

Pharmacy Pearls for Prescribers- Diabetes

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Purpose: Pharmacy Pearls for Prescribers provides up-to-date information on medications, developed by a multidisciplinary group of AMG primary care physicians and pharmacists from Avera Health and Avera Health Insurance Division. An interdisciplinary group has been working to develop educational materials to meet this need. In this series we will discuss diabetes care related to: considerations for initiating pharmacotherapy in patients diagnosed with type 2 diabetes, cardiovascular risk reduction in type 2 diabetes, identifying and resolving clinical inertia in diabetes care, and reducing total cost of care through optimal pharmacologic treatment.

Target Audience: Physician, Nurse

Objectives:

- 1 Describe considerations for initiating pharmacotherapy in patients diagnosed with type 2 diabetes
- 2 Review cardiovascular risk reduction in type 2 diabetes
- 3 Discuss how to identify and resolve clinical inertia in diabetes care
- 4 Define how to deducing total cost of care through optimal pharmacologic treatment

Outcome: 100% of participants will demonstrate their knowledge by passing a posttest with a score of 80% or better.

For successful completion:

- View the education activity
- Complete the post test
- Complete the evaluation

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