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What Not To Do: Updates in Safe Medication Use for Older Adults

Thursday, September 28, 2023 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm Charlotte NC

Live Webinar

Co-sponsored by South Piedmont AHEC and The University of North Carolina Eshelman School of Pharmacy.

<u>Target Audience</u>

Pharmacists, Nurses, Nurse Practioners

<u>*Goal:*</u> This knowledge-based CPE activity will review The Beers Criteria which has long served as a guide to safer prescribing practices in older adults. This program will review relevant updates to the Criteria, which was updated by the American Geriatrics Society in spring 2023.

At the completion of this knowledge-based activity, the participant should be able to:

Pharmacist Course Objectives:

- 1. Identify additions to the Beers Criteria list of potentially inappropriate medications (PIM) in older adults.
- 2. Discuss the rationale for adding these medications to the list of PIMs.
- 3. Summarize additional changes to the Beers Criteria made or proposed in 2023.
- 4. Evaluate medication use and devise a plan to address drug therapy problems for an example patient scenario.
- 5. Explain limitations in general knowledge of medication use in older adults that stems from ageism in clinical research.

Instructor(s): Tasha Woodall, PharmD, BCGP, CPP

<u>Registration</u>

Participants must sign in at the registration table before the start of the program. Registration and check-in will begin at 6:00 pm. Webinar participants check into the virtual meeting space by 6:30 pm. The course begins promptly at 6:30 pm and ends at 8:30 pm with the course schedule and costs as follows:

6:00 pm to 6:30 pm	Registration, Check-In webinar participants
6:30 pm to 8:30 pm	The Beers Criteria Review

<u>Course Fees</u>

Pharmacists and Other Healthcare Professionals: \$70.00 (pre-registration before September 22, 2023) \$85.00 (thereafter)

Please register online at www.southpiedmontahec.org

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Continuing Education Credit For Pharmacists:



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No partial credit will be available

Continuing Education Credit For Nurses:

2.0 Nursing Contact Hours

The South Piedmont AHEC is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development by the North Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

<u>Course Coordinators</u>

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