





Innovatix cordially invites healthcare professionals to participate in a lunchtime teleconference.

This one hour program is being offered at times to accommodate participants in different time zones.

DATE	Wednesday, November 11, 2015
TOPIC	<i>Non-Opioid Pharmacologic Options for the Management of Chronic Pain in Older Adults</i>
PRESENTER	Manju T Beier, PharmD, FASCP, CGP President and Founder, Geriatric Consultant Resources LLC Adjunct Clinical Associate Professor of Pharmacy, University of Michigan Ann Arbor, MI
TIME	1:00 pm (EST), 12:00 pm (CST), 11:00 am (MST), 10:00 am (PST) Click to register - https://goto.webcasts.com/starthere.jsp?ei=1082981

GOAL STATEMENT (PHARMACISTS and NURSES)	The purpose of this activity is to provide the participant with the knowledge needed to understand the management of pain in older patients. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> List the challenges inherent in under-reporting and under-treatment of pain in older adults. Describe the non-opioid pharmacologic modalities acetaminophen and NSAIDs with emphasis on dosing, adverse-event burden, and drug-drug and drug-disease interactions. Identify the role of common adjuvants, such as specific anti-depressants and anti-epileptics in the management of neuropathic pain. Summarize the geriatric-specific pain recommendations and explicit criteria focused on non-opioid therapies including the role of topical medications.
GOAL STATEMENT (PHARMACY TECHNICIANS)	The purpose of this activity is to provide the participant with the knowledge needed to assist the pharmacist in managing patients with chronic pain. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> List the challenges inherent in under-reporting and under-treatment of pain in older adults. List three non-opioid pain medications. Identify two other classes of drug used to augment the non-opioid pain therapies.
TARGET	Pharmacy staff and nursing staff involved with the care of patients with chronic pain.
TYPE OF ACTIVITY	Knowledge-based
PHARMACY ACCREDITATION 	Innovatix, LLC is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education. This program has been approved for 1.25 contact hour for Patient Safety . Universal activity number: 0409-0000-15-020-L01-T (Pharmacists) and 0409-0000-15-020-L01-T (Technicians). To receive continuing education credit, a pharmacist or technician must attend the accredited session and complete the program evaluation at http://www.innovatix.com/evaluations/ln/default.htm . Registrants must register no later than 10 minutes after the start of the meeting and must attend the entire meeting.
NURSING ACCREDITATION 	Professional Education Services Group is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation (ANCC-COA). Professional Education Services Group is awarding 1.25 contact hour for learners who successfully complete this continuing nursing education activity (including attending the entire 1.25 hour session and completing and submitting the session evaluation) The evaluation can be found online at: http://innovatix.cds.pesgce.com/index.php . For questions about this activity for nurses, contact support@pesgce.com
COST	This program is free of charge to existing and potential Innovatix members.
CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS	ACPE Statements of Credit will be transferred to CPE Monitor within 4-6 weeks, upon successful completion and submission of the verification of Continuing Education and Program Evaluation Forms. CE certificates are not issued by Innovatix.