

First session: Wednesday 14 June 2017



Pharmacist Small Group Learning: Opioid Dependence and Pharmacotherapy

Why attend a Small Group Learning?

- Enhance clinical competence, knowledge and performance
- Remain up-to-date with best practice standards and new treatments
- Connect with peers for support, interaction and reflection in a friendly environment

Event Overview

Do you provide **pharmacotherapy for opioid dependence** (methadone and buprenorphine) in your pharmacy?

Do you want to develop skills and knowledge around **substance misuse** and Alcohol and other Drug (AOD) issues?

This Small Group Learning (SGL) series is aimed to support you in your practice.

Meet with peers to discuss mutually agreed topics based on your personal learning needs.

Facilitator

David McConville – Pharmacist experienced in delivering pharmacotherapy services since 1995.

Example Topics

- Pharmacotherapy best practice including patient initiation, take away doses, diversion, stability and complex patients
- *Policy for maintenance pharmacy for opioid dependence*
- Referral to local Alcohol and other Drug services
- Managing challenging behaviours in the pharmacy
- Codeine rescheduling
- Real Time Prescription Monitoring
- Naloxone – formulations, availability and counselling

Event Details

Date: First session: Wednesday 14 June 2017
Subsequent session dates will be agreed on by participants (approximately 6-8 weekly)

Venue: Eastern Melbourne PHN – Box Hill Office
18-20 Prospect St, Box Hill

Time: Registration & light catering from 6.30pm
Program from 7.00pm to 8.30pm

Parking: Available on Prospect St

Register: [Register now](#)

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