

Pain & Substance Use Disorder ECHO

Addressing Stigma: Medications for Addiction Treatment Ethics

ECHO Call: Thursday, October 3, 12 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. (CDT)



Overview:

This ECHO (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) is comprised of a group of experts assembled to help care teams in Nebraska address complex issues related to addiction and pain.

Target Audience:

- Physicians, Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners
- Pharmacists
- Licensed Mental Health Therapists
- Licensed Alcohol and Drug Counselors
- Program staff associated with entities that treat substance use disorder and/or pain

Presenter: Dr. Kenneth Zoucha Addiction Medicine Specialist

Kenneth "Ken" Zoucha, MD received his medical degree from the University of Nebraska Medical Center in 1988 and completed his internship and residency in Pediatrics in 1991 during which time he served as the Chief Resident for the Department of Pediatrics from 1990 – 1991. Dr. Zoucha is currently Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Director of the Addiction Division for the Department of Psychiatry. He is working to start an ACGME fellowship in Addiction Medicine and develop a pilot project for an executive fellowship in addiction medicine to provide an intensive educational experience for current medical providers. Prior to his current position he served as Medical Director of Hastings Juvenile Chemical Dependency Program at the Hastings Regional Center that started in 2012. Dr. Zoucha practiced as a general pediatrician from 1991 until 2010 and was a partner of the Children and Adolescent Clinic, P.C. in Hastings, Nebraska while serving as volunteer faculty at the University of Nebraska Medical Center, Department of Pediatrics. He maintains Board Certification in General Pediatrics and Board Certification in Addiction Medicine and is a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics, Fellow of the American Society of Addiction Medicine and a Diplomat of the American Board of Addiction Medicine.



EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant should be better able to:

- Identify compassionate patient/client centered care for substance use disorders and pain by identifying how stigma effects access to treatment
- Discuss the ethical issues related to medications as treatment for patients and clients with Substance Use Disorders

Continuing Education:

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To participate and register:

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