



## Empowering Pharmacists to Initiate Naloxone Therapy

Release Date October 10, 2018 Planned Expiration Date April 10, 2019

Audience: Accredited for Pharmacists and Technicians

Link to follow <a href="https://youtu.be/rcoviNGpQ-M">https://youtu.be/rcoviNGpQ-M</a>

- **Credits:** 2 Contact Hours of Knowledge based 0.2 CEU will be awarded
- **Presenter:** Stephanie Nichols, PharmD., BCPP, BCPS Associate Professor, Husson University-School of Pharmacy

Please register through MSHP website https://msohsp.wildapricot.org

Registration Fees: No cost for Members \$15 for Non- Members

## *Pharmacist Learning Objectives: UAN#* 0837-9999-18-201-H05-P

After attending this program, participants will be able to:

- 1. Define strategies for opioid overdose prevention, risk factors for overdose, and the role of naloxone in an opioid overdose
- 2. Describe the pharmacists' process for writing a prescription for naloxone in Maine, including assessment of patient criteria for eligibility, indications for naloxone, contraindications, required protocol to initiate, and the required documentation and subsequent actions required
- 3. Explain the components required for safe dispensing of naloxone therapy in Maine, including proper storage and expiration, procedures for administration, adverse effects, and required education

4. Recall essential counseling points and instructions to provide to the person receiving the opioid antagonist therapy (naloxone), including recognizing and responding to opioid overdoses

## Technician Learning Objectives UAN# 0837-9999-18-202-H05-T

After attending this program, participants will be able to:

- 1. Describe the role of naloxone in patients with an opioid use disorder and in patients taking prescription opioids
- 2. List 3 different types of take home naloxone products and their routes administration

## **Requirements for Receiving CE Credit:**

- Successful participation of Home-Study program
- Submission of your ePID/DOB (NABP ID#)
- Complete online program evaluation form link below

This program is approved under program provider #0837-9999-18-201-H05-P and #0837-9999-18-202-H05-T by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education for 2 contact hours or 0.2CEU's

**Statement of disclosure:** Disclosure will be made on the day of the program regarding any interest or affiliation a speaker may have with a supporting organization.



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