

Addressing Stigma: Medications for Addiction Treatment

ECHO Call: Thursday, October 1, 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

To participate and register:

Register for this ECHO call by Sept. 27, 2020:
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formname=RegLoginLive&EventID=48227](https://cmetracker.net/UNMC/Login?formname=RegLoginLive&EventID=48227)

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Presenter: Dr. Kenneth Zoucha, Addiction Medicine Specialist

Dr. Kenneth Zoucha is a recognized leader in addiction medicine for the State of Nebraska and serves as Director of Addiction Medicine for the Department of Psychiatry at UNMC.

Dr. Zoucha is a clinical educator of medical students, residents, and other health care providers. Responding to the escalating national need, he championed the establishment of an Addiction Medicine fellowship at UNMC.



Learning Objectives:

- Identify compassionate person-centered counseling strategies to reduce stigma affecting access to treatment related to substance use disorders and pain
- Discuss the ethical issues surrounding medications as treatment for patients and clients with Substance Use Disorders.

Continuing Education:

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