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FIRST FRIDAY FORUM Friday, September 4, 2020

Update on Adult Psychiatric Medications: What Therapists Need to Know

Nick Allen, M.D.

Program: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Introductory: Assumes post-doctoral education status and limited familiarity with topic.

Location:

Registrants will receive a Zoom link to access the webinar online.

Attendees are encouraged to join the webinar five to ten minutes prior to the start.

About the Program:

This program qualifies for 3.0 continuing education credits.

This lecture will be organized around the different classes of psychiatric medications (antidepressants, antipsychotics, mood stabilizers, anxiolytics, etc.). We will review evidence based indications for these medicines and common side effects. We will also discuss mechanisms of action, newer classes of medications (for addiction, dementia), and special considerations (pregnancy and pharmacogenomic testing). Questions are encouraged to foster an open discussion about how psychiatrists and psychologists can collaborate with one another towards optimal recovery for their patients.

Participants will be able to:

- 1. Define pharmacologic classes of medications
- 2. List evidence based indications for each class of medications
- 3. Recognize side effects for each class of medications

About the Presenters:

Nick Allen, M.D., attended the University of Kansas, where he earned his chemical engineering degree and doctorate of medicine. He completed his psychiatry residency and consultation-liaison fellowship at Mayo Clinic, where he now works as a hospitalist on medical-psychiatry services. He is passionate about learning and teaching in interdisciplinary settings.

PLEASE NOTE: You must attend the full 3-hour program to get continuing education credit for the event.

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