

# 2018

# PHARMACOLOGY UPDATE

Provided by the University of Tennessee College of Nursing and the UT Health Science Center College of Pharmacy.

A program for nurses, nurse practitioners, pharmacists, psychologists, social workers, substance abuse counselors and other health care providers. Provides 6 live ACPE credits and 2 hours of opiate education required for NP licensure.

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**Glen Farr**, PharmD

Associate Dean, Continuing Education &  
Professor of Clinical Pharmacy

## FRIDAY, JUNE 8

### 8:30 AM TO 4:30 PM

## UTMC WOOD AUDITORIUM

1924 ALCOA HIGHWAY, KNOXVILLE

Registration: \$95 by May 24 or \$110 after May 24

Student rate: \$80 (with student id)

Registration fee includes materials, refreshments, lunch and CE contact hours.  
Parking available at UTMC Garage H for \$2.

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All participants will receive a Statement of Attendance reflecting actual contact hours. This activity provides 6.0 contact hours through The University of Tennessee College of Nursing and The University of Tennessee College of Pharmacy.  
The University of Tennessee College of Nursing is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Tennessee Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

## AGENDA

8:30—9

### Registration & Coffee

9—10

### Session I

Review of basic pharmacological concepts, FDA process, adverse drug effects; drug interactions; boxed warnings

10—10:15

### Break

10:15—12:15

### Session II

Drug abuse treatment and pain management, prescribing controlled substances, Tennessee Controlled Substance Monitoring Database, TN Dept. of Health guidelines for chronic pain management

12:15—1

### Lunch

1—2:15

### Session III

Drugs used in cardiovascular health, diabetes, dementia and women's health

2:15—2:25

### Break

2:25—4:10

### Session IV

Drugs used in miscellaneous conditions, counseling patients/clients on recent pharmacological developments

4:10—4:30

### Evaluation & Adjournment

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Describe the FDA drug oversight process, including “boxed warnings”
2. Compare and contrast recently introduced drugs and changes in the therapeutic approach to various disease processes, including drugs used in mental health, drug addiction, pain management, cardiovascular health, diabetes, women's health, dementia and miscellaneous conditions.
3. Appropriately counsel patients/clients on recently introduced drugs.
4. Appropriately respond to questions and concerns from patients/clients on recent reports in the pharmacologic literature.
5. Optimize pharmacologic therapy while minimizing drug-related problems.
6. Describe and apply the Tennessee Department of Health's treatment guidelines on opioids, benzodiazepines, barbiturates and carisoprodol.

## ABOUT THE PRESENTER



Glen Farr received his B.S. in Pharmacy and Doctor of Pharmacy degrees from the UT College of Pharmacy. Following graduation in 1973, he was appointed to the UT faculty and is presently based in Knoxville serving as Professor of Clinical Pharmacy and Associate Dean for Continuing Education. In addition to responsibilities for pharmacy continuing education offered throughout the state of Tennessee, Farr teaches pharmacy students at the Knoxville campus, as well as undergraduate and graduate nursing pharmacology

courses at UT Knoxville.

Farr has written more than 50 articles in the professional literature, authored or edited more than 20 books or educational courses, and presented more than 600 papers/speeches locally, nationally and internationally.

He is a past President of the Tennessee Pharmaceutical Association, was the 1983 “Pharmacist of the Year” for the State of Tennessee, and in 1997 received the “Distinguished Service to Pharmacy” award from the Tennessee Society of Hospital Pharmacists.

In 2002, he received the University of Tennessee National Alumni Association “Teacher of the Year Award” in 2007 was named the University of Tennessee College of Pharmacy “Outstanding Alumnus” and in 2016 received the “Outstanding Faculty Award” from the 2016 Class of the UTK College of Nursing.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

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