Establishing Services Around Diversion Prevention

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Activity Date: July 16, 2020
Activity Type: Knowledge-based
CE Credits: 1.0 hour, no partial credit
Activity Fee: Members – Free / Non-Member – Not Available

Accreditation for Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians

The American Society of Health-System Pharmacists is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education.

Target Audience

This activity is intended to meet the educational needs of pharmacists and technicians responsible for implementing and assuring that controlled substance management and security meet legal and regulatory requirements.

Activity Overview

This activity will provide the audience with knowledge about establishing services for diversion prevention in the pharmacy department. The webinar will be facilitated in a question-answer type format. Three panelists will answer and discuss the most common questions related to: regulatory requirements from the DEA and other organizational bodies, creation of a diversion prevention team, investigating diversion cases, and key characteristics of diversion prevention software. The panelists will share their experiences based on real-life challenges and provide lessons learned to others that may face similar challenges.

Learning Objectives

- Explain the importance of adhering to DEA regulation.
- Describe best practices for investigating diversion cases.
- Identify the key stakeholders who should participate in a controlled substance diversion and prevention oversight team.

Schedule of Educational Activities

- Introduction and Announcements
- Presentation
- Questions, Answers, and Discussion

Faculty Information
Activity Announcement

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Faculty Disclosures

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Methods and CE Requirements

This Live Webinar activity consists of faculty slides presentations, active learning activities, discussion, and handouts. Participants must attend the activity in its entirety to get the Attendance code to claim continuing pharmacy education credit online at ASHP eLearning Portal. Follow the prompts online to complete the evaluation, claim credit and view the statement of credit immediately after the activity but no later than September 14, 2020.

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System Technical Requirements

Courses and learning activities are delivered via your Web browser and Acrobat PDF. Users should have a basic comfort level using a computer and navigating web sites.

View the minimum technical and system requirements for learning activities.