ASAM Virtual.2021: Coming to a Computer Near You!

Variety of offerings including 70+ concurrent sessions, 100+ posters, and three pre-conference courses

Inspiring, thought-provoking plenaries with nationally-respected experts to kick off each day

Revamped session formats for maximum audience engagement and interaction

Timely topics like treating addiction during COVID-19 and overcoming health disparities

Unique virtual networking opportunities to foster laughs and connections with colleagues

Active virtual poster hall with innovative research and live author interactions

Lots of helpful resources for your practice, patients, and communities!

ASAM has been awarded the highest level of Accreditation with Commendation by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) as a provider of continuing medical education (CME) for physicians.
Don't miss the nation's largest and premier conference on addiction medicine—going virtual once again! For the second year in row, ASAM is offering 80+ hours of CME/CE/MOC through two-and-a-half days of high-quality education, innovative topics, sessions, posters and supplemental virtual courses in a completely online platform. Newly-revamped and interactive pre-conference courses will be offered prior to ASAM Virtual.2021 to include the virtual-live Fundamentals and Motivational Interviewing Workshops and ever-popular Pain & Addiction Common Threads Course.

Each day of ASAM Virtual.2021 kicks off with an inspiring, thought-provoking plenary session followed by seven concurrent sessions offered consecutively throughout the day. A revamped virtual learning platform promises maximum audience engagement, interaction with experts and creative opportunities for fun and networking. In between sessions, stop by the Virtual Poster Hall, featuring audio narration and live-chat Q&A with poster authors, or check out the Virtual Exhibit Hall.

Learning Objectives

At the end of the virtual conference, participants should be able to:

- Identify and describe the new developments affecting the science, policy, and clinical practice of addiction medicine.
- Compare presented clinical guidelines/best practices with the participant’s current practice and identify strengths or gaps.
- Analyze new research and science to develop practical applications for treatment or further research.
- Explain recent or upcoming policy changes and identify implications or areas for provider involvement.
- Create a network of professionals and a set of resources to support the participant’s practice.

Cooperating Organizations: National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) and National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the International Society of Addiction Medicine (ISAM)
OPENING SCIENTIFIC PLENARY SESSION

Thursday, April 22, 2021 | 10:00 am – 11:30 am ET | Virtual-Live and On-Demand

ASAM Virtual.2021 begins with an energizing Opening Scientific Plenary Session moderated by ASAM President Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM. Distinguished presenters of the opening session will focus on providing cutting-edge science and an inspiring look at heroes on the frontline.

Nora D. Volkow, MD – Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse, National Institutes of Health

Substance Use Disorders and COVID-19: Intertwined epidemics

In addition to the continued growth in the Nation’s opioid epidemic in recent years, there has been an alarming resurgence in stimulant use—including cocaine and methamphetamine. The devastating overdose fatality tolls that these crises have exacted have made finding effective strategies all the more urgent. This, compounded by the further increases in drug use and overdose deaths attributed to the COVID-19 pandemic, is bringing to light some unique social and structural challenges faced by those with substance use disorders.

Gail D’Onofrio, MD, MS, FACEM, FASAM – Albert E. Kent Professor & Chair, Department of Emergency Medicine, Yale University Hospital

R. Brinkley Smithers Distinguished Scientist Award Recipient

ED-initiated Buprenorphine for Opioid Use Disorder: Should it be a choice?

R. Brinkley Smithers Distinguished Scientist Award Recipient Dr. D’Onofrio will discuss innovative solutions for increasing access to medications for opioid use disorder in the frontline emergency department setting. Dr. D’Onofrio will present what we know, and summarize ongoing research that has the potential to change practice and improve the care of patients with opioid use disorder.

Carolyn Jones – Director & Executive Producer, In Case of Emergency

In Case of Emergency: A filmmaker witnesses the opioid crisis

Carolyn Jones—award-winning author, photographer and filmmaker behind The American Nurse Project, Defining Hope and In Case of Emergency—has spent the last ten years documenting the work of nurses in emergency department frontlines across the country. She most recently focused her lens on the emergency room, before and during the COVID-19 pandemic, discovering that emergency nurses all across the country share a deep and pressing concern: the opioid crisis.

OPENING SCIENTIFIC PLENARY SCHEDULE

10:00 am ET Welcome to ASAM Virtual.2021 & the Opening Scientific Plenary
Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM

10:10 am ET Substance Use Disorders & COVID-19: Intertwined epidemics
Nora D. Volkow, MD

10:35 am ET ED-initiated Buprenorphine for Opioid Use Disorder: Should it be a choice?
Gail D’Onofrio, MD, MS, FACEM, FASAM

11:05 am ET In Case of Emergency: A filmmaker witnesses the opioid crisis
Carolyn Jones

11:25 am ET Closing Remarks & Adjourn
Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM

SESSION MODERATOR

Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM
President, American Society of Addiction Medicine
Medical Director, Georgia Professionals Health Program, Inc.
Why Diversity Matters for Addiction Treatment & Prevention

This session features BIG IDEAS that are shaping the future of addiction medicine, and this year is all about diversity and health equity. First, draw inspiration as ASAM President Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM, recognizes award recipients with personalized video clips of these individuals who have made major contributions to the field. ASAM Board Member Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM, will then introduce the Deputy Director of the National Institute of Minority Health and Health Disparities, followed by world-renowned civil rights activist and icon, and moderate an engaging Q&A with these distinguished experts.

BIG IDEAS PLENARY SESSION
Friday, April 23, 2021  |  9:30 am – 11:30 am ET  |  Virtual-Live and On-Demand

Monica Webb Hooper, PhD – Deputy Director, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities, National Institutes of Health

Third Generation Research to Address Health Disparities & Achieve Health Equity in Addictions
Health disparities in addictive behaviors and treatment are longstanding. The field is encouraged to push full speed ahead into third, and ultimately fourth generation, health disparities research—with the goal of achieving health equity. Authentic community-engaged approaches that seek to understand and address social determinants that impact the risk of substance use, including tobacco products, are especially vital in the age of COVID-19. We must ensure that populations disproportionately affected are not further left behind and receive the needed culturally and community competent care.

