

APhA's Cardiovascular Disease Risk Management: A Certificate Program for Pharmacists



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The American Pharmacists Association (APhA) developed the Pharmacy-Based Cardiovascular Disease Risk Management Certificate Training Program, an innovative and interactive experience that explores the pharmacist's role in cardiovascular disease risk management. This practice-based activity is the first step for pharmacists interested in learning the essential skills to successfully assess risk, promote cardiovascular disease prevention, and encourage patient adherence to therapy.

GOALS OF THE PRACTICE-BASED PROGRAM

- Educate pharmacists on current evidence-based treatment goals and clinical management recommendations for dyslipidemia and hypertension
- Familiarize pharmacists with important concepts related to healthful lifestyle changes that focus on cardiovascular disease prevention
- Introduce techniques and skills for encouraging patient adherence to prescribed therapies
- Ensure pharmacist proficiency in blood pressure measurement technique and point-of-care lipid testing
- Enhance pharmacist experience in applying elements of motivational interviewing with respect to medication adherence and lifestyle modifications

LOCATION

Duquesne University
School of Pharmacy
Bayer Learning Center, Room 204
Pittsburgh, PA 15282

MORE INFORMATION

For those interested in attending the program, please complete the online registration form or contact Courtney Montepara, Pharm.D., at monteparac@duq.edu for more information.

PRESENTED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:



The certificate training program has two components: Web-based interactive self-study with assessment and the live seminar with online final assessment. A Certificate of Achievement will be awarded to participants who successfully complete all program components, including an evaluation.

RELEASE DATE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2018

EXPIRATION DATE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

SELF-STUDY ACPE: UAN 0202-9999-18-247-H01-P

Successful completion of the self-study component involves passing the self-study assessment with a grade of 70% or higher and will result in 12 contact hours of CPE credit (1.2 CEUs).

LIVE ACPE: UAN 0202-9999-18-248-L01-P

Successful completion of the live seminar component, which involves attending the full live seminar and completing the online assessment and evaluation, will result in 8 contact hours of CPE credit (0.8 CEUs).

Once credit is claimed, Statements of Credit will be available online within 24 hours on participant's CPE Monitor profile at www.nabp.net. The Certificate of Achievement will be available online upon successful completion of the necessary activity requirements on the participant's "My Training" page on www.pharmacist.com.

FEE AND REFUND POLICY

Space is limited; reservations for the program cannot be held until the registration fee is received. Cancellations received in writing at least seven days prior to the program will receive a full refund minus a \$150 cancellation fee. We reserve the right to cancel the program. In that event, each participant will be notified via phone and a full refund will be made. Additional program details and access to online self-study materials will be provided via email upon receipt of registration fee and as made available by APhA.



The American Pharmacist Association is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of Continuing Pharmacy Education.

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