

Activity Announcement

Two's Company, but is "Three" Allowed? Evaluating Triple Antithrombotic Therapy

ACPE Activity Number: 0204-9999-17-401-L01-P

Activity Date: 1/17/2017

Activity Time: 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. ET

Activity Type: *Knowledge-based*

CE Credits: 1.0 hour (0.1 CEU) CPE

Activity Fee: *Subscription-based service*

Accreditation for Pharmacists



The American Society of Health-System Pharmacists and UNC Eshelman School of Pharmacy are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as providers of continuing pharmacy education.

Target Audience

This continuing pharmacy education activity is designed for pharmacists.

Activity Overview

Managing patients on dual and triple antithrombotic therapies presents many unique challenges. This activity will discuss the risks and benefits of dual antithrombotic therapy compared to triple therapy in patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) who have an indication for oral anticoagulation (OAC) and compare strategies for optimizing the duration of antithrombotic agents in patients requiring triple therapy. Identification of the role of newer antiplatelet and OAC agents in patients requiring triple therapy and a summary of guideline recommendations for managing patients undergoing PCI who have an indication for OAC will also be reviewed.

Learning Objectives

After participating in this CPE activity, participants should be able to:

- Evaluate risks and benefits of dual antithrombotic therapy compared to triple therapy in patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) who have an indication for oral anticoagulation (OAC).
- Compare strategies for optimizing the duration of antithrombotic agents in patients requiring triple therapy.
- Identify role of newer antiplatelet and OAC agents in patients requiring triple therapy.
- Summarize guideline recommendations for managing patients undergoing PCI who have an indication for OAC.

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Methods and CE Requirements

This online activity consists of a 1-hour webinar.

Participants must participate in the entire activity and complete the online evaluation to earn continuing pharmacy education credit.

Follow the prompts to claim credit immediately or within 60 days after the activity.

System Technical Requirements

Courses and learning activities are delivered via your Web browser and Acrobat PDF. Users should have a basic comfort level using a computer and navigating web sites.

View the [minimum technical and system requirements](#) for learning activities.