The Pharmacist and Patient-Centered Diabetes Care is a newly revised, intensive educational experience designed to equip pharmacists with the knowledge, skills, and confidence needed to provide effective, evidence-based diabetes care. Five self-study modules provide comprehensive instruction in current diabetes concepts and standards of care. The live seminar incorporates case studies and hands-on skills training focused on the situations most likely to be encountered—as well as the services most needed—in community and ambulatory care practice settings. Participants will gain experience evaluating and adjusting drug therapy regimens for patients with type 1 and type 2 diabetes, counseling patients about lifestyle interventions, analyzing and interpreting self-monitoring of blood glucose results, and assessing the overall health status of patients to identify needed monitoring and interventions.

SEMINAR LEARNING OBJECTIVES:
- Evaluate the overall health status of patients with diabetes in terms of recommended monitoring and interventions, and formulate strategies for closing gaps in care.
- Propose modifications to a patient’s drug therapy regimen rooted in evidence-based algorithms for diabetes management.
- Recommend dietary interventions to support optimal glycemic control and weight loss (when indicated) in patients with diabetes.
- Analyze and interpret a patient’s self-monitoring of blood glucose results and use the results to identify needed changes in the diabetes management plan.
- Demonstrate proper technique for measuring blood pressure, administering injections, obtaining fingerstick samples for blood glucose monitoring, operating blood glucose meters, and performing monofilament foot testing.
- Integrate the varied aspects of comprehensive diabetes care into efficient, sensitive, respectful pharmacist–patient interactions that support optimal patient self-management.
- Describe ways in which pharmacists can keep abreast of new developments and take advantage of professional opportunities in diabetes care.

SEMINAR AGENDA:
Welcome & Introduction
Comprehensive Care Needs
Intensifying Drug Therapy
Nutrition Counseling
Insulin Therapy
Hands-On Assessments
Special Situations in Diabetes Management
Next Steps and Resources
Closing Remarks

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CONTINUING PHARMACY EDUCATION (CPE) CREDIT:
RELEASE DATE: 2/1/2012
Successful completion of the live seminar component involves passing the final exam with a grade of 70% or higher and demonstrating competency in blood pressure testing, self-injection techniques, diabetic foot exam, and blood glucose testing. Successful completion of these components will result in 8 contact hours of continuing pharmacy education credit (0.8 CEUs).

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Successful completion of the self-study component involves passing the self-study assessment with a grade of 70% or higher and will result in 15.0 contact hours of continuing pharmacy education credits (1.5 CEUs).

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Activity Requirements: Internet connectivity and Adobe Acrobat Reader are required for participation in this activity. For all APhA accreditation information and policies please visit: www.pharmacist.com/education.

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