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Understanding Opioids: From Neurobiology to Treatment, Including Strategies to Combat Overdose and Misuse

***A One Hour Live Webinar on September 15, 2016
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. EST / 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. CST***

Continuing Education Information

Speaker: Mark Loush, LMSW, CAADC

Target Audience:

The webinar is designed for social workers, nurses, nurse practitioners, psychologists, behavioral health clinicians, ambulatory staff, discharge planners and case managers and any health professionals with an interest in improving care related to the topic area are welcome to attend.

Purpose:

Participants will be able to demonstrate knowledge of opioids, abuse, dependence, and current treatment modalities by describing strategies to combat opioid overdose and misuse

Objectives - following this webinar, participants will be better able to:

1. Examine the different types of opioids and their physiological and psychological effects
2. Describe the neurobiology of opioids
3. Recognize how abuse, dependence, tolerance and addiction to opioids occurs
4. Discuss treatment modalities available to treat opioid addiction
5. Identify national, state and local efforts to combat opioid overdose and misuse

Content Learning Needs:

To indicate your learning needs or specific questions for the speaker to address please e-mail continuing-ed@metastar.com.

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Registered Nurses – Wisconsin:

MetaStar, Inc. is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Wisconsin Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

1.0 contact hour will be awarded for successful completion.

Registered Nurses – Minnesota:

This program for 1.2 contact hours has been designed to meet the Minnesota Board of Nursing continuing education requirements. However, the nurse is responsible for determining whether these activities meet the requirements for acceptable continuing education.

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Social Workers – Wisconsin and Minnesota

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Notice of requirements for successful completion - Participants must complete an on-line evaluation with attendance attestation to obtain educational credit or a certificate of attendance. Full session attendance is required for educational credit.

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