

Information for continuing education (CE) credit

Best Practices for Managing High Cost Medications

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3. **Complete the process no later than March 25, 2021**

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Learning objectives

1. Explain what classifies a high cost drug and national trends in drug expenditures
2. Apply formulary management principles to management of high cost drugs
3. Discuss optimal processes to enhance reimbursements within the managed care setting
4. Identify appropriate strategies for inventory management
5. Analyze best practices of revenue cycle integrity initiatives managed by pharmacy departments
6. Recognize processes to conduct a retrospective business review on pharmacy services



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