

# OPIOIDS AND THE BIGGER PICTURE WHEN TREATING CHRONIC PAIN

NPS MedicineWise invites your practice to participate in an educational visit for our latest program.

## Opioids and the bigger picture when treating chronic pain - starting October 2019

Our current program provides clarity on the role of opioids when supporting patients with chronic non-cancer pain. It covers the latest evidence and offers advice on engaging patients to take an active role in managing pain.

### Information and resources covered as part of this educational visit

- ▶ Discussion includes the implications of emerging evidence on the management of chronic pain
- ▶ Advice on how to engage patients in difficult conversations about opioids and tapering
- ▶ Patient resources to improve outcomes for patients using opioids

#### Educational visits are available as:

- ▶ One-on-one tailored discussion for GPs (30 minutes)
- ▶ Virtual visits via video call, so GPs who find it difficult to schedule an in-practice visit can still benefit from our visiting program.
- ▶ Small group meeting for up to 10 health professionals GPs, practice nurses and pharmacists (1 hour)

#### Accreditation pending

BOOKING FORM If your practice has not already made a details below via:  ▶ Fax: (02) 9211 7578 ▶ Email: bookavisit@nps.	
NPS MedicineWise offers two types of educational visits. Please select your preference:	
☐ One-on-one visit for GPs (30 minutes duration)	☐ Small group meeting for up to 10 health
☐ One-on-one visit via video call for GPs professionals (1 hour duration)	
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