Camara Phyllis Jones, MD, MPH, PhD – Senior Fellow and Adjunct Associate Professor, Community Health and Preventive Medicine, Morehouse School of Medicine; Adjunct Professor, Rollins School of Public Health, Emory University; Past President, American Public Health Association

Naming Racism & Moving to Action
Dr. Jones will make the case that it is important to name racism, because racism is foundational in our nation's history and yet many people are in staunch denial of its continued existence and profoundly negative impacts on the health and well-being of the nation. She will share allegories and definitions to illustrate four key messages when naming racism: racism exists; racism is a system; racism saps the strength of the whole society; and we can act to dismantle racism.

“I really appreciated being able to participate virtually at ASAM Virtual.2020 and to have the on-demand videos for future reference.”

“It was empowering to see leaders in the field addressing topics relevant to my practice at last year's ASAM Virtual.2020.”
BIG IDEAS PLENARY SCHEDULE

9:30 am ET  Welcome to the Big Ideas Plenary
Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM

9:35 am ET  Acknowledgement of Award Recipients
ASAM Media Awards – Claudia Black, MSW, PhD and Navdeep Kang, PsyD, CGP
ASAM Annual Award – Martha J. Wunsch, MD, FAAP, DFASAM
ASAM Educator of the Year Award – Richard Saitz, MD, MPH, FACP, DFASAM
John P. McGovern Award – Margaret A. Jarvis, MD, DFASAM

10:05 am ET  Big Ideas: Why Diversity Matters for Addiction Treatment & Prevention
Introduction of Distinguished Presentations
Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM

10:15 am ET  Third Generation Research to Address Health Disparities & Achieve Health Equity in Addictions
Monica Webb Hooper, PhD

10:30 am ET  Naming Racism & Moving to Action
Camara Phyllis Jones, MD, MPH, PhD

11:05 am ET  Q&A with Distinguished Presenters
Moderated by Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM

11:25 am ET  Closing Remarks
Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM

11:30 am ET  Adjourn
Paul H. Earley, MD, DFASAM

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President, American Society of Addiction Medicine
Medical Director, Georgia Professionals Health Program, Inc.

Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM
Board Member, American Society of Addiction Medicine
Director of Addiction Medicine, Los Angeles County Department of Health Services

“Several of the sessions at ASAM Virtual.2020 last year excited me to take action!”
Advancing Racial Justice & Structural Competency in Addiction Medicine

This plenary session, moderated by ASAM Board Member, Anika Alvanzo, MD, MS, FACP, DFASAM, will feature addiction and policy experts who will explore how racism influences addiction prevalence, access to evidence-based treatment, treatment outcomes, research and drug policies, with a specific focus on Black Americans. Speakers also will provide guidance on how healthcare professionals who treat addiction can identify racism and promote structural competency in their practices and beyond. These talks will be followed by a panel discussion on how racism affects addiction treatment practices and people who use drugs, and steps that panelists have taken to promote structural competency as part of patient care and advocacy.

POLICY & SCIENCE PLENARY SESSION
Saturday, April 24, 2021    |    10:00 am – 11:30 am ET    |    Virtual-Live and On-Demand

Edwin C. Chapman, MD, FASAM – Internal Medicine and Addiction Medicine Specialist, Howard University Hospital
Dr. Chapman has practiced in Washington, DC for over 40 years specializing in Internal Medicine and Addiction Medicine. He will present information on how racism influences addiction prevalence, access to evidence-based treatment, treatment outcomes, and research.

Helena Hansen, MD, PhD – Professor and Chair, Research Theme in Translational Social Science and Health Equity, David Geffen School of Medicine, UCLA
Dr. Hansen recently co-authored a book titled “Structural Competency in Mental Health and Medicine: A Case-Based Approach to Treating the Social Determinants of Health.” Dr. Hansen will provide a high-level, conceptual overview of structural competency and provide guidance on how healthcare professionals who treat addiction can adopt a structural competency framework and apply it to practice.

Tracie Gardner – Vice President, Policy Advocacy, Legal Action Center
Tracie Gardner has worked more than 30 years in the public health, public policy, and not-for-profit fields as a policy advocate, trainer, and lobbyist. To better inform healthcare professionals who treat addiction, Ms. Gardner will speak about the impact of racism on people of color who use drugs from the perspective of a seasoned policy professional and a Black woman in recovery.

POLICY & SCIENCE PLENARY SCHEDULE
10:00 am ET Welcome to the Policy & Science Plenary
Anika Alvanzo, MD, MS, FACP, DFASAM

10:10 am ET Acknowledgment of Public Policy Award Recipients
The Honorable Lori Trahan (D-MA) and the Honorable David McKinley (R- WV)

10:20 am ET Distinguished Presentations
Edwin C. Chapman, MD, FASAM
Helena Hansen, MD, PhD
Tracie Gardner

11:05 am ET Panel Discussion with Distinguished Presenters
Moderated by Anika Alvanzo, MD, MS, FACP, DFASAM

11:30 am ET Closing Remarks & Adjourn
Anika Alvanzo, MD, MS, FACP, DFASAM

SESSION MODERATOR
Anika Alvanzo, MD, MS, FACP, DFASAM
Board Member, American Society of Addiction Medicine
Eastern Region Medical Director, Pyramid Healthcare
Motivational Interviewing (MI) is one technique that treatment clinicians can utilize to help patients make positive changes. Participants of this workshop will be introduced or reintroduced to the key concepts and skills of MI and explore ways to effectively integrate MI into addiction treatment to help promote positive patient outcomes.

**SCHEDULE**

9:45 am ET  |  Technology Overview  
Sign on early to learn how to get the most out of the virtual workshop!

