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HOW WILL MEDICAL CANNABIS IMPACT MY PRACTICE? (WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW?)

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This program is designed as an overview of the Alabama Medical Cannabis regulations. Best practices for practitioners who see patients receiving medical cannabis will be reviewed. A case activity will review the decision-making for complex patients. This webinar is part of our 5-part LIVE @ LUNCH Webinar Subscription series subscription for \$100. Each individual course can be purchased separately for \$25.

Following registration, participants will have access to course instructions, updates, presentations, webinar link, program evaluation, CE certificates and credits, etc. **This program is approved for 1.0 ACPE Contact Hours, .01 CEUs.** Once credit is awarded, transcripts will be available online within 24 hours on the learner's CPE Monitor profile at <http://nabp.pharmacy/>. **This program is also approved by the ABN and ABSWE.**

The Office of Alumni and Professional Affairs strongly encourages each participant to check their profile online within 60 days of attendance to ensure credit has been awarded properly. ACPE will not accept CE submissions after 60 days from the live seminar date.

Karen F. Marlowe serves as the Director of the Auburn University Harrison College of Pharmacy Center for Opioid Research, Education, and Outreach (COACH). COACH is partnering with the Office of Alumni and Professional Affairs to host a Live@ Lunch opportunity, How will Medical Cannabis Impact my Practice? (What do I need to Know?). Recognizing a need and opportunity to serve our local communities and the state of Alabama COACH was established in 2019. COACH brings a holistic response to a complex and multifaceted problem by addressing the health and well-being of those affected by opioids and substance use disorders through innovative research, educational programs, and meaningful outreach efforts. For more information about COACH, please visit auburncoach.org.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This knowledge-based program is intended for Pharmacists (ACPE), Nurses (ABN), Social Workers (ABSWE).

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To briefly review the pharmacology of cannabinoids
- To provide an overview of the Alabama Medical Cannabis Rules
- To discuss best practices for health care providers who are caring for patients taking Medical Cannabis
- To discuss current clinical guidelines related to the use of Medical Cannabis
- To outline monitoring for safety and efficacy for the use of medical cannabis

ACTIVITY COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

To complete the steps for CE credit, each attendee will be required to access and review program materials located within the online course, attend the live Zoom webinar, enter the attendance code within the course that was provided at the conclusion of the program, complete the program evaluation within the online course, and claim credit within the course. Please contact hsopce@auburn.edu if you have any questions or needs related to this online CE program.

FACULTY DISCLOSURES

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Faculty disclosures will also be included on an introductory slide during the presentation. Dr. Marlowe has no actual or potential conflict of interest in relation to this program.

ACCREDITATION INFORMATION



The Auburn University Harrison School of Pharmacy is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider for continuing pharmacy education; credits are recognized nationwide. The Universal Activity Number for this knowledge-based program is **0001-9999-23-008-L01-P** and is intended for pharmacists.

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Auburn University Harrison School of Pharmacy is a Board-approved provider of continuing education for social workers by the Alabama Board of Social Work Examiners. Provider Number:0643.

PROGRAM FACULTY

Karen F. Marlowe is the Associate Dean for Academic Programs and Davis Professor in the Department of Pharmacy Practice. After serving as the Assistant Dean for the Mobile Campus since its inception in 2007, she was selected for the Associate Dean for Academic Programs role beginning July 1, 2022.

Marlowe joined the Harrison College of Pharmacy faculty in the Department of Pharmacy Practice in 2000. Since 2007, she has served as associate department head and assistant dean of the Mobile Campus.

As associate dean for academic programs, Marlowe oversees a broad portfolio that includes recruiting and admissions, student services, curricular planning, academic policies and procedures, student organizations, budgeting and personnel management, among other areas. In addition, she serves as a member of the college's senior leadership team and advise the dean in all aspects of the day-to-day management of the college.

Marlowe is a 1993 graduate of Auburn, earning a Bachelor of Science in pharmacy. She remained at the Harrison College of Pharmacy and completed her Doctor of Pharmacy in 1995. She completed her pharmacy practice residency at Egleston Children's Hospital, now Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. After completing her residency Marlowe initiated a practice in the cardiac intensive care and cardiopulmonary transplant units at Egleston, serving as a pharmacotherapy specialist in pediatric, neonatal, and cardiac intensive care until 2000.

Initially coming to HCOP as an assistant professor, she was promoted to associate professor with tenure in 2006 and was named Davis Professor in 2015. She was promoted to associate department head and assistant dean of the Mobile campus in 2007. Since 2019, Marlowe has also served as the founding director of the Auburn University Center for Opioid Research, Education, and Outreach.

Dr. Marlowe has been engaged in the design of the HCOP Practice Ready Curriculum. She teaches in the HCOP curriculum for all three years as well as offering two electives focused on end-of-life and pain management.

As a practitioner, she has served as an adjunct faculty member in the University of South Alabama College of Medicine's Department of Internal Medicine since 2000. She is board certified in pharmacotherapy by the Board of Pharmaceutical Specialties and is credentialed in pain management by the American Academy of Pain Management. She is a certified pain educator and provides care for inpatient internal medicine patients, and maintains a consulting service and patient advocacy program for patients with chronic pain or terminal illness.

Her areas of scholarship and research include pain management, ethics and professionalism related to pain management, patient attitudes and success of pain management strategies, patient acceptance of non-medicinal strategies for pain management in combination with their medication, current state of medical education related to pain management and pharmacokinetics.

Professionally, she is a member of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy, the American College of Clinical Pharmacy, and the Alabama Pharmacy association. She has also served as an accreditation site visitor for the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education.

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