OTN Geriatric AddictionRounds

Substance Use in Older Adults with Dementia

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Publications

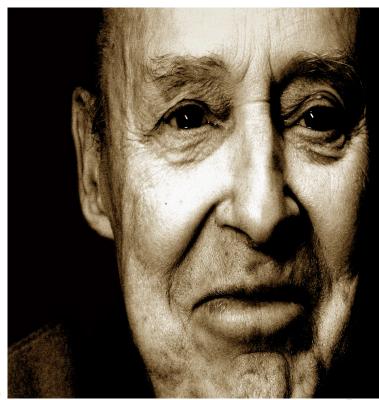
- Author for "Journey to Healing" a CAMH publication
- Chapter on Aboriginal Communities & Opiate Addiction
- Journal of Current Pharmaceutical Design- Benzodiazepine Use Disorder

LEARING OBJECTIVES

To understand substance use and cognitive impairment in older adults

To discuss withdrawal from substances in older adults with cognitive impairment

To understand how delirium can occur as a result of withdrawal To discuss withdrawal protocols in older adults with dementia





WHEN: Tuesday May 3, 2016, 12:00 - 12:45 pm

Clinical case consultation available 12:45 to 1:15 pm by request

WHERE: OTN Event # 55414666

Webcast is available for health care providers at:

http://webcast.otn.ca/mywebcast?id=55414666 (User name: cmhawwd / password: cmhawwd123 - Microsoft Silverlight is required for webcast) Contact darmstrong@cmhawwd.ca for further information.

WHO: Addiction counsellors/ addiction outreach workers - IGSW's

SGS - Social workers/hospital & community - GEM nurses, NP -

BSO - PRC's - Care Coordinators Family Physicians



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