10:00 am ET  |  Welcome & Workshop Overview  
All Faculty

10:05 am ET  |  Capturing the Spirit: An Introduction to MI  
Jeffrey J. DeVido, MD, MTS, FASAM  
Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM  
Carla Marienfeld, MD, FAPA, FASAM

10:50 am ET  |  Building the Foundation: The Four Processes  
Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM  
Carla Marienfeld, MD, FAPA, FASAM  
Caridad Ponce-Martinez, MD

11:45 AM ET  |  30-Minute Break

12:15 pm ET  |  It's All about Change Talk  
Jeffrey J. DeVido, MD, MTS, FASAM  
Carla Marienfeld, MD, FAPA, FASAM  
Caridad Ponce-Martinez, MD

1:45 pm ET  |  Applying Skills: Using OARS, Informing, & Advising  
All Faculty

3:45 pm ET  |  15-Minute Break

4:00 pm ET  |  It's Your Journey: Learning MI, Overcoming Barriers, & Creating a Practice Implementation Plan  
Jeffrey J. DeVido, MD, MTS, FASAM  
Carla Marienfeld, MD, FAPA, FASAM  
Caridad Ponce-Martinez, MD

5:15 pm ET  |  Workshop Wrap-Up & Final Questions  
All Faculty

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**MI SKILL BUILDING LABS**

The MI Skill Building Labs (1 CME/ea.) are an innovative virtual opportunity that allow attendees to continue enhancing clinical skills in MI through a series of four small group interactive sessions following participation in The ASAM Virtual Motivational Interviewing Workshop.

Practice MI principles and techniques with faculty supervision in topic areas that include, but are not limited to, practicing reflective listening, reflections, managing discord, being able to identify when to use MI and much more to incorporate into your practice setting.

**MI Skill Building Lab #1**  
April 26, 2021 | 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm ET

**MI Skill Building Lab #2**  
May 3, 2021 | 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm ET

**MI Skill Building Lab #3**  
May 10, 2021 | 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm ET

**MI Skill Building Lab #4**  
May 17, 2021 | 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm ET

*This opportunity is limited to 100 participants only and you must have completed ASAM’s Virtual Motivational Interviewing Workshop. It is highly recommended to attend the series in its entirety.*
Pre-Conference Workshop
Save 15% when you bundle and sign up for two or more!

This virtual-live workshop is designed to be energetic and interactive. Attendees will work through session activities and cases presented by faculty in engaging virtual formats. Sessions throughout the day will include approximately equal parts lecture, demonstration of skills and skill building.

SCHEDULE

9:45 am ET  Technology Overview
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9:55 am ET  Welcome & Workshop Overview
Miriam Komaromy, MD, FACP, DFASAM

10:00 am ET  Session 1: An Introduction to Addictive Disorders
Peter Selby, MBBS, CCFP, FCFP, DFASAM

10:45 am ET  Session 2: The Clinical Manifestations of the Neurobiology of Addiction
Elizabeth M. Salisbury-Afshar, MD, MPH, FAAFP, FACPM, DFASAM

11:20 am ET  Session 3: Identifying Unhealthy Substance Use: Assessment
Abby S. Letcher, MD

12:15 pm ET  30-Minute Break

12:45 pm ET  Session 4: For Every Ill, There May Be a Pill: Treating Substance Use Disorders with Medication & Counseling
Angela L. Colistra, PhD, LPC, CAADC
Miriam Komaromy, MD, FACP, DFASAM

2:45 pm ET  15-Minute Break

3:00 pm ET  Session 5: Should I Open Pandora’s Box? Screening, Brief Intervention, & Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
J. Paul Seale, MD

5:00 pm ET  15-Minute Break

5:15 pm ET  Session 6: When Your Patient Says Yes, But! A “Taste” of Motivational Interviewing
Angela L. Colistra, PhD, LPC, CAADC
Peter Selby, MBBS, CCFP, FCFP, DFASAM

6:50 pm ET  Workshop Wrap-Up & Final Questions
Miriam Komaromy, MD, FACP, DFASAM

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Additional Members of the ASAM Fundamentals of Addiction Medicine Program Planning Committee Include: Jill Mattingly, DHSc, MMSc, PA-C; Kirk D. Moberg, MD, PhD, DFASAM; Lipi Roy, MD, MPH, FASAM

All the cases presented were excellent! Real clinicians discussing real-world challenges—that’s what we need from ASAM! “
Pre-Conference Course

Save 15% when you bundle and sign up for two or more!

The ASAM Pain & Addiction: Common Threads Course theme this year is *Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Pain and Addiction*. This advanced course is designed to increase learners’ understanding of complex topics and improve treatment of patients who fall somewhere in the gray area around pain and addiction. Participants will learn new research developments affecting treatment and how to integrate these techniques into their own practices. This year’s course will utilize a dynamic mix of teaching methods to engage a virtual audience. Audience Engagement Sessions will include a panel discussion of audience questions and cases moderated by Denise Josey, MD, MPH, MS; Harithsa S. Asuri, MD; and William S. Jacobs, MD, FASAM.

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Multiplayer Mode: Networking Opportunities at ASAM Virtual.2021

Live-Chat Q&A in the Virtual Poster Hall
Learn about advances and innovations in addiction medicine by checking out the Virtual Poster Hall with audio narration and live-chat Q&A with poster authors.

Explore the Virtual Exhibit Hall
Navigate this new virtual exhibit world with robust company booths, fun giveaways and one-on-one video chats. The virtual exhibit hall will be open 24/7 throughout the duration of the event with additional designated viewing times.

S.T.I.R (Socialize, Talk, Interact, Remember) It Up!
Level-up your networking game! Join this fun guided conversation game to make new friends in a flash. Participants will be randomly paired for brief one-on-one conversations to make meaningful connections with colleagues.

ASAM Comedy Hour
Laughter is the best medicine, so end your day of learning with a hearty dose of laughs! Participate in an interactive improv show presented by legendary comedy force, Second City. Attendees will be able to engage with the comedians to make this a truly one-of-a-kind show.

Breakfast Club
Reboot your system! Grab a cup of coffee and a quick "byte", then stop by this virtual ballroom to chat with colleagues. Attendees will select a virtual table based on their interests and have a small group conversation to start their day.

New Member & First Time Attendee Reception
Meet and greet with fellow first timers to reflect on your virtual experience. Learn more about ASAM opportunities and how to make the most of your membership.

ASAM's Conference Buddy Program
(Sign-up by Monday, March 29, 2021)
Build a professional relationship that will last throughout your career. Virtual buddies will be paired in advance of ASAM Virtual.2021, and a buddies-only virtual meeting space will be available during the two-and-a-half day virtual-live conference so you can continue to connect one-on-one throughout the event.

