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EPPAD's 4th Annual Convention Focusing on Mental Health & Chronic Diseases

FREE Continuing Education Programs

Saturday, November 4, 2023

Venue: Holiday Inn Alexandria, 2460 Eisenhower Ave, Alexandria, VA 22314

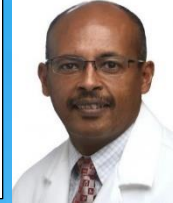


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Professor & Vice-
Chair

Target Audience: Pharmacists

SPONSOR: N/A

Registration Fee: Free

Activity Type: Knowledge-based

REGISTRATION LINK:

<https://hurxce.learningexpressce.com/index.cfm?fa=view&eventID=25327>



JOIN ZOOM MEETING: <https://howard.zoom.us/j/89655129104?pwd=d0luY3JzdG1hOm5hYXFEXdzlHSE5Kdz09>

Meeting ID: 896 5512 9104

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MODERATOR: Bisrat Hailemeskel, B.Pharm., MSc, ABAHP, Pharm.D., RPh, Professor & Vice-Chair

Time	Topics (Registration Link)	Objectives	Speaker
09:30 am – 09:45 am	Leveraging Community Leaders and Organizations for Community Engagement and Awareness of Mental Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outline the prevalence of mental illness and stigma. Describe the importance of collaborative care. Explain how to increase awareness about mental illness. Describe the role of pharmacists in increasing awareness of mental health 	Benyam G Tegene, MD, FAPA Medical Director of Outpatient Behavioral Health Services PSH Holy Spirit Hospital Camp Hill, PA Adjunct Assistant Professor, PSCOM
09:45 am – 10:00 am	How the Covid-19 pandemic is affecting our youth mental health and substance use?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define addiction and its components. Describe the impact of COVID-19 on youth mental health and substance abuse Discuss the common factors responsible for the observed trends. Define peculiarities in underserved communities. Describe the role of pharmacies in the fight against the burden 	Lishan Kassa, MD Medical Doctor (internist) & certified in medication assisted addiction treatment. L and L Wholesitic Health Services
03:45 pm – 04:15 pm	Unlocking the Serotonin - Linezolid Dilemma: A Clinical Perspective	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain the rationale for switching to oral antimicrobials. Describe clinical presentation, risk factors, and diagnostic challenges associated with serotonin syndrome. List literature identifying risks and incidence of serotonin syndrome with linezolid and serotonergic agents 	Pawlose Ketema, PharmD, BCPS, BCIDP, AAHIVP Antimicrobial Stewardship Pharmacist

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