

HIV * Hep C * Mental Health * Substance Abuse:

THE INCARCERATED AND THE COMMUNITY



CAN YOU TREAT THIS PATIENT?

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 16, 2010

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The US Dept of Justice stated that over 2 million people were incarcerated as of 2007. Although the guidelines for healthcare of the incarcerated are the same as those for the community, care in our jails and prisons is severely lacking, which affect the incarcerated and the community into which they assimilate when they are discharged. These patients have a high rate of recidivism and contribute to the spread of infection through needle sharing and unprotected sex. Healthcare providers need to understand the problems of incarcerated patients who return to the community. The CDC reported that in 2006, over 1 million persons in the US were living with HIV, of whom 21% were undiagnosed. Additionally, close to 4 million persons currently have Hepatitis C (Hep C). Millions of substance abusers are incarcerated, and the number of mentally ill persons in our jails and prisons has increased dramatically, as indicated by the National Alliance of Mental Illness.

This symposium will include the latest guidelines for providing healthcare of the incarcerated population. Topics will include: HIV, Hep C and communicable disease screening; general primary care within jails and prisons; and the newest guidelines on treatment options for Hep C, including how to address problems of medication adherence and treatment of the challenging patient who has psychiatric *and* substance abuse issues. This symposium will also address the issues of social bias and ways to reduce recidivism with particular emphasis on patients who have mental illness. Finally, it will help to promote needed changes in healthcare for the incarcerated and the community.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- Evaluate the prejudice and bias that affect the incarcerated within our society and promote cultural awareness of this population and the communities into which they return.
- Assess the relationship between substance abuse and criminal activity in order to reduce recidivism.
- Develop a comprehensive treatment plan for substance abuse offenders.
- Identify the primary care needs of the at-risk inmate and define the NYS recommendations for HIV, Hep C and testing for other communicable diseases.
- Evaluate and treat acute Hep C.
- Improve medication adherence with Hep C treatment.
- Treat the patient with HIV/Hep C who has psychiatric and/or substance abuse issues.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Primary Care Physicians, Internists, Infectious Disease and GI Specialists, Psychiatrists, Psychologists, Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, and Social Workers.

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AGENDA

- 8:00-8:50 AM Continental Breakfast, Registration, and Exhibits**
- 8:50-9:00 Welcome**
Douglas Dieterich, MD
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Pat Dellatto, NP, MSN and Victoria White, BA
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- 9:00-10:00 Key Note Address and Interactive Workshop:
Prejudice Against Prejudice:
Mobilization and Empowerment**
Joseph Volker, PhD
- 10:00-11:00 Substance Abuse in Jail and Its' Effects on Public
Health and Documentary**
Kamil Jaghab, MD
- 11:00-11:15 Panel Discussion**
Joseph Volker, PhD and Kamil Jaghab, MD
- 11:15-11:35 Coffee Break and Exhibits**
- 11:35-12:25 PM Understanding and Managing the Incarcerated
HIV/Hep C Infected Patient and Case Presentation**
Harish Moorjani, MD
- 12:25-1:15 How to Evaluate and Treat Acute Hep C and
Case Presentation**
Daniel Fierer, MD
- 1:15-1:30 Panel Discussion**
Harish Moorjani, MD and Daniel Fierer, MD
- 1:30- 2:30 Lunch and Exhibits**
- 2:30-3:20 Meeting the Challenges of Medication Adherence
to Hep C Treatment: Patient and Provider Roles
and Case Presentation**
Jeffrey Weiss, PhD, MS
- 3:20-4:10 Treating the Hep C Patient with Psychiatric and
Substance Abuse Issues and Case Presentation**
Alain Litwin, MD, MPH
- 4:10-4:25 Panel Discussion**
Daniel Fierer, MD; Jeffrey Weiss, PhD, MS; and
Alain Litwin, MD, MPH
- 4:25-4:30 Concluding Remarks, Adjourn**

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\$65 Registration Fee

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