Online Program & Schedule
Available online now! Browse sessions and create a game plan. The most up-to-date schedule and session information can be found at www.TheASAMAnnualConference.org

ASAM e-Learning Center
Login to the e-Learning Center (eLearning.ASAM.org) before Friday, April 16, 2021, to make the post-conference credit claiming process go smoothly. Registrants will have access to all session recordings 30 days after the virtual conference for the next three years.

#PostoftheDay
Stay connected with us on social media during ASAM Virtual.2021! Use #ASAM2021 on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram to win “Post of the Day” and have your post featured on ASAM’s social media pages.

Virtual Help Desk
ASAM Membership, Education, Advocacy and Quality & Science staff will be available to answer questions you may have about ASAM programs.

Networking Schedule

**Thursday, April 22, 2021**
9:00 am – 6:00 pm ET Virtual Help Desk Open
12:45 pm – 2:00 pm ET Live-Chat Q&A in the Virtual Poster Hall or Explore the Virtual Exhibit Hall
5:30 pm – 6:00 pm ET Explore the Virtual Exhibit Hall or S.T.I.R. It Up!
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Build Your Own Experience
Use the guide on this page to customize your educational experience and get the most out of ASAM Virtual.2021.

Session Types

**Blended Sessions**
Provides a pre-session on-demand activity followed by a highly interactive live session.

**Collaborative Sessions**
Developed in collaboration with an invited partner organization.

**Focus Sessions**
Provides an in-depth look at a specific scientific or clinical topic.

**Plenary Sessions**
Offers unparalleled access to national leaders.

**Poster Sessions**
Features virtual posters and live text-based chats with researchers.

**Workshop Session**
Uses highly interactive learning formats.

Session Icons
The icons below correspond with the addiction medicine core competencies and were self-identified by session presenters during the abstract submission process. Attendees can select sessions based on their addiction medicine competency needs.

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Session Experience Levels

**Introductory** – appropriate for learners with limited knowledge or clinical experience on this topic

**Intermediate** – appropriate for learners with some knowledge and clinical experience on this topic

**Advanced** – appropriate for learners with extensive knowledge and clinical experience on this topic

“"At ASAM Virtual.2020, speakers were absolutely exceptional in presenting broad, pertinent, and clinically relevant data.""
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<td>Clinical Considerations for Sexuality Issues in Substance Use Disorder Recovery – Focus</td>
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<td>Integrating Hepatitis C Treatment Into Routine Treatment of Substance Use Disorders – Focus</td>
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<td>Assessments Matter: Improving Patient Experience, Placement, and Outcomes</td>
<td>Tami L. Mark, PhD; Howard Padwa, PhD; Katherine Treiman, PhD</td>
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<td>Continue the Conversation with Dr. Jones: Why Diversity Matters in Addiction Medicine, Moderated by Dr. Hurley</td>
<td>Camara Phyllis Jones, MD, MPH, PhD</td>
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<td>Bridget Foley, DO; Sarah Wakeman, MD, FASAM; Jay Luther, MD</td>
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<td>Innovation in Action: Using EMS Infrastructure for Paramedic Deployed Buprenorphine</td>
<td>Kaitlan Baston, MD, MSc DFASAM; Rachel Haroz, MD; Gerard Carroll, MD; Jacques Michot, EMTP</td>
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<td>Reaching Our Most Vulnerable Patients with MAT through Long Acting Injectables</td>
<td>Arianna D. Sampson, PA-C; Andrew Herring, MD; Loni Jay, MD; Monish Ullal, MD</td>
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<td>Lee Radosh, MD, FAAFP</td>
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<td>Updates to Models of Care for Substance Use-Associated Infectious Diseases During COVID-19</td>
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<td>Annual Review of Addiction Medicine: Highest Impact Publications from 2020-2021</td>
<td>Joshua D. Lee, MD, MSc; Sarah Wakeman, MD, FASAM</td>
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<td>Best Practices in Managing Patients with Kratom Addiction</td>
<td>Cornel Stanciu, MD, MRO, FASAM, FAPA; Thomas Penders, MS, MD</td>
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<td>Expanding Access to MOUD in Corrections: Reducing Risk and Saving Lives</td>
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<td>Lessons Learned from Buprenorphine Telehealth During COVID-19: A Guide for Providers</td>
<td>Rachel S. Wightman, MD; Michael J. Lynch, MD; Erin A. Zerbo, MD, FASAM; Hannah Snyder, MD; Jessica L. Taylor, MD</td>
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<td>Peer Coaching During and After the Pandemic: Using Technology to Overcome Barriers</td>
<td>Ginger Ross, CRSW, NCPRSS; Kara Nelson; Ronny Brown; Justin Shumacher</td>
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<td>Team-Based Management of Opioid Misuse Across the Care Continuum</td>
<td>Nicole M. Acquisto, PharmD, FCCP, BCCCP; Alyssa M. Peckham, PharmD, BCPP; Sarah T. Melton, PharmD, BCPP, BCACP, FASCP</td>
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<td>Alexis LaPietsra, DO</td>
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<td>Excited Delirium: The Controversy in the Care of the Acutely Agitated Patient</td>
<td>Evan S. Schwarz, MD; Lewis S. Nelson, MD, FASAM; JoAn Laes, MD; Timothy J. Wiegand, MD, FACMT, FAACT, DFASAM</td>
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<td>Deidra Y. Roach, MD; Sandra A. Brown, PhD; John Ngai, PhD</td>
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<td>Marc Fishman, MD, DFASAM</td>
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<td>Using Mobile Services to Increase Access to Medications for Addiction Treatment – Focus</td>
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<td>ATLAS®: Using Data to Measure and Improve Addiction Treatment Quality – Focus</td>
<td>Julie H. Seibert, PhD, MPH, MA; Shannon Biello, MPH; Channah VanRegenmorter, MSW, PMP</td>
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<td>Amy Yule, MD; Sarah Bagley, MD; Miriam Komaromy, MD, FACP, DFASAM</td>
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<td>Precipitated Opioid Withdrawal: When, Where and What to do Next – Focus</td>
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<td>Public Safety Response to Intoxication and Agitation: Clinical and Justice Perspectives – Blended</td>
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<td>Methamphetamine-Induced Psychosis: New Treatments for a Hidden, Deadly Epidemic – Focus</td>
<td>Scott Simpson, MD, MPH; Dayan Colon Sanchez, MD; Aaron M; Chelsea Wolf, MD; Sarah G.</td>
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<td>Telemedicine for Opioid Use Disorder Treatment in the Age of COVID-19 – Blended</td>
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**The Practice Pathway: Unlock Your Potential for a Successful Certification Application** – Focus  
Lia Bennett, MPH; Cara A. Poland, MD, MEd, DFASAM; Candace Heeringa

