



Providers
Clinical Support
System

Half & Half MAT Waiver Training

FREE Virtual CME* Training!

Tuesday, October 6th, 2020

8:00am—12:15pm

Register here: <https://pcsshalfandhalfwaivertraining.eventbrite.com>

Presented by Christopher Welsh, MD

**Questions? Contact Julie DiGirolamo:
JDiGirolamo@som.umaryland.edu**

The 8-hour waiver training is offered in a ‘half and half’ format: 4 hours of in-person training followed by 4 hours of online training through PCSS-MAT. Upon completion of the required training, providers will meet the requirement of the DATA 2000 to apply for a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine.

Physicians are required to complete the standardized buprenorphine waiver 8-hour training.

Nurse Practitioners (NPs) and **Physician Assistants (PAs)** are required to complete the standardized buprenorphine waiver 8-hour training as well as an **additional 16 hours of online training** as established by the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act (CARA) which can be found here:

<https://pcssnow.org/medication-assisted-treatment/>

Accreditation

Live portion

**Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending.*

Online portion

In support of improving patient care, American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), the American Academy of PAs (AAPA), American Psychological Association (APA) and Association for Social Work Boards (ASWB) to provide continuing education for the healthcare team. *For details on accreditation, visit the registration page.*

Funding for this initiative was made possible (in part) by grant 1H79TIO81968 from SAMHSA. The views expressed in written conference materials or publications and by speakers and moderators do not necessarily reflect the official policies of the Department of Health and Human Services; nor does mention of trade names, commercial practices, or organizations imply endorsement by the U.S. Government.

