Improving Access to Mental Health Care Services through the Collaborative Care Model and Telemedicine

Saturday, March 16, 2019
8:30AM – 3:30PM

Yale School of Medicine
The Anlyan Center for Medical Research (TAC)
300 Cedar Street, New Haven, CT

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The Collaborative Care Model integrates effective psychiatric care into primary care practices. It is the only integrated care model with a clear evidence base and has been tested in more than 80 randomized trials. Collaborative Care uses a team-based approach to address care for the ‘whole person.” The care team consists of a behavioral health care manager, psychiatric consultant, and a primary care provider (PCP).

The training, led by John Kern, MD from the University of Washington’s AIMS Center, will provide participants with the practical skills to work in collaborative care. The course describes the delivery of mental health care in primary care settings with a focus on the evidence-base, guiding principles, and an introduction to implementation strategies.

In addition to the training, there will be guest speakers from a Yale practice that is preparing to implement the model, an expert speaker on telemedicine to include best practices and current trends and a special presentation on VA experiences in both integrated care and telepsychiatry.

The registration fee for the conference is $40, covering the cost of attendees’ continental breakfast and boxed lunch provided during the event. The Collaborative Care training is provided as a result of APA’s participation in the Transforming Clinical Practice Initiative (TCPI) supported by CMS, and participation is open to Psychiatrists, Primary Care Physicians, Residents and Medical Students, and Behavioral Health Care Managers.

The American Psychiatric Association (APA) is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide CME for physicians.

The APA designates this live activity for a maximum of 6 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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Tentative Agenda (as of 2-4-19)

8:00 AM - 8:30 AM               Registration/Breakfast

8:30 AM – 8:40 AM               Welcome Note: Shaukat Khan, MD, Connecticut Psychiatric Society

8:40 AM – 8:50 AM               Opening Remark: Robert M. Rohrbaugh, M.D., Professor of Psychiatry, Yale School of Medicine

8:50 AM - 9:00 AM               Opening Remark/Guest Speaker: Claudia Gruss, M.D., President, Connecticut State Medical Society

9:00 AM – 10:15 AM

Applying the Integrated Care Approach: Using Collaborative Care to Improve Access to Mental Health Care Services: John Kern, M.D., Clinical Professor; AIMS Center; Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, University of Washington

10:15 AM – 10:30 AM  Break

10:30 AM – 12:15 PM

Applying the Integrated Care Approach: Using Collaborative Care to Improve Access to Mental Health Care Services –cont.

12:15 PM – 12:30 PM  Break

12:30 PM – 1:15 PM

Lunch Discussion: Yale Internal Medicine Associates (YIMA) – Implemented practice – Speaker TBD

1:15 PM – 2:15 PM

The Virtual Consult: Current Trends and the Future of Telepsychiatry/Telemedicine Best Practices
Robert Caudill, MD, Associate Professor, Director of Telemedicine and Information Technology Programs, University of Louisville

2:15 PM – 2:30 PM  Break

2:30 PM – 3:15 PM

Collaborative Care and Tele Mental Health VA Experience: Cristopher Grant, Ph.D, VISN1 PCMHI Co-lead

3:15 PM - 3:30 PM

Collaborative Care and Telemedicine: An Overview - Shaukat Khan MD, CPS President