitra Gavvani
President, Maryland Board of Pharmacy
LaVerne Naesea
Executive Director, Maryland Board of Pharmacy

11:15 AM - 12:30 PM

Say It Ain't So, Joe: Truth Or Consequences in Med Errors
ACPE UANs: 0025-0000-15-156-L05-P and
0025-0000-15-156-L05-T (knowledge, 1.25 credit hours, eligible
for patient safety credit)

David Jones, R.Ph., FASCP
Commissioner
Maryland Board of Pharmacy

Learning Objectives (Pharmacists and Technicians)

1. Define medication errors and discuss prevalence and risk.
2. Review causes of medication errors.
3. Examine ways to reduce the risk for occurrence of errors.
4. Plan to avoid a punitive culture in dealing with medication errors.

12:30 PM CONCLUDING REMARKS

LaVerne Naesea
Executive Director, Maryland Board of Pharmacy

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