One of the challenges of Medication-assisted Treatment (MAT) is that clients and counselors often focus on the medication and lose the balance of full recovery. This workshop will focus on how to use the evidence-based practices of motivational interviewing, Interactive Journaling®, cognitive behavioral treatment and the transtheoretical model of behavior change to broaden substance use disorder treatment beyond the “bio” (as in biopsychosocial) administration of the medication. It will help providers collaborate with clients to individualize substance use treatment based on the ASAM Criteria’s multidimensional assessment and develop person-centered services that hold clients accountable and attract them to recovery.

Upon completion of this activity, participants will be able to:

- Review the biopsychosocial framework of addiction, with an emphasis on psychosocial aspects
- Discuss the influence of social and environmental factors on addiction and recovery
- Describe the biology and psychology of addiction and evidence-based supports for recovery
- Identify the role of medication in the biopsychosocial framework of addiction
- Practice strategies for including evidence-based interventions and collaboration to support effective treatment and recovery

Program Fee: $15.00 (no late fee or registration deadline)

**Description**

**Audience**

Physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurses, mental health professionals (including substance abuse counselors, social workers, psychologists, marriage and family therapists, school counselors, etc.) and other professionals interested in this subject.

**Objectives**

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**Other Programs Funded by NC DHHS**

- The ASAM Criteria Overview One-Day Workshop
  - View program brochure
- The ASAM Criteria Skill Building Two-Day Training
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### FACULTY

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### CREDITS

**NBCC:** An application has been submitted to NBCC for co-sponsorship credit approval. Full attendance is required to receive credit.

#### Credits

**Continuing Medical Education**

**Accreditation:** This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the North Carolina Medical Society (NCMS) through the joint providership of MAHEC and the NC Department of Health and Human Services Division of MH/DD/SAS. MAHEC is accredited by the NCMS to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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**6.5 CNE Contact Hours**

This continuing education activity was approved by MAHEC, an approved provider by the North Carolina Nurses Association (an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation). Participants must attend 80% of the activity to receive credit.

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