**The Road Ahead: Mapping out Your Addiction Medicine Career** – Focus  
Dean Drosnes, MD, FASAM; Joseph Garbely, DO, DFASAM

**Tricks of the Trade—Complex Buprenorphine Inductions** – Workshop  
Rachel Haroz, MD; JoAn Laes, MD; Timothy J. Wiegand, MD, FACMT, FAACT, DFASAM; Lewis S. Nelson, MD, FASAM

**Using Measurement-Based Care and Quality Improvement in Addiction Medicine** – Focus  
Robert P. Schwartz, MD; Diana Clarke, PhD; Brian Hurley, MD, MBA, DFASAM; Arjun Venkatesh, MD, MBA, MHS

#### 12:45 pm – 1:00 pm ET  
15-Minute Break

#### 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm ET

**Cannabis 2020: New Findings, ASAM’S New Policy Statement and New Approaches** – Focus  
Norman W. Wetterau, MD, FAAFP, DFASAM; Jeffery N. Wilkins, MD, DFAPA, DFASAM; David Smith, MD, FAFACT, DFASAM; Aleksandra E. Zgierska, MD, PhD, DFASAM

**Caring for Opioid-Exposed Dyads: Child Welfare, Breastfeeding Policies and Zero Separation** – Blended  
Vania Rudolf, MD, MPH, DFASAM; Davida Schiff, MD, MSc; Mishka Terplan, MD, MPH, DFASAM

**Integrating Infectious Disease in OUD Care: A Tale of Two Settings** – Workshop  
Sarah Kattakuzhy, MD; Aaron D. Greenblatt, MD; David Sternberg; Elana S. Rosenthal, MD

**Peer-based Recovery Support Services: Predictors of Improvements in Recovery Capital** – Focus  
Robert D. Ashford, PhD, MSW; Jennifer S. Potter, PhD, MPH

**Psychoactive Substances Update: Kratom, Cannabinoids, Fentanyl & More** – Focus  
Michael F. Weaver, MD, DFASAM; John A. Hopper, MD, DFASAM

**Treating SUD in the Time of COVID-19** – Focus  
Robert C. Sherrick, MD; Valerie O’Connell, CQA; Michael C. White, MCJ; Aaron Ferguson, BSW

**Urine Drug Monitoring: Access and Accountability** – Blended  
Alaina R. Steck, MD; Rachel Haroz, MD; Lewis S. Nelson, MD, FASAM; JoAn Laes, MD

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**Closing of ASAM Virtual.2021! See you at The ASAM 53rd Annual Conference next March 31 - April 3, 2022!**
Congratulations to ASAM’s award recipients! Be inspired by these outstanding leaders in addiction medicine as they receive recognition at the sessions indicated below. Additional award recipients will be recognized at the State of the Organization Meeting, throughout the virtual event, and on the ASAM website.

OPENING SCIENTIFIC PLENARY
Thursday, April 22 | 10:00 am - 11:30 am ET

R. Brinkley Smithers Distinguished Scientist Award
Gail D’Onofrio, MD, MS, FACEM, FASAM
To recognize and honor an individual who has made highly meritorious contributions to advancing the scientific understanding of alcoholism, its prevention, and treatment.

BIG IDEAS PLENARY
Friday, April 23 | 9:30 am - 11:30 am ET

John P. McGovern Award
Margaret A. Jarvis, MD, DFASAM
To recognize and honor an individual who has made highly meritorious contributions to public policy, treatment, research, or prevention which has increased our understanding of the relationship of addiction and society.

ASAM Educator of the Year Award
Richard Saitz, MD, MPH, FACP, DFASAM
To recognize one educator who has made outstanding contributions to ASAM’s addiction medicine education.

ASAM Annual Award
Martha J. Wunsch, MD, FAAP, DFASAM
To recognize outstanding contributions to the growth and vitality of our Society, thoughtful leadership in the field, deep understanding of the art and science of addiction medicine, and expanding the frontiers of the field through research and innovation.

NEW MEMBER/FIRST TIME ATTENDEE RECEPTION
Friday, April 23 | 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm ET

ASAM Media Award
Claudia Black, MSW, PhD
To recognize a person or entity that improves the public’s understanding of addiction, addiction treatment, recovery, or the profession of addiction medicine through the use of a media or publication source.

ASAM Media Award
Navdeep Kang, PsyD, HSP, CGP
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Training Directors Award
Jeanette M. Tetrault, MD, FACP, FASAM
To recognize and honor an individual who has demonstrated outstanding training in the evaluation, treatment, research and teaching of substance use disorders.

2021 Presidential Award
Mark R. Publicker, MD, DFASAM
To honor an individual for outstanding dedication and service in addressing addiction issues or promoting education, training or awareness of the specialty of addiction medicine.

