Train New Trainers

Primary Care - Training and Education in Addiction Medicine (PC-TEAM)

One-Year Fellowship Training

Innovative and Targeted Training to Optimize the Treatment of Substance Use Disorders

**Fellowship Objective:**

UCI TNT PC-TEAM Fellowship is a comprehensive certificate program specifically designed to address substance use disorders (SUDs) and pain related conditions most frequently encountered in primary care. TNT PC-TEAM uses the existing and successful curricular foundation from the TNT Primary Care Psychiatry (PCP) Fellowship and incorporates high-yield topics in the treatment of SUDs to promote the development of SUD treatment champions.

This is not a traditional or ACGME- approved fellowship. The TNT PC-TEAM year-long clinical education certificate program is intended mainly for primary care and ER-oriented clinicians interested in advanced SUD training and opioid management. Fellows will learn how to complete evidence-based substance use screening in busy primary care or other general medical settings. TNT PC-TEAM fellows will also be trained to effectively *prevent*, *diagnose*, and *treat* commonly encountered substance use and pain-related disorders (e.g., opioids, alcohol, stimulants, and benzodiazepines). Most importantly, graduates will be thoroughly trained in SUD and, as TNT PC-TEAM Champions, know how to train other providers.
**Multi-faceted Curriculum**
The following is an outline of the curriculum, developed by the UCI School of Medicine Train New Trainers PC-TEAM faculty. The Fellowship includes more than 45 required hours of training and results in a certificate of completion from UCI School of Medicine:

- Two in-person teaching conferences (approximately 25 CME hours)
- Live, case-based discussions with a focus on primary care pain and addiction-related disorders and treatments twice a month (at least 20 CME hours)
- Monthly small group mentorship sessions with a PC-TEAM faculty mentor
- Complimentary lifelong learning for TNT PC-TEAM alumni

**TNT PC-TEAM Fellowship Curricular Topic Overview:**
- Substance use and withdrawal symptoms
- Responsible use of opioids / Medication for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD)
- Assessment and treatment of common pain conditions in the context of SUD prevention and management

**Core Topics Include:**
- Addressing Health Disparities in Addiction Medicine
- Medication for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD)
- Chronic Pain Management and Opioid Prescribing
- Common Pain Disorders and Treatment Considerations
- Prevention, Assessment, Diagnosis, and Treatment of:
  - Nicotine Use Disorder
  - Sedative/Hypnotic Use Disorders
  - Alcohol Use Disorder
  - Stimulant Use Disorder
  - Cannabis Use Disorder
- Special Populations- Adolescents & Children
- Motivational Interviewing

This activity series has been approved for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™.*

Reading materials will be provided. Emphasis will be placed on how to provide culturally and linguistically competent and person-centered clinical care. Pre, mid, and post-testing will measure practice patterns and general knowledge in primary care addiction and pain management.

**2023 Tuition:** $15,500

**Target Audience:**
- MDs
- DOs
- NPs
- PAs

For more information about the fellowship, please contact us at tntpcteamfellowship@hs.uci.edu, 949-824-4910 or visit www.meded.uci.edu/CME/PC-TEAM.aps