Updates in Pain Management: A focus on effective pain management and new safety concerns

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## Objectives

- Provide an overview of safety concerns related to opioid use in Maryland, specifically regarding the risk of overdose, including the dangers of medication combinations that put patients at a higher risk of overdose.
- Provide education related to national guidelines available to aid providers in the safe and effective prescribing of opioids, while minimizing the risk of overdose, abuse or diversion.
- Provide specific examples, using a case-based approach, of challenges faced by healthcare providers in Maryland when managing pain or opioid-related disease states.

Attendees must pre-register online at

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