“The ASAM Virtual.2020 format allowed those who would be unable to attend the live conference to ‘attend’ and learn. Really well done!”
**NEW MEMBER/FIRST TIME ATTENDEE RECEPTION**
Friday, April 23 | 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm ET

Distinguished Fellows are chosen based upon an outstanding and long sustained demonstration of top-ranking competence in the field of addiction medicine, exceptional professionalism, consummate integrity, demonstrated service, significant contribution, and noted leadership. ASAM is proud to acknowledge the following recipients:

**2021 Distinguished Fellow**
Emily Brunner, MD, DFASAM

**2021 Distinguished Fellow**
Michael Fletcher, MD, DFASAM

**2021 Distinguished Fellow**
Michael P. Frost, MD, FACP, DFASAM

**2021 Distinguished Fellow**
James P. Murphy, MD, DFASAM

**POLICY & SCIENCE PLENARY**
Saturday, April 24 | 10:00 am – 11:30 am ET

The ASAM Public Policy Award recognizes elected officials (federal, state, local) who have effectively advanced public policies that promote the health of Americans, especially persons with addictions; addiction medicine physicians; the education of physicians and medical trainees regarding substance use and addiction; or recognition of the practice of addiction medicine.

**ASAM Public Policy Award**
The Honorable Lori Trahan (D-MA)

**ASAM Public Policy Award**
The Honorable David McKinley (R-WV)

"Presenters at ASAM Virtual.2020 gave up-to-date and practical guidelines with real-life examples that I can implement immediately."

"Great, straight-forward and very informative sessions!"
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A Free Mailed Naloxone Program to Reduce Access Barriers in Philadelphia
Rachel French, BSN, RN; Shoshana V. Aronowitz, PhD, FNP-BC

A Substance Related Diagnosis Impacts Healthcare Service Utilization among Pregnant Women
Natasia S. Courchesne, PhD, MPH

Adverse Childhood Experiences and Efficacy of Substance Use Disorders Treatment
Benjamin J. Borgert, MPH

Assessing Outcomes with Utilization of LADC Consults for Patients Hospitalized with SUD
Amelita Woodruff, MD

Assessing Perceptions of MOUD during COVID-19 in a Black and Homeless population
Nicholas K. Taylor, MD, MSc; Aanushi Saharan, BA

Assessment of Drug Overdose Mortality in Ohio, 2009-2018
Orman T. Hall, DO

Bridging the Gap: Connecting Inpatient Care to Outpatient Prescriptions
Jessica Valdez, BA; Tiffany J. Emery, BA

Buprenorphine Micro-Induction in Pregnancy
Kyle Barbour, MD; Miriam McQuade, MD

Challenges of Treating Designer Benzodiazepine Dependence and Withdrawal: A Case Report
Linda Peng, MD

Changes in Pharmacy are Associated with Disruptions in Buprenorphine Pharmacotherapy
Tyler J. Varisco, PharmD

Characterizing Sleep Disorders in People with Opioid Use Disorder
Jasmine Stevens, BS; Onyinyechi Ogbumbadiugha, MPH

Correlates of Discontinuation of Opioid or Nerve Pain Medications via Medical Cannabis
Douglas Bruce, PhD

COVID-19 Attitudes, Experiences, and Behaviors Among People with OUD
Catherine C. Gannon, BA; Emade Ebah, MPH

COVID-19 Decreases Syringe Service and Treatment Access for People Who Inject Drugs
Dinah P. Applewhite, MD

COVID-19 Response in an Urban Safety Net Treatment Program
Randolph P. Holmes, MD, DFASAM; Tamir Rezk, MD; Peter Lang, DO

Development of an Inpatient Withdrawal Protocol for Patients with Opioid Use Disorder
Ariana N. Abid, MD

Digital Health Intervention to Augment Opioid and Benzodiazepine Prescribing?
Susan L. Calcatera, MD, MPH

Effect of Opioid Tolerance on Re-Admission Rates in Elective Orthopedic Surgery Patients
Luana Hearn, MD; Akpezi Oshobe, MD; Rolius, MD

Emergency Department Initiated Buprenorphine and Referral to Follow-Up Addiction Care
Sarah Wakeman, MD, FASAM

EMPOWER and Engage through Shared Medical Appointments for Perinatal Substance Use
Valerie S. Genetsky, PharmD, MSc; Iris Jones, LPC; LCADC; Kaitlan Baston, MD, MSc, DFASAM

Ethnic Disparities in Care of Opioid Exposed Newborns in Colorado Birthing Hospitals
Blair W. Weikel, MPH

Evaluation of an Emergency Department-Based Buprenorphine Initiation Program
Michael Ince, MD, MScEd

Fulfilling an Unmet Need: Integrating Family Planning into Office-Based Addiction Therapy
Eung-Mi Lee, MD, MBA; Sarah O’Connor, MD

HIV Micro Epidemic in People who Inject Drugs: A Retrospective Cohort Study
Cecilia C. Fix, MD; Christopher Re, MS; Rachel Haroz, MD

Hospital Visits Due to Accidental Ingestion of Marijuana after Recreational Legalization
Alekk L. Scheele, MD

Hospitalization Trends for Alcohol Withdrawal During the Pandemic
Ram A. Sharma, MD; Keshab Subedi, MS

How a Hospital-Wide SUD Initiative Expanded Pharmacotherapy Access
Sarah Wakeman, MD, FASAM

How High Should You Go? Buprenorphine Dosing in the ANCHOR Investigation
Julia D. Mount, BSc; Ashley Davis, MSN, CARN-AP, FNP-C

Impact of a Multidisciplinary Program on Pregnancies Affected by Opioid Use Disorder
Gabrielle Garbade, MD

Impacts of COVID-19 at an Urban, Public Hospital-Based MAT Clinic
Alaina R. Steck, MD

Increasing Knowledge and Capacity for MAT for OUD in Rural Colorado
Kristen Curcija, MPH

Inpatient Opioid Withdrawal Guidelines Improve Management, Not AMA or Readmissions
Jillian Zavadnick, MD; Nicolette Heisinger, BS

Integrating Addiction Education into Nurse Practitioner (NP) Training Programs
Marian Currens, CRNP; Miriam Komaromy, MD, FACP, DFASAM

Knowledge of and Attitudes towards OUD in Internal and Family Medicine Residents
Britt Gayle, MD; Sarah Kattakuzhy, MD

Local Wound Infiltration with Liposomal Bupivacaine Decreases Post-Cesarean Pain Scores
Avni Gupta; Marilyn Kindig, DO

Marijuana Exposure in Newborns after Recreational Legalization
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Scientific Posters

