



# VCU Advanced Practice Provider Pharmacology Symposium

April 18, 2020

The Westin Richmond Hotel  
6631 West Broad Street | Richmond, Virginia  
Presented by VCU Health and VCU Health Continuing Education



# Schedule

A.M.

7:00 **Check-in and Registration with Breakfast and Exhibitors**

7:45 **Welcome and Announcements**

8:00 **The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly: What's New with Immunotherapy**  
Amanda Fegley, PharmD

9:00 **Opioids**  
Kathryn Walker, PharmD

10:00 **Refreshment Break with Exhibits**

10:30 **Dermatology Updates**  
Suzanne West, FNP

11:30 **Lunch with Exhibits**

P.M.

12:30 **Breakout Session 1**  
**1. Pharmacotherapy Considerations in CKD**  
Rachel Flurrie, PharmD

**2. Pediatric Asthma**  
Sean McKenna, MD

1:30 **Breakout Session 2**  
**1. NOACs**  
Stacey Dean, PharmD

**2. Using MEC and Myth Busters for Contraceptive Guidance**  
Frances Casey, MD

2:30 **Refreshment Break with Exhibits**

2:50 **ADHD: Not Just for Kids Anymore**  
Sandra Mullen, PharmD

3:50 **Closing Remarks**

4:00 **Adjourn**

## Course description

Join us at this year's Advanced Practice Provider Pharmacology Symposium for a day filled with insights on current pharmacology issues facing APPs today. Regional experts will share recent advances in pharmacology such as immunotherapy, psychiatry treatment of ADHD, dermatology, chronic kidney disorder, asthma, contraceptives, oral anticoagulants, and opioids. You also will be able to network with fellow healthcare providers and share information and experience in providing pharmacotherapeutic treatment to your patients

## Target audience

This activity is designed for clinical nurse specialists, nurse anesthetists, nurse midwives, nurse practitioners, physicians and physician assistants.

## Course objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, learners will be able to:

- Recognize basic principles of immunology, both innate and adaptive, especially learn about the principles of T-cell biology and understand the function of different phenotypes of the cells.
- Develop an understanding of evidence-based pharmacological and non-pharmacological treatment interventions for patients with ADHD.
- Develop an understanding of the gaps in the evidence base for asthma therapeutics in children.
- Formulate an evidence-based treatment plan for managing the most common medical problems in patients with chronic kidney disease (CKD).
- Compare and contrast the mechanisms of different contraceptives.
- Describe evidence-based strategies for ensuring the safe use of non-warfarin oral anticoagulants.
- Consider evidence-based opioid and non-opioid options for the treatment of pain.
- Apply best practices to manage the treatment of patients with various skin disorders.

**Register Online**

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### By April 3

**\$300** Physicians

**\$130** Nurses and advanced practice providers

### After April 3

**\$325** Physicians

**\$155** Nurses and advanced practice providers

There will be an additional \$25.00 fee for on-site registration.

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## Conference location

### Westin Richmond Hotel

6631 W. Broad Street  
Richmond, VA 23230

Complimentary parking available.

## Accommodations

### Rate

\$145.00/night (plus taxes and fees) for single or double occupancy.

### Book by phone

Call 1-888-627-7786 and reference the "2020 VCU Pharmacology Conference" block.

Deadline for receiving the guest room block is March 27, 2020. This rate may not be available after this date.

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