Continuing education (CE) information for credit

Long COVID – A Pandemic “Hidden in Plain Sight”

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**Requirements**

1. Attend the course in its entirety.
2. After the course, you will receive an email with instructions that you will need to obtain your CE credit.
3. **Complete the process no later than December 1, 2022.**

Upon successful completion of the course requirements, you will be able to print your CE certificate (with the exception of pharmacists and pharmacy technicians.)

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All credit awarded to pharmacists and pharmacy technicians must be via CPE Monitor; paper certificates and e-certificates are not valid for licensure/certification submission. Pharmacists and pharmacy technicians will be able to print individual statements of credit and their transcripts from their NABP e-profile created at [www.mycpemonitor.net](http://www.mycpemonitor.net) or [www.nabp.net](http://www.nabp.net).

1. Please provide an accurate **NABP ID number** and **date of birth** (**mm/dd** – do not include birth year).
2. Vizient will upload your **NABP ID number** and **date of birth** into CPE Monitor within 24 hours after the completion of all steps required to receive credit.

If your **NABP ID number** and/or **date of birth** are returned as invalid after the upload, Vizient will make one attempt to contact you for corrections within a 45-