



Webinar: Chronic Pain Management: A New Approach Part 3: Assessment

Wednesday, February 10, 2016 • 1 p.m. Pacific, 2 p.m. Mountain

Webinar Objectives

The overall goal of this series is to improve the effectiveness of assessing and managing chronic pain conditions for residents living in nursing homes.

Participants attending this webinar will be able to:

- Review the current Minimum Data Set (MDS) 3.0 Pain Assessment best practices.
- Identify environmental factors that may be negatively contributing to a resident's pain assessment.
- Create resident-specific recommendations for pharmaceutical and non-pharmaceutical pain management interventions.
- Develop conversational scripting for use with residents during MDS pain assessments.

Target Audience

This presentation is directed to clinical and administrative staff in the long-term care setting. Information can be utilized across health care settings. Continuing education credits will be offered for licensed nursing home administrators in Oregon; each attendee will receive a certificate of attendance following the event.

Speakers:

Nicole O'Kane, PharmD, Clinical Director, Acumentra Health

Sharon Faulk, RN, V.P. of Clinical Services, Pinnacle Healthcare

Nicole O'Kane is clinical director for Acumentra Health, the Oregon affiliate of HealthInsight Quality Innovation Network-Quality Improvement Organization. She provides clinical, pharmaceutical, and data evaluation expertise to all of the company's health care quality improvement and research initiatives, including the Oregon Nursing Home Quality Care Collaborative. Her work includes the design and measurement of patient-centered interventions to improve the safety and effectiveness of medication use.

Sharon Faulk is vice president of clinical services for Pinnacle Healthcare, Inc. and has worked in long-term care for more than 40 years. Her work includes providing clinical support and management, education, regulatory oversight, policy/procedure development and quality management for Pinnacle's skilled long-term care facilities.

To Participate

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