

## Controlled Substance Prescribing: What Every Provider Needs to Know

ONE HOUR WEBINAR

### RECOMMENDED PREREQUISITE

Recorded one hour webinar:  
CDC Guidelines, registration/  
utilization of NC CSRS and case  
studies in pain management.

- Wake AHEC designates this enduring material activity for a maximum of 1.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.
- Wake AHEC will provide 0.1 CEU to participants upon completion of this activity. Partial CEU credit will not be awarded.
- Wake AHEC will provide up to 1.0 Contact Hour to participants.

According to NC DHHS and the CDC, North Carolina has experienced a 350% increase in drug overdose deaths since 1999, and was one of 19 states that saw statistically significant increase in drug overdose death rates from 2014 to 2015. Prescribing practices for opioids must change in order to address this epidemic.

Wake AHEC and the North Carolina Medical Board have partnered together to develop a webinar and panel sessions addressing the issue of prescription opioids. This blended learning activity will provide clinicians with best practices for effectively and appropriately treating pain, and ultimately improving patient outcomes.

These two educational activities are being offered **at no cost and will fulfill the controlled substances CME requirement** for the North Carolina Medical Board.

**Target Audience:** Primary care physicians, surgeons, orthopaedists, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, and other providers who prescribe controlled substances for pain

**Learning Objectives:** At the conclusion of this educational activity, the participant should be able to:

- Discuss best practices for prescribing controlled substances.
- Identify strategies for recognizing signs of misuse and abuse of prescription opioids.
- Promote best practices for managing chronic pain.
- Describe strategies for communicating with patients about avoiding or reducing prescription opioids.

## TWO HOUR LIVE PANEL SESSIONS

### AGENDA

5:00–6:00pm	Registration, dinner, and NC CSRS onsite registration
6:00–8:00pm	Panel sessions: Best practices in pain management
8:00–8:30pm	NC CSRS onsite registration

### CREDIT

- Wake AHEC designates this live activity for a maximum of 2.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.
- Wake AHEC will provide 0.2 CEU to participants upon completion of this activity. Partial CEU credit will not be awarded.
- Wake AHEC will provide up to 2.0 Contact Hours to participants.

### DATE/LOCATION

#### Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Johnston Medical Mall, Smithfield

#### Wednesday, April 19, 2017

McGregor Hall Performing Arts Center, Henderson

#### Thursday, May 4, 2017

Piedmont Community College, Roxboro

#### Wednesday, May 24, 2017

Dennis A. Wicker Civic Center, Sanford

### REGISTRATION

- Register online at least 7 days prior to scheduled event.
- Choose only one location.
- Seating is limited to the first 100 registrants per location.
- Participants are encouraged to view the webinar in advance of attending a panel session.
- Registration includes dinner, online handouts and certificate of completion.



### QUESTIONS?

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Registration is **FREE** to North Carolina licensed medical providers thanks to the  
NC Area Health Education Centers Program Office Investment in the Future grant.

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  - Two hour live panel sessions
- Blended learning activity to fulfill NCMB controlled substances CME requirement:

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