Virtual Poster Gallery Open*
Thursday, April 22, 2021 – Monday, April 22, 2024
Live-Chat Question & Answer with Poster Presenters**
Thursday, April 22, 2021 & Friday, April 23, 2021 | 12:45 pm – 2:00 pm ET

Meth Use is Associated with Overdoses, High-Risk Practices, and Adverse Social Determinants
Mimi Yen Li; Benjamin Bearnott, MD, MPH, FASAM

Methamphetamine Use in Pregnancy
Charles W. Schauberger, MD, MS, FACOG, FASAM

Micro-Dosing Intravenous Buprenorphine to Rapidly Transition from Full Opioid Agonists
Ashish P. Thakrar, MD

Moderating Factors of Co-Occurring Internet Gaming Disorder and ENDS Dependendency
Hannah G. Mitchell, MA; Rachelle Kromash, MS

N2O Joke: A Consequence of Nitrous Oxide Inhalation
Brendan S. Sullivan, DO

Naloxone Co-Prescribing across a Large Health System: A Quality Improvement Project
Marc D. Kimbal, MD

Opioid Analgesic Prescribing Prior to Opioid Use Disorder in British Columbia, Canada
Benjamin Enns, MA

Opioid Use Disorder Treatment is Associated with Decreased Alcohol-Related Acute Events
Kevin Y. Xu, MD, MPH

Oral Methadone vs Sublingual Buprenorphine for Acute Opioid Withdrawals: A Triple-Blind RCT
Anil Singh, MD

Outcome Comparison of Narcan Alone vs. Narcan and CPR for Opioid Overdoses
Sumantra M. Ghosh, MD, MSc, FRCP C

Outpatient Buprenorphine Patch Micro-Dosing as a Bridge for Patients on Methadone
Nathan Menke, MD, PhD

Pandemic-Based Expanded Take Home Privileges: Risk Stratification and Relapse
Robert Sterling, PhD

Patient Satisfaction with MOUD Treatment via Telemedicine: Development of a New Assessment
Annabelle M. Belcher, PhD

Patients with Opioid Use Disorder and Suicidal Ideation Treated with Buprenorphine
Max Spaderna, MD

Perceptions of Opioid Addiction and MAT in a Spanish Speaking Latinx Population
David Mendez, MD; Matt Abrams, MS

Perinatal Hepatitis C Virus Transmission: Race and Ethnicity as Determinants of Screening
Leah F. Nelson, MD, MS

Perspectives Among Patients and Counselors with Tele-Counseling in the COVID-19 Pandemic
Augustine Kang, PhD

Pilot to Permanency: Building GIS-Guided, Peer-Led Harm Reduction Services in Appalachia
Andrew Gaddis, MD

Pregnancy-Associated Mortality Due to Accidental Drug Overdose and Suicide in Ohio
Orman T. Hall, DO

Prevalence of SARS-CoV-2 in Patients with Opioid Overdose and Abnormal Chest Imaging
Jennifer Rosenbaum, MD; Gregory Zandrow, MD

Primary Addiction Medicine Skills for Palliative Care Physicians: A Delphi Study
Julie Childers, MD; Janet Ho, MD MPH

Problematic Policies Regarding Medications for Opioid Use Disorder among Florida Courts
Barbara Andraka-Christou, JD, PhD

Rapid Access Quality Improvement Initiative: Impact on Patient Engagement
Jeremiah D. Fairbanks, DO; Brian J. Graham, MD, PhD, FASAM

RCT Demonstrating Effectiveness of TAN for Symptoms of Opioid Withdrawal
Carlos Tirado, MD, MPH

Recent Opioid Agonist Treatment Discontinuation Trends in British Columbia, 2012-2018
Emanuel Krebs

Risk Factors Associated with Severe Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Requiring Morphine
Cassandra Heiselman, DO, MPH

Rural FM Residency Drives Substance Use Disorder Response through Community Training
Gregory Dobash, MD, FAAFP; Jeffrey Panting-Crespo, MD; Daniel Plavin, MD

Safe Tapering off Buprenorphine with Buprenorphine ER SQ Injections
Lindsay Bergstreser, PA-C; Christina Kern, CNP; Tom Kreisman, BS

Self-Reported Cognition in Cannabis Users: Results from a National Representative Sample
Dafta S. Rubin-Kahana, MD

Smoking Cessation Services and Cessation Attempts across Safety-Net, Primary Care System
Leslie W. Suen, MD

Stimulant Misuse in Pregnant Patients at a Rural Perinatal Substance Use Program
Olivia A. Caron, PharmD

Substance Use Among Adolescents (Grades 6 and 7) in Wisconsin from 2015-2020
Curtis W. Bone, MD, MHS; Aleksandra E. Zgierska, MD, PhD, DFASAM; Alma Jusufagiq, MPH; Anthony Alvarado, BS

Threat Uncertainty and Subjective Effects of Alcohol Among Alcohol Naïve Young Adults
Orman T. Hall, DO

Trainees’ Compassion Satisfaction, Burnout, and Self-Efficacy in Harm Reduction for PWID
Raagini Jawa, MD MPH; Jordana Laks, MD, MPH

Training Impacts Some Court Staff Beliefs about Medications for Opioid Use Disorder
Barbara Andraka-Christou, JD, PhD

Use of Ketamine for the Treatment of Opioid Induced Hyperalgesia
Nathan Menke, MD, PhD

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Registration Information

ASAM Virtual.2021 Registration

ASAM Virtual.2021 begins at 10:00 am ET on Thursday, April 22 with the Opening Scientific Plenary Session and concludes on Saturday, April 24 at 2:00 pm ET. Pre-conference courses, fun networking events, satellite sessions, and other activities will take place before and throughout the main event. See the Schedule-at-a-Glance for more details!

Registration includes live-stream and on-demand access to three exciting plenary sessions, over 70 concurrent sessions, and over 100 virtual posters. Live participation in the virtual conference offers real-time Q&A with session and poster presenters, collaborative chats with other attendees, polling questions, and more. All educational content will be recorded and made available on-demand in the ASAM e-Learning Center within 30 days following the virtual event. All registrants will have access to this content until April 30, 2024.

