



# SCOPE of Pain

8:00 - 11:45am



# MAT Waiver Training

12:30pm - 5:00pm

## Pain and Addiction: Provider training for safe opioid prescribing and the treatment of opioid use disorder\*

Thursday, November 29, 2018

The Bond Ballroom, 338 Asylum Street, Hartford, CT

**Tuition: \$25 | Breakfast and lunch included!**

\* CME and CNE available for both trainings!

Register:

[scopeofpain.org](http://scopeofpain.org)

### What is SCOPE of Pain?

SCOPE of Pain is an in-depth training that focuses on effective communication skills and the potential risks and benefits of opioids for managing chronic pain. The training includes the assessment of opioid misuse risk and how to manage opioid therapy including opioid tapers using a patient-centered approach.

SCOPE of Pain Hartford is provided by Boston University School of Medicine, with local partners Connecticut Department of Health, Yale University School of Medicine, Connecticut Opioid Response Initiative. National collaborators include the Council of Medical Specialty Societies and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

### Why offer this training?

The FDA has mandated manufacturers of extended release/long-acting (ER/LA) opioid analgesics, as part of a comprehensive Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy (REMS), to make available comprehensive prescriber education in the safe use of these medications. Our training is based on the FDA curriculum known as the Blueprint for Prescriber Education for Extended Release and Long-Acting Opioid (ER/LA) Analgesics. Our curriculum covers all aspects of this blueprint and more to provide a comprehensive educational program.

### Who is this for?

Physicians, advance practice nurses, physician assistants, nurses, dentists, pharmacists and allied healthcare professionals.

### Speakers

William Becker, MD  
Associate Professor, Yale University School of Medicine

Daniel G. Tobin, MD, FACP  
Associate Professor, Yale University School of Medicine  
Medical Director, Yale Primary Care

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### What is MAT Waiver Training?

The PCSS-MAT Half and Half Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) waiver training course provides an overview of the FDA-approved medications—buprenorphine, naltrexone, and methadone—prescribed for the treatment of opioid use disorder (OUD). This course provides the required eight-hour training to prescribe buprenorphine in office-based settings for the treatment of OUD. The course provides an overview of prevention, identification, and treatment of substance use disorders emphasizing OUD. Currently, physicians who have completed the eight-hour course are eligible to apply for the waiver to prescribe buprenorphine. Residents may take the course and apply for their waiver when they receive their DEA license. Physician Assistants (PAs) and Advanced Practice Registered Nurses (APRNs) are also encouraged to take the course, though waiver eligibility 24 hour training requirements have not been defined as established by the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA).

### Half and Half Course

This course will be provided in a "Half and Half" format which means the first half of the course is completed live (in person) and the second half is completed online, after the live portion. Participants who successfully complete the first (live) half will be sent instructions on how to access and complete the online portion.

Those who have successfully completed the course (both on-line and live) are eligible to apply to SAMHSA to obtain a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine. PCSS-MAT urges all participants who complete the course to submit a Notice of Intent Form to SAMHSA, available on-line and provided by email following the training.

PCSS-MAT has a comprehensive library of materials available at no cost, created to give providers' confidence in preventing and treating these medical disorders. PCSS-MAT also provides a no-cost clinical coaching/mentoring program to help primary care providers in their ability to address these concerns.

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## Accreditation

### Physicians

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of Boston University School of Medicine with local partner Fall River Partnership for a Healthy Community Substance-abuse Task Force. Boston University School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Boston University School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 3.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### Nurses

Continuing Nursing Education Provider Unit, Boston University School of Medicine is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. CNE Contact Hours: 3.25, all of which is pharmacology credit-worthy

### AAFP

This Live activity, SCOPE of Pain: Safe & Competent Opioid Prescribing Education, from 12/7/17 - 12/7/18, has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 2.00 Prescribed credits by the American Academy of Family Physicians. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### ABIM MOC Part II

Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn 2 MOC points and patient safety MOC credit in the American Board of Internal Medicine's (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. It is the CME activity provider's responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.

## Disclosure of Support

This educational activity is supported by an independent educational grant from the Extended-Release/Long-Acting Opioid Analgesic REMS Program Companies. Please see [http://ce.er-la-opioidrems.com/lwgCEUI/rems/pdf/List\\_of\\_RPC\\_Companies.pdf](http://ce.er-la-opioidrems.com/lwgCEUI/rems/pdf/List_of_RPC_Companies.pdf) for a listing of REMS Program Companies. This activity is intended to be fully compliant with the Extended-Release/Long-Acting Opioid Analgesics REMS education requirements issued by the US Food & Drug Administration.

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## Speakers

Lisa Puglisi, MD  
Assistant Professor of Medicine  
Yale School of Medicine

Jeanette Tetrault, MD, FACP  
Associate Professor of Medicine (General Medicine)  
Yale University School of Medicine

Melissa Weimer, DO  
Assistant Professor of Medicine  
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