Medication Error Reduction / Medication Safety Symposium
and
Annual Preceptor Training

Thursday, August 10, 2017

New York State requires pharmacists to complete at least 3 hours of formal continuing education on strategies and techniques to reduce medication and prescription errors.

Program Locations

ACPHS-Albany Campus
Room 201, Student Center
106 New Scotland Avenue
Albany, N.Y. 12208

ACPHS-Vermont Campus
Room 114
261 Mountain View Drive
Colchester, VT 05446
8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.  Welcoming Remarks
  David M. Kile, M.S., R.Ph.
  Executive Director of Continuing Education and Professional Development
  Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

8:40 a.m. - 10:10 a.m.  Failure Mode and Effects Analysis in the Community Pharmacy Setting
  (knowledge-based activity)
  Donna Horn, R.Ph. DPH
  Director, Patient Safety – Community Pharmacy
  Institute for Safe Medication Practices (ISMP)
  Horsham, PA

  Objectives to be determined

10:10 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.  Break

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.  IV Workflow/IV Check Systems: Making Compounded Sterile Products Safer
  (knowledge-based activity)
  Anthony Dispirito, Pharm. D.
  Director or Pharmacy / Patient Care Service Director
  Albany Medical Center Hospital
  Albany, NY

  Objectives to be determined

12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.  Program Adjourns
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Tentative Agenda

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

**Experiential Education Updates**
Laurie Briceland, Pharm.D., Assistant Dean, Director of Experiential Education
Cindy Jablanski, Experiential Education Coordinator
Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences – Albany, NY Campus

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Population Health: Incorporating (Student) Pharmacists into Community Chronic Disease Prevention Initiatives** – (Knowledge based activity)
Susan L. Millstein, LCSW, MPH
Diabetes Public Health Coordinator
Bureau of Community Chronic Disease Prevention
New York State Department of Health

Objectives to be determined.

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Assisting Preceptors with Challenging Students: Providing Feedback, Motivation, and Assisting Clinical Readiness** - (Knowledge based activity)
Sandra Rosa, B.S., R.Ph.
Coordinator for Experiential Education
Instructor, Department of Pharmacy Practice
Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences - Colchester, VT Campus

*Upon completion of the program, participants will be able to:*
- Identify potential challenging learning situations when precepting students
- Recall the key questions used in the delivery of feedback
- Describe several methods to assess clinical reasoning

4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

**Preceptor of the Year Awards**

4:15 p.m. Program Adjourns
Objectives: The objectives of these programs are to:

Morning Session:
1. Repeat a proactive quality improvement method to reduce medication related errors before they happen
2. Recognize the capability of new IV workflow/IV check technology to reduce errors in compounded sterile products

Afternoon Session:
1. Identify the role of student pharmacists in community chronic disease prevention and population health initiatives
2. Describe how preceptors can provide feedback, motivation and clinical readiness assistance for challenging students

Activity Type: Knowledge based.

Target Audience: Practicing pharmacists, preceptors and pharmacy students.

Continuing Education Credit: Continuing Education credit has been approved for 0.3 live continuing education units (CEUs) or 3.0 contact hours of live continuing education for the Medication Error Reduction/Medication Safety Symposium.

Continuing Education Credit: Continuing Education credit has been approved for 0.2 live continuing education units (CEUs) or 2.0 contact hours of live continuing education for the Annual Preceptor Training.

Continuing Education Credit: Continuing Education credit has been approved for 0.5 live continuing education units (CEUs) or 5.0 contact hours of live continuing education for both the morning and afternoon programs.

Participants must sign in at registration and must complete the online learning assessments for the activities attended after the program to receive credit for this activity. Upon completion and verification your continuing pharmacy education credits will be sent to CPE Monitor. Statements of credit may be printed from the CPE Monitor website at: www.nabp.net/pharmacists, or from the ACPHS Learning Management System.

Handouts: Program handouts will be e-mailed prior to the program.

Registration Deadline: The deadline to register is Friday, August 4th. On-site registration is no longer accepted. There will be no exceptions.

Registration for the Medication Error Reduction/Medication Safety Symposium: The registration fee of $60.00 includes tuition, handouts, ACPE accreditation, and a continental breakfast.

Annual Preceptor Training is offered at no charge. However, registration is required to plan for materials.

Cancellations and Refunds: Refunds, less a $10 administrative fee, will be issued for cancellations received before 3:00 p.m. on Friday, August 4, 2017. Cancellations received after August 4th will not be eligible for refund. Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences reserves the right to cancel a program due to factors such as inclement weather or insufficient registration.

Attire: As everyone has a different comfort level, we suggest you dress in layers or bring a sweater or light jacket. We are unable to adjust the lecture hall's heating/air conditioning system.