



Distance Learning | November 2023

Older Adults Webinar Series

Target Audience: Family/Specialist physicians and other health care professionals.

Day of the Week: Monday

Time: 12:00 -1:00 pm



SESSIONS, SPEAKERS & LEARNING OBJECTIVES

NOV 6 | MEDICAL ASSISTANCE IN DYING (MAID) IN DEMENTIA

Presenters: Dr. Lillian Thorpe

- Identify legal requirements for MAID:
 - Reasonably foreseeable natural death
 - Not reasonably foreseeable natural death
- Recognize specific challenges related to MAID for dementia
- Recognize challenges of potential legalization of advanced directives for MAID (focus on dementia)

NOV 13 | BONING UP ON OSTEOPOROSIS

Presenter: Dr. Megan Surkan

- Define a fragility fracture and understand the associated patient and system costs
- Recognize the treatment gap in fracture prevention and osteoporosis care
- Identify how to screen and determine which patients require treatment for osteoporosis via a validated fracture prevention tool and current guidelines
- Review effects of osteoporosis medications

NOV 20 | MEDICATIONS & COGNITION: THE GOOD, THE BAD & THE UGLY

Presenter: Erin Yakiwchuk

- Discuss some of the emerging treatment options for Alzheimer's dementia
- Identify commonly used medications that may negatively affect cognition in older adults
- Explain the association between anticholinergic medication use and dementia

NOV 27 | DELIRIUM

Presenter: Dr. Lucas Diebel

- Recognize the importance of delirium in older adults
- Distinguish between delirium and dementia, and explore the intersection between these conditions
- Implement non-pharmacologic strategies in the prevention and management of delirium
- Identify the impact of cognitive bias in the recognition and management in the elderly

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