

AIMS-SK Substance Use Disorders Interactive Workshop March 11, 2025 | In Person Sandman Signature South Hotel 2815 Lorne Avenue, Saskatoon, SK



7:45 AM	Attendee Sign-In Light Breakfast provided					
8:00 AM	Welcome,	Welcome, Treaty Land Acknowledgment				
8:05AM - 8:10AM	5	Administrative Items	Mary Fraser			
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8:15AM - 8:30AM	15	Opening Reflection Exercise	Mary Fraser			
8:35 AM - 9:05 AM	25	Saskatoon Police Service Drug Unit (SPSDU) - What's on the street Presenter: Constables Pete McDade and Emma Moore At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Identify and classify common street drugs according to their chemical composition, including opioids, stimulants, depressants, hallucinogens, and cannabinoids. 2. Describe the physical characteristics of various street drugs, such as color, odor, taste, texture, and packaging methods. 3. Explain the common methods of administration for street drugs, including oral ingestion, inhalation, injection, and transdermal absorption.	Moderator: Dr. Tian			
+	5	QA				
Case 1						
9:10AM - 10:10AM	60	Case 1 – John's Journey Through Opioid Use Disorder and OAT Treatment At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Assess patients for opioid use disorder using DSM-5 criteria and determine their eligibility for Opioid Agonist Therapy based on clinical findings and patient history. 2. Develop and evaluate integrated treatment plans combining pharmacological and non-pharmacological approaches with patient involvement. 3. Utilize effective communication strategies to engage patients and enhance their honesty in discussions about opioid use and treatment options.	Panelists: Dr. Victoria Tian Dr. Andrew Yang Ian McGillivray Jennifer King Jeannie Coe			
Break (15 minutes)						
Case 2						
10:25AM - 11:25AM	60	Case 2 Navigating the Journey: Initiation, Maintenance, and Challenges in Opioid Agonist Therapy (OAT) for Long-Term Recovery At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Explore the key considerations in initiating and maintaining OAT, including medication selection, dose adjustments, and managing side effects and cravings during the early stages of therapy. 2. Recognize and Address Challenges in Long-Term OAT Maintenance 3. Apply Interdisciplinary Approaches to Personalized OAT Treatment	Panelists: Dr. Melissa Holowaty Barb Papp Susanne Nicolay Matthew Manz			

11:30AM - 12:15PM	35 10	FASD Presentation Shana Mohr At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Comprehend the Impact of FASD: Participants will be able to identify the key challenges faced by individuals with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder and recognize the long-term effects on cognitive, social, and behavioural development. 2. Explore Available Support Programs: Participants will gain insight into the support services and programs offered for individuals with FASD and their families and learn how to effectively access and navigate these resources. 3. Appreciate the Importance of FASD Training and Education: Participants will acknowledge the importance of FASD-related training and education for healthcare providers, educators, and caregivers, and how these programs contribute to better outcomes for individuals affected by FASD. QA	Moderator: Dr. Butt			
12:15 PM - 12:20PM	5	Sticky Note Reflection & Collaboration Exercise Introduction At the end of this session: Participants will reflect on case studies to identify key insights, unanswered questions, and opportunities for enhancing interdisciplinary collaboration	Moderator: Mary Fraser			
LUNCH BREAK (45mins)						
1:05 PM - 1:15PM	10	Sticky Note Reflection & Collaboration Exercise continuation At the end of this session: Participants will reflect on case studies to identify key insights, unanswered questions, and opportunities for enhancing interdisciplinary collaboration	Moderator: Mary Fraser			
Case 3						
1:15PM - 2:15PM	60	Case 3: Falling Through the Cracks: Ensuring Continuity of Care for Opioid Use Disorder During Correctional Transitions At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Explore strategies to ensure continuity of care during transitions between correctional facilities and community healthcare. 2. Evaluate the importance of coordinated interdisciplinary care for individuals transitioning from corrections to the community. 3. Formulate approaches for integrating mental health treatment and trauma-informed care into opioid use disorder (OUD) management to support long-term recovery.	Panelists: Dr. Morris Markentin Jennifer King Dr. Larissa Kiesman Barb Papp Dr. Jess Melle			
2:20PM - 3:05PM	35 10	Presentation: Overdose Outreach Team Presenters: Ashlee Sudiak & David Veilleux At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Identify the key components and personnel of the Overdose Outreach Team to enhance understanding of its structure and resources. 2. Describe the core functions and strategies employed by the Overdose Outreach Program to promote community awareness and engagement. 3. Summarize the primary goals of the Overdose Outreach Program and discuss how they contribute to improving community health outcomes. QA	Moderator: Dr. Butt			
		Naloxone Training: Ashlee Sudiak & David Veilleux At the end of this session learners will be able to:				

3:05PM- 3:20PM	15	 Demonstrate proper techniques for administering Naloxone, including both nasal sprays and injectable forms, to ensure preparedness in diverse emergency scenarios. Explain the pharmacological effects of Naloxone on the body and its role in reversing opioid overdose, enhancing participants' understanding of its life-saving capabilities. Assess emergency overdose situations to effectively decide when and how to safely administer Naloxone, promoting prompt and appropriate responses in critical moments. 	Moderator: Dr. Butt
		Break (15 minutes)	
Case 4			
3:35PM - 4:35PM	60	Case 4: Complex Pregnancy with Concurrent Disorders, Gestational Diabetes, and Alcohol Use At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Analyze the Impact of Co-Occurring Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders in Pregnancy 2. Develop a Comprehensive Care Plan for Managing Gestational Diabetes and Substance Use Relapse 3. Identify Strategies for Supporting Pregnant Patients with Limited Social and Financial Resources	Panelists: Dr. Larissa Kiesman Dr. Morris Markentin Susanne Nicolay Matthew Manz Barb Papp Ashlee Suidak David Veilleux
4:40PM - 5:00PM	20	Personal Lived Experience Presentation: Cecile Boukhatmi At the end of this session learners will be able to: 1. Recognize the Complex Impact of Alcohol Use Disorder on an Individual's Life 2. Comprehend the Journey of Recovery from a Lived Experience Perspective 3. Appreciate the Role of Stigma and Support in Shaping the Recovery Experience	Moderator: Barb Papp
5:00PM - 5:15PM	15	Closing Reflection Discussion Mary Questions Survey Completion for Certificate	