ACSAP 2018 Book 3 (Nephrologic/Geriatric Care)

Total Available Hours: 14.5

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Nephrology/Geriatrics I (Module 1) - Credit Hours: 4.5

Chapter: Acute Kidney Injury Learning Objectives

- 1. Evaluate a patient using diagnostic and physiologic classifications and risk factors for acute kidney injury (AKI).
- 2. Assess a patient for the presence of drug-related risk factors for AKI.
- 3. Design a plan to prevent or manage AKI in a patient.
- 4. Justify the pharmacist's role in preventing and managing AKI.

Chapter: Chronic Kidney Disease Learning Objectives

- 1. Distinguish patient-specific risk factors for chronic kidney disease (CKD) in primary care populations.
- 2. Evaluate clinical data to estimate renal function using recommended approaches to stage CKD using glomerular filtration rate and/or alternative approaches.
- Design treatment to manage kidney-related and cardiovascular complications for patients with mild or moderate CKD, and develop recommendations for safe and effective medication use.
- 4. Justify pharmacist-delivered, patient-centered care for patients with CKD in the primary care setting.

Nephrology/Geriatrics II (Module 2) – Credit Hours: 4.5

Chapter: Renal Replacement Therapy in Chronic Kidney Disease Learning Objectives

- 1. Distinguish among the complications seen in patients on commonly used modalities of dialysis.
- 2. Design optimal drug dosing and justify drug therapy selection to manage specific diseases in ambulatory patients using dialysis.
- 3. Justify an anticoagulation plan for atrial fibrillation management, venous thromboembolism management, and periprocedural bridging plans, including appropriate use of direct oral anticoagulants and low-molecular-weight heparin, in the patient with chronic kidney disease stage 5 on dialysis (CKD-5D).
- 4. Design plans for managing anemia, mineral and bone disorders, diabetes, hypertension, and dyslipidemia in patients with CKD-5D in the ambulatory care setting.
- 5. Justify the role of the pharmacist in the care of patients on dialysis.

Chapter: Polypharmacy

Learning Objectives

- 1. Detect patients at increased risk of adverse outcomes related to polypharmacy.
- 2. Assess the appropriateness of polypharmacy using implicit and explicit criteria.
- 3. Justify priorities for medication deprescribing.
- 4. Design interprofessional interventions to decrease unnecessary polypharmacy.

Nephrology/Geriatrics III (Module 3) – Credit Hours: 5.5

Chapter: Neurocognitive Disorders Learning Objectives

- 1. Use appropriate scales to distinguish between delirium, major neurocognitive disorder (NCD), and mild NCD in older adults.
- 2. Evaluate the efficacy and safety of available drugs and dietary supplements, and design pharmacologic and nonpharmacologic treatment plans for specific NCDs.
- 3. Devise a monitoring plan for drug-drug and drug-disease interactions, and recommend changes to optimize therapy and decrease potential risks.
- 4. Describe the ambulatory care pharmacist's role in managing delirium, major NCD, and mild NCD.
- 5. Develop individualized education and counseling points using patient and caregiver resources.

Chapter: Falls in the Older Adult Learning Objectives

- 1. Detect patient-specific factors in older adults that increase their risk of falls.
- 2. Design a treatment plan to account for the comorbidities associated with fall risk in older adults.
- 3. Devise interventions that reduce the risk of falls in older adults.
- 4. Develop a fall risk assessment in your clinical practice.