Legacy Health Partners Clinical Collaboration Series

Beyond the Trip: Psychedelics and Dissociatives in Chronic Pain Care

Monday, October 27, 2025, 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Lorenzen Conference Center at Legacy Emanuel Medical Center

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Psychedelics are stepping out of the shadows and into modern medicine— especially with Oregon's Psilocybin Services Act empowering providers to discuss these treatments openly. Substances like ketamine and psilocybin are being studied for their ability to modulate pain perception, reduce neuroinflammation, and ease the emotional burden of chronic suffering. Today's research is peer-reviewed and clinically relevant, building on early LSD studies and advancing through cutting-edge trials at institutions like Johns Hopkins and Yale. The science is catching up to the potential. Join us for a compelling panel discussion at the intersection of neuroscience, psychiatry, and emerging therapies. We'll separate facts from hype and explore how to talk about these treatments with clarity and confidence.

Target audience: All LHP providers, and others interested in this topic.

Learning objectives:

- Explain the pharmacologic mechanisms of ketamine and psilocybin in chronic pain and neuroplasticity.
- Evaluate current clinical evidence on the efficacy and limitations of ketamine and psilocybin in chronic pain.
- Identify psychiatric risk factors and potential adverse outcomes tied to ketamine and psilocybin use, especially in patients with mood, psychotic, or trauma-related disorders.
- Summarize legal, regulatory, and ethical considerations in clinical use of psychedelic and dissociative agents.

Speaker panel:

- Shorin Nemeth, DO, FACOI, Pain Management Specialist, Legacy Pain Management Center
- Adie Rae (Wilson-Poe), PhD, Assistant Scientist, Legacy Research Institute
- Thomas A. Veeder, MD, Medical Director, Adult Outpatient Psychiatry, Unity Center for Behavioral Health

Schedule:

- Dinner and networking (5:30–6 p.m.)
- Welcome and panel discussion (6–7:05 p.m.) Join at 6 p.m. if attending virtually.
- Q&A and wrap up (7:05–7:30 p.m.)

Virtual option: MS Teams option available. In-person attendance recommended.

Cost: Free; enjoy a catered dinner and hosted bar with beer, wine, and non-alcoholic beverages.



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