

Managing Alcohol Problems



Course Date:
May 1, 2017 to
June 2, 2017

Registration Fee:
\$375.00

The continuing education event has been designated as a U of T Accredited event and awarded with the following credits:

The College of Family Physicians of Canada -
10.5 Mainpro+ credits

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10.5 Section 1 hours

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Course Overview

The use of alcohol is highly prevalent in Canada, and alcohol problems are common in most clinical practices. This brand new course designed for physicians and other front-line clinicians consists of five self-directed online modules that explore the impact of alcohol problems, ways to better identify problematic alcohol use, and treatments for alcohol use disorder using both medications and psychosocial treatment approaches. This five-week course is designed to help enhance participants' knowledge and skills to more effectively engage and treat clients with alcohol use problems through various instructional activities, such as case scenarios, interactive review questions, individual activities and end of module quizzes.

Learning Objectives

After successfully completing the program, participants will be able to:

- identify the short-term and long-term health impacts of alcohol use
- identify clinical signs and symptoms of problem drinking
- identify screening tools that can be easily administered to identify a person with alcohol problems
- describe the components of a comprehensive assessment for alcohol use disorder
- describe how to assess and treat patients experiencing alcohol withdrawal
- explain the medications prescribed for the treatment of alcohol use disorder
- describe commonly used psychosocial treatments approaches for alcohol use disorder

To register for the course, please see the following link:

<http://www.camh.ca/en/education/about/AZCourses/Pages/map-ol.aspx>