

SAVAHCS Clinical Management Conference 2025

Obesity Management at SAVAHCS- 9/9/2025

September 9, 2025 – 12:00 PM
Online

Overall Activity Objectives:

- 1 Develop specific anti-coagulation treatment plans that incorporate new anti-coagulation agents for venous thromboembolism.
- 2 Decrease inappropriate use of antibiotics, using order sets and better diagnostic strategies.
- 3 Utilize mind-body principles and whole health strategies to increase treatment responses.
- 4 Decrease narcotic use by incorporating effective non-narcotic pain management techniques.
- 5 Incorporate strategies to counsel and provide care for geriatric populations.
- 6 Identify, counsel, treat, and refer patients with increased risk of suicide.

Session Objectives:

- 1 Review obesity diagnosis and associated comorbidities.
- 2 Identify veterans who are candidates for treatment of obesity.
- 3 Discuss the treatment options for obesity at SAVAHCS; this includes comprehensive lifestyle intervention programs, weight loss pharmacology, and weight loss surgery.

Accreditation Statement:

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