

# Opioid Dependence Treatment CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

The Core Course meets the CPSO and OCP regulatory requirements for prescribing and dispensing methadone and buprenorphine for treatment of opioid dependence.

The **Certificate Program** has been approved as an 83.5-credit (CFPC) certificate program by the office of Continuing Education, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto.

The courses are approved for CACCF CEC hours.

For more information about this program, please call

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416 535-8501, ext. 6640.

## Description

The Opioid Dependence Treatment Certificate Program has been developed to prepare physicians, pharmacists, nurses and counsellors to assess and treat people with opioid dependence.

This program uses a blended learning approach that includes online and classroom components.

## Courses

Participants interested in obtaining a Certificate in Opioid Dependence Treatment should complete the Core Program plus three or four elective courses (total of 39+ hours).

### Core course (required)

*11.5 Mainpro-M1 credits, and recognized for 11 CE credits through the Ontario College of Pharmacists*

- ▶ Five self-directed online modules

#### followed by

- ▶ A one-day workshop

### Elective courses (select three or four)

- ▶ Advanced Issues in Methadone Maintenance Treatment  
*3.5 Mainpro-M1 credits*
- ▶ Introduction to Motivational Interviewing  
*11.5 Mainpro-M1 credits*
- ▶ Advanced Strategies in Motivational Interviewing  
*12 Mainpro-M1 credits*
- ▶ Introduction to Concurrent Disorders (Online course)  
*14 Mainpro-M1 credits*
- ▶ Basic Pharmacology in Mental Health and Substance Use (Online course)  
*11 Mainpro-M1 credits*
- ▶ Interactions between Psychiatric Medications and Substances of Abuse (Online course)  
*14 Mainpro-M1 credits*

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