Diabetes Performance Improvement in Primary Care – Enduring

Nov. 7, 2024 - Nov. 7, 2026

Program Overview

This educational activity aims to inform the learner about the status of diabetes and chronic kidney disease in primary care. This activity will explore barriers and facilitators to promote patient engagement in treatment. This activity will focus on performance improvement methods and activities which promote health among patients with diabetes.



Who Should Participate

Physicians, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Nurses, and Primary Care Office Staff.

As part of our commitment to diversity and inclusion, the Northwest AHEC provides compassionate education and respectful care for all, regardless of socioeconomic status, race, ethnicity, language, nationality, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, geography, disability and age.

Objectives

Upon completion of this activity, participants should be better able to:

- Describe barriers and strategies for clinical care teams in the screening, diagnosis, and treatment of patients with diabetes and chronic kidney disease (CKD).
- Utilize new methods to identify how diabetes and CKD disproportionately affect racial and ethnic minorities in clinical workflows.
- Explain processes for screening, diagnosis, and raising awareness about diabetes and its connection to chronic kidney disease (CKD).

Provided by:

Northwest Area Health Education Center (AHEC), a program of Wake Forest University School of Medicine and part of the NC AHEC System.





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Presenter



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Dr. Eugene Wright serves and has served on several advisory and editorial boards to include Clinical Diabetes, Diabetes Technology and Therapeutics and as a content reviewer for UpToDate. Dr. Wright has served on the planning committee of the Clinical Conference of the ADA since 2009. He served as the inaugural chair of the ADA Primary Care Interest Group and as a member of the ADA/AHA Know Diabetes by Heart Science Advisory Group. Dr. Wright has published several articles on diabetes diagnosis, treatment and management and has given presentations at national and international meetings on new treatments and technology for diabetes.

Credit

- 1.0 Contact Hour from Northwest AHEC. Nurses: This educational activity (1.0 contact hour) can be applied toward your continuing competence plan for maintaining your current licensure with the North Carolina Board of Nursing
- The Wake Forest University School of Medicine designates this enduring activity for a maximum of 1.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)* TM. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.
 - **Accreditation:** The Wake Forest University School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.
- AAPA accepts certificate of participation for educational activities certified for AMA PRA Category 1 CreditsTM from organizations accredited by ACCME or a recognized state medical society. Physician Assistants may receive a maximum of 1.0 hours of credit for completing this program.

Credit will be awarded based on participant selection at time of registration. Before selecting credits, please review our **general** Credit Glossary but note not all programs offer all credits.

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Cost

The first 100 registrations will be at no charge, supported by Division of Health Benefits grant funding. After that, registrations will be \$10 each.

Register and pay online at www.nwahec.org/74749. Payment by credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover) or Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist internal transfer accepted online. Personal check, corporate check, money order, accepted by mail.

Payment Policy:

Payment is required on or before entrance into any Northwest AHEC activity. If a corporate payment has not been received prior to the activity start date, you will be required to provide a personal credit card or check. If the corporate payment has not been received two weeks post activity, your personal credit card or check will be charged or cashed. To avoid personal payment, you should check with the financial staff at your organization to determine status of payment.

Refund Policy:

Cancellations received in our office at least two weeks (14 business days) before the activity will receive a 100 percent refund. Registrants cancelling between two weeks and five full business days prior to the first day of the event will be refunded at 70% of the subject to a minimum \$25 cancellation fee. The registration fee will not be refunded if a cancellation is received less than five days before the activity. Cancellations must be in writing (email). You may send a substitute in your place.

If you have questions about registering or need additional help with technology or completion of this course, please contact Andrew Brewer at abrewer@wakehealth.edu.