



## OHSU Addiction Medicine ECHO Certificate Program

Clinicians and health professionals practicing in Oregon are invited to participate in the OHSU Addiction Medicine ECHO Certificate Program. ECHO is a tele-mentoring program that uses videoconferencing technology to combine brief didactic presentations with interactive and practical case presentations from participants.

**The goal of the OHSU Addiction Medicine ECHO Certificate Program is to foster leadership and expertise in the diagnosis, treatment, and systems development for the effective care of patients with substance use disorders (SUD) and chronic pain across a variety of clinical settings.**

### Benefits of participation include:

- Greater knowledge, skills and confidence to screen, diagnose and treat patients with SUD and chronic pain
- Networking and relationship building with specialists, clinicians, and healthcare professionals throughout Oregon who provide care to patients with SUD and chronic pain
- No cost CME and Maintenance of Certification part 2 credits for internal medicine and family medicine physicians are awarded based on participation and attendance
- A certificate of completion

*“This program was  
EXTREMELY helpful in  
allowing us to improve our  
MAT (Medication Assisted  
Treatment) care for our  
patients. We are the sole  
providers in our county and  
making these services  
available is saving many lives!  
Thank You!”  
– Rural Oregon Clinician*

### Certificate Requirements

- Actively participate and complete three of the following core Addiction Medicine ECHO programs with 75% or higher attendance rates:
  - Substance Use Disorders in Ambulatory Care
  - Substance Use Disorders in Hospital Care
  - Chronic Pain and Opioids
  - Effective Systems for Treating Addiction in Primary Care
  - Substance Use Disorders in Prenatal and Perinatal Care
  - Hepatitis C: Treatment and Elimination
  - Substance Use Disorders in Adolescents
  - Substance Use Disorders in Jail Settings
  - Recovery Peers in Medical Settings

Questions? Email [oen@ohsu.edu](mailto:oen@ohsu.edu)



## 2022-2023 Addiction Medicine ECHO Program Calendar\*

- Substance Use Disorders Leadership ECHO – Fall 2022
- Hepatitis C: Treatment and Elimination – Fall 2022
- Substance Use Disorders in Ambulatory Care – Fall 2022
- Substance Use Disorders in Hospital Care – Fall 2022, Winter 2023, Spring 2023
- Substance Use Disorders in Adolescents – Winter 2023
- Effective Systems for Treating Addiction in Primary Care – Winter 2023
- Chronic Pain and Opioids – Winter 2023
- Substance Use Disorders in Prenatal and Perinatal Care – Spring 2023
- Recovery Peers in Medical Settings – Spring 2023

## 2022-2023 Addiction Medicine Communities of Practice

- SUD in Ambulatory Care: Curbsides and Conversation
- SUD in Hospital Care: Curbsides and Conversation
- Hepatitis C: Curbsides and Conversation

\*Go to [www.oregonechonetwork.org](http://www.oregonechonetwork.org) for more details on these and other ECHO Programs

## Frequently Asked Questions

- 1. Am I required to complete the complete the certificate in a defined time frame?** No, participants can complete the certificate over time. Course offerings beginning after January 1, 2017 will count towards the certificate requirements. It is possible to complete the certificate in one year.
- 2. What qualifies as active participation in the program?** Active participation in the program is defined as focused attention, asking questions, and participating in discussions during the ECHO sessions. Active participation also includes participating in program evaluation activities, which could include pre-program, post-program and per-session surveys; focus groups; or structured interviews. Volunteering to present at least one case per program is strongly encouraged.
- 3. What happens if I do not complete the certificate?** You will still receive the CME and MOC credits you earned based on participation in the sessions.
- 4. How do I sign up for the certificate program?** ECHO participants who are interested in completing the certificate program will be asked to indicate their intention to complete the certificate program during the ECHO registration process.

*"I love these programs. I couldn't even attempt what I'm doing without this education and insight from experienced practitioners."*

**– SUD in Hospital Care  
ECHO Participant, Winter**

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