OTN Geriatric Addiction Rounds Substance Use and Falls in Older Adults

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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 relate the involvement of substances (Alcohol) in injury from falls. To discuss medication that can impact falls risk such as medication for sleep or anxiety.

To understand the factors related to falls in substance use disorders for older adults using case based learning.

The Geriatric Addiction Rounds are accredited for Mainpro+ credits of 1.5 credits per session. Please contact mwhitecampbell@cmhawwd.ca or darmstrong@cmhawwd.ca for confirmation of credits or a certificate of attendance



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WHEN: November 1, 2016, 11:45am-1:15pm OTN Event # 61016862

Roll call & housekeeping 11:45h Education session 12:00 to 13:30h, including case based learning.

WHERE: Webcast is available at: http://webcast.otn.ca/mywebcast?id=61016862 (User name: cmhawwd / password: cmhawwd123 - Microsoft Silverlight is required)

WHO: Addiction counsellors/ addiction outreach workers - IGSW's - SGS - Social workers/ hospital & community - GEM nurses, NP - BSO - PRC's - Care Coordinators, Family Physicians

