



---

## Managing Neuropathic Pain in Patients with Diabetes

### Activity Description:

This activity will address the important role of pharmacists in treating neuropathic pain. Potential treatment options and the process in identifying the most appropriate medication for your patients will be discussed.

### Learning Objectives:

Upon successful completion of this activity, pharmacists should be better able to:

1. Describe the complication of neuropathy in the diabetic patient.
2. Identify potential treatment options for neuropathic pain.
3. Evaluate the role of new medications with an FDA indication for neuropathic pain.
4. Discuss the role of the pharmacist in treating neuropathic pain.

### Target Audience:

Pharmacists

### Faculty:

Erik Maki, Pharm.D., BCPS

Assistant Professor, Drake University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Clinical Specialist for the Department of Internal Medicine at Mercy Hospital Medical Center  
Des Moines, IA

### Faculty Disclosure:

Erik Maki reports that he has no actual or potential conflicts of interest in relation to this activity. The speaker has indicated that off-label use of medications will be discussed during his presentation.

### CPE Credit:

To obtain 1.0 contact hour of continuing education credit (0.10 CEUs), please complete the exam and evaluation located in your online portfolio. A CE Statement of Credit will be automatically generated upon achieving a passing grade of 70% on the exam and completion of the activity evaluation.

CEI provides you with two (2) opportunities to complete the post-activity exam. You must receive a score of 70% or better to receive your CE Statement of Credit, which will be automatically generated. You may print this CE Statement of Credit; it will also be stored in your online CEI portfolio for you to retrieve a copy at any time.

Activity release date: 01/24/2009

Activity expiration date: 01/24/2012

**ACPE Logo and Statement:**



The Collaborative Education Institute is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education as a provider of continuing pharmacy education.

The ACPE Universal Activity Number is #107-000-09-020-H01-P

0.10 CEUs/1.0 Hrs.

Application-Based CPE

**Activity Format and Requirements:**

This activity includes viewing the PowerPoint presentation while listening to the audio provided. You may print the handouts associated with this program prior to viewing. To ensure the highest quality activity delivery, a reliable high-speed internet connection is required. You may experience problems with some wireless connections where signal strength is variable or low.

**Financial Support:**

This activity has no outside financial support associated with it.

**Activity Fee:**

An activity fee of \$10 will be assessed for grading the exam instrument and issuing the CE Statement of Credit.

**If you would like to purchase this self-study activity, please close this window and proceed to REGISTER.**