

# OPIOID MANAGEMENT SYLLABUS & OBJECTIVES

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- A. Opioid Overview
  - a. Scope of Problem and concise CDC recommendation review
  - b. Basic Pharmacology review
  - c. Indications
  - d. Patient Selection
  - e. Making rational Opioid choices
    - i. Immediate vs. long-acting (advantages / pearls)
    - ii. Discussion of novel opioid pharmacokinetics
      - 1. Buprenorphine & Methadone
  - f. Appropriate Use Recommendations, and discussion of how best to establish best practice principles in the clinic