Conference registration does not include any of the pre-conference courses.

Registration Fee Structure

Register by Thursday, April 8, 2021 to save up to $100 and ensure placement in limited-seating in the pre-conference courses!

Pre-Conference Course Registration

Save 15% off the rates listed below when you bundle two or more!

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A $150 cancellation fee will apply to all registration cancellations. All cancellation requests must be made in writing and sent to Refunds@ASAM.org.

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“ASAM Virtual.2020 presenters were enthusiastic, energetic, and passionate. They also had diverse backgrounds and vast knowledge and experience.”
ASAM has been awarded the highest level of Accreditation with Commendation by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) as a provider of continuing medical education (CME) for physicians.

Accreditation in the ACCME System seeks to assure the medical community and the public that ASAM delivers education that is relevant to clinicians’ needs, evidence based, evaluated for its effectiveness, and is independent of commercial influence.

**ACCME Accreditation Statement**
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**AMA Credit Designation Statement**
The American Society of Addiction Medicine designates this other – blended, live and on-demand activity for a maximum of 22.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

**American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP)**
Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.

**American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA)**
This program is not yet approved for CME credit. Conference organizers plan to request 22.5 AAPA Category 1 CME credits from the AAPA Review Panel. The total number of approved credits is yet to be determined.

NPs can often claim AAPA Category 1 CME credit as continuing education with AANPCB and ANCC. ASAM recommends that NPs check with their certification/licensing authority to confirm that AAPA credit is acceptable.

**ABA Maintenance of Certification (MOC)**
Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the activity, with individual assessments of the participant and feedback to the participant, enables the participant to earn a maximum of 22.5 MOC points in the American Board of Pediatrics’ (ABP) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. It is the CME activity provider’s responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABP MOC credit.

**ABIM Maintenance of Certification (MOC)**
Successful completion of this CME activity, which includes participation in the evaluation component, enables the participant to earn up to 22.5 Medical Knowledge MOC points in the American Board of Internal Medicine’s (ABIM) Maintenance of Certification (MOC) program. Participants will earn MOC points equivalent to the amount of CME credits claimed for the activity. It is the CME activity provider’s responsibility to submit participant completion information to ACCME for the purpose of granting ABIM MOC credit.

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**ABPM Transitional Maintenance of Certification (tMOC)**
Successful completion of this activity can be used to satisfy the American Board of Preventive Medicine (ABPM) CME requirement for Maintenance of Certification program.

**The American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology (ABPN)**
Successful completion of this CME activity can be used to satisfy the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology’s (ABPN) CME requirement for Maintenance of Certification program.

**ABAM Transitional Maintenance of Certification (Tmoc)**
The ASAM Virtual 2021 Conference and its three pre-courses have been approved by the American Board of Addiction Medicine (ABAM) for Tmoc as credits towards ABAM LLSA Part II requirements.

**NAADAC, the Association for Addiction Professionals**
This activity has been approved by the American Society of Addiction Medicine, as a NAADAC Approved Education Provider, for educational credits. NAADAC Provider #295, ASAM is responsible for all aspects of the programming.

**National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC) ACEP**
ASAM has been approved by NBCC as an Approved Continuing Education Provider, ACEP No. 7062. ASAM is solely responsible for all aspects of the programs.

**California Association for Drug/Alcohol Educators (CAADE)**
This educational program is approved by CAADE: #CP40 999 1222

**California Association of DUI Treatment Centers (CADTP)**
This educational program is approved by CADTP: #205

**California Consortium of Addiction Programs and Professionals (CCAPP)**
This educational program is approved by CCAPP: #OS-20-330-1222

**Continuing Education Credits (CEUs)**
Non-physician participants will receive a certificate of attendance upon completion of the activity and an online evaluation confirming their participation. Participants should submit his/her certificate of attendance to their professional organization/institute.

**Program Planning Committee, CME Committee, Medical Education Council (MEC), and Faculty Disclosure Information**
In accordance with disclosure policies of ASAM and the ACCME, the effort is made to ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor in all CME activities. These policies include resolving all possible conflicts of interest for the Planning Committees, CME Committee, MEC, and Faculty. All activity Planning Committee members and Faculty have disclosed relevant financial relationship information. The ASAM CME Committee has reviewed these disclosures and determined that the relationships are not inappropriate in the context of their respective presentations and are not inconsistent with the educational goals and integrity of the activity.
AMA Credit Designation Statement: The ASAM Fundamentals™ of Addiction Medicine: A Live Workshop
The American Society of Addiction Medicine designates this other – blended, live and on-demand activity for a maximum of 8 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

AMA Credit Designation Statement: The ASAM Pain & Addiction: Common Threads Course XXII
The American Society of Addiction Medicine designates this other – blended, live and on-demand activity for a maximum of 6.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

AMA Credit Designation Statement: The ASAM Motivational Interviewing Workshop
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AMA Credit Designation Statement: Poster Sessions
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WHO SHOULD ATTEND...

Healthcare professionals dedicated to increasing access and improving the quality of addiction treatment and care, including:

- Physicians, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, and Other Clinicians
- Researchers and Academics
- Residents, Fellows, and Students
- Counselors and Policymakers

How to Get the Most Out of ASAM Virtual.2021 and Pre-Conference Courses

- Watch from the comfort of your home or office.
- Use a desktop or laptop that has a microphone and camera to maximize your virtual experience. Mobile devices can work but are not recommended for the best experience.
- Ensure you have a stable internet connection with plenty of bandwidth for streaming. Consider using a wired internet connection.
- Make sure your internet browser is updated to the most recent version. Chrome or Firefox are preferred.
- Plan to attend as much of the virtual sessions as you can, and when you can’t, remember the sessions will be available on-demand later!

CME Credit Information

The American Society of Addiction Medicine designates the following live activities for a maximum of the respective AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™.

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The ASAM Virtual FundamentalsTM of Addiction Medicine Workshop.................................................. 8 credits
The ASAM Virtual Pain & Addiction: Common Threads Course XXII.............................................. 6.5 credits
The ASAM Virtual Motivational Interviewing Workshop ........................................................................... 6.5 credits
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