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**Linking Patient Outcomes and Satisfaction to Performance Improvement in the Management of Fibromyalgia**

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**STATEMENT OF NEED**

Despite recognition as a clinical diagnosis with established criteria by the American College of Rheumatology (ACR), approval of medications by the FDA for treatment of the disorder, and acceptance of the diagnosis by insurers as reimbursable, fibromyalgia syndrome continues to carry the stigma of a "psychosomatic" disorder by some skeptics in the medical community. As a result, fibromyalgia remains underdiagnosed and undertreated.<sup>1</sup> Clinicians who treat patients with fibromyalgia can improve clinical screening and assessment through the use of standardized tools.<sup>2</sup> They further need to expand treatment options to include a multimodal approach to management.<sup>1</sup>

In this live and interactive neuroscienceCME Live and On Demand activity the expert faculty will explore the challenges of managing patients with fibromyalgia using provide insights for the use of established assessment tools, guidelines, and recommendations for a multimodal and multidisciplinary treatment strategy.

<sup>1</sup> Chakrabarty S, Zoorob R. Fibromyalgia. *Am Fam Physician* 2007;76:247-254.

<sup>2</sup> Bennett RM, Friend R, Jones KD, Ward R, Han BK, Ross RL. The Revised Fibromyalgia Impact Questionnaire (FIQR): validation and psychometric properties. *Arthritis Res Ther* 2009;11(4):R120.

**ACTIVITY GOAL**

To improve the diagnosis and management of fibromyalgia through increased clinician-patient dialogue, implementation of clinical assessment tools, and use of multimodal treatment approaches.

**LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

At the end of this CE activity, participants should be able to:

- Recognize the stigma related to fibromyalgia and the role of the patient-provider relationship in improving diagnosis, outcomes, and patient satisfaction.
- Implement the use of a validated assessment tool such as the Fibromyalgia Impact Questionnaire to measure impact of symptoms, functional ability, and treatment progress.
- Use a multimodal and multidisciplinary approach to treatment that addresses patient expectations and individualizes treatment needs.

The following learning objectives pertain only to those requesting CNE credit:

- Recognize the stigma related to fibromyalgia and the importance of the role of the patient-provider relationship in improving diagnosis, outcomes, and patient satisfaction.
- Identify a validated assessment tool such as the Fibromyalgia Impact Questionnaire that can be integrated into practice to measure impact of symptoms, functional ability, and treatment progress.
- Describe a multimodal and multidisciplinary approach to treatment that addresses patient expectations and individualizes treatment needs.

**TARGET AUDIENCE**

Physicians, physician assistants, nurses, nurse practitioners, psychologists, pharmacists, social workers, certified case managers, and other healthcare professionals with an interest in fibromyalgia.

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