

## Health Workforce Initiative Webinar of the Month: October 2020

This webinar is provided to you by Health Workforce Initiative. It includes ANCC contact hours.

**REMINDER:** To access the webinar, you must log-in to your NurseTim.com account

### **Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Update: Pharmacology Focus**

Webinar Link: [Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Update: Pharmacology Focus](#)

This webinar will explore current management and treatment guidelines for Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD). COPD is a group of progressive lung diseases, with emphysema and chronic bronchitis the most common. An estimated 30 million U.S. patients have COPD. Pharmacologic management of COPD can ease symptoms, prevent complications, and generally slow disease progression, reducing exacerbations. The recommended pharmacotherapy drug classes for COPD treatment will be presented, utilizing a case-based approach.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- Explore the evidence-base for current Chronic Obstructive Lung Pulmonary Disease (COPD) treatment and management guidelines.
- Discuss the pharmacologic drug classes recommended when treating COPD in adults.
- Apply a stepped approach to COPD treatment, utilizing the recommended pharmacotherapeutics.

**PRESENTER: Susan J. Kimble DNP, RN, ANP-BC, FAANP** | Dr. Susan Kimble is an Associate Research Professor and former MSN and DNP program director at UMKC. In addition to teaching in a variety of the MSN and DNP courses, Dr. Kimble advises DNP student projects, was responsible for graduate curriculum development, review and revisions, and was lead faculty in the development of the DNP program, the first in the State of Missouri. Susan maintains an active internal medicine practice as an APRN. Kimble's research focus includes healthy lifestyles programs, guiding health promotion and risk reduction of cardiovascular disease and diabetes, taking place in several urban and rural community sites with underserved patients. Dr. Kimble has been the program director of several HRSA funded advance practice projects 2012 to present. These projects have focused on training interprofessional clinical practice student groups (IPCP) on improving health outcomes in underserved urban and rural populations. One project focused on educating IPCP student groups regarding...

#### **Submit a Virtual Abstract**

Submit a virtual abstract to NurseTim<sup>®</sup> to be shared with faculty and nurses around the nation. If your abstract is selected, you will be interviewed by our team about your topic and we'll develop a 6-8 minute recording that will be cataloged on the NurseTim<sup>®</sup> website for sharing with our community of 20,000+. You will need a highspeed internet connection and a phone connection with good audio. All recordings become property of NurseTim<sup>®</sup>, Inc. with no limitations on usage. When you submit a virtual abstract, you retain full rights to the content and simultaneously give NurseTim<sup>®</sup>, Inc., affiliates, and clients full-unlimited rights to the content. All recordings become property of NurseTim<sup>®</sup>, Inc. with no limitations on usage. There is no compensation for the abstract or recording. By submitting an abstract, you attest that all the content is fully yours and you have not violated copyright or trademark laws in anyway.

To submit a virtual abstract, please email it to [workshops@nursetim.com](mailto:workshops@nursetim.com)