

What is ECHO?

Project ECHO® is a virtual model for lifelong medical learning and a collaborative practice that links front-line health care providers serving patients with chronic conditions with expert care teams. This model is transforming the way medical knowledge is shared and translated into everyday practice and, in the process, is enabling thousands of people in remote and medically underserved communities to receive better care.

Mountain-Pacific Quality Health, working under contract with the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid (CMS) and the Wyoming Center on Aging (WyCOA) have collaborated with Project ECHO® to bring UW ECHO in Rural/Frontier Care Transitions to Wyoming and Montana. Health care professionals throughout the two states will have the opportunity to receive education from experts in the field of care transitions and learn the latest best-practices.

To learn more about Project ECHO visit: <http://echo.unm.edu/>

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The Wyoming Psychological Association has approved CE for this workshop. WyCOA maintains complete responsibility for the program.

Nursing CE approved through the Wyoming Hospital Association.

The Tripartite Committee on Continuing Education for Pharmacy in Wyoming approves this workshop for CE hours.

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the accreditation requirements and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint providership of St. Vincent Healthcare and the University of Wyoming Center on Aging. St. Vincent Healthcare is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.



St. Vincent Healthcare designates this live ECHO activity for a maximum of 1.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)[™] for each session. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Mission: The mission of the Wyoming Center on Aging is to optimize the health of Wyoming's older adults and their caregivers through education, intervention, collaboration, and research.

Mountain Pacific Quality Health

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Mountain-Pacific Quality Health is a nonprofit corporation that partners within our communities to provide solutions for better health. We first opened our doors in Helena, Montana, in 1973; since then we have broadened our reach to include Wyoming, Alaska, Hawaii and the U.S. Pacific Territories of Guam, American Samoa and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.

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UW ECHO in Rural/Frontier Care Transitions

Module 3 "Community Partnerships"

January-May 2018



Supporting rural providers by creating a network of colleague's in the region with ease of access to expert care teams

**PROFESSIONAL CONTINUING
EDUCATION CREDITS ARE AVAILABLE**

UW ECHO in Rural/Frontier Care Transitions Network Curriculum

~ Thursdays 12:00pm - 1:15pm ~

A bi-weekly case-conference plus educational presentation

Previous sessions available for viewing:
Please contact wycoa for your user name and password!

| DATE 2018 | TOPIC/TITLE & Objectives | PRESENTER |
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| Module 3: Community Partnerships | | |
| Jan 11 | Building a Community Coalition | Kevin Franke |
| Jan 25 | The Role of the Primary Care Clinic in Care Coordination | Faith Jones |
| Feb 8 | The Role of Patient & Families in Care Coordination | Martha Hayward |
| Feb 22 | Medicaid: What you need to know | Optum |
| Mar 8 | Coordinating with the VA | Maya Pignatore/ Jackie Pedelton |
| Mar 22 | Community-Based Services & Collaboration (Senior Centers, Senior Resource Agencies, Transportation) | WDOH-Aging Division |
| Apr 5 | Rural Health Clinics and FQHCs | WyPCA |
| Apr 19 | Learning from a Care Transition Practice | Pam Myrum |
| May 3 | Medical Services – Collaboration (Skilled Nursing Facilities, Home Health Agencies, Assisted Living Facilities, Pharmacies) | Pat Fritz/ Tonja Woods |

UW ECHO® in Rural/Frontier Care Transitions Format:

12:00pm-12:10pm: Welcome & Introductions
12:10pm-12:40pm: Case Presentation & Discussion
12:40pm-1:10 pm: 30 minute Community Discussion
1:10 pm-1:15pm: Closing & Evaluation

General Information:

Goals/Objectives:

- Encourage best practices, increase of knowledge and practice change in the field of care transitions.
- Work to decrease hospital readmission and admissions as well as emergency department use.
- Develop a community of practice among team members and spoke sites to foster positive relationships and increased support for rural frontier providers.
- Increase provider participation in care coordination.

Who is eligible to participate in the Network?

Any provider or organization (including physicians, NPs, PAs, nurses, medical assistants, pharmacists, social workers, case managers, mental health staff, OT/PT/SLP, etc.) with an interest in care transitions. Participation is free.

Continuing education details:

Continuing education will be available for interdisciplinary healthcare providers including: pharmacy, nursing, social work, psychology, and other healthcare professionals and social service providers.

Requirements for participation:

- A one-time registration is required. Please call (307) 766-2829 or email wycoa@uwyo.edu.
- 1 case presentation from each site for 2018
- A venue or room for participants at your site which has a PC with a webcam, iPad, or iPhone connected to the internet.
- A designee who is responsible for working with WyCOA and Mountain-Pacific on network details.
- All participants are asked to complete an evaluation for each session.

Upon registration, each site will receive the information to log-on to each session.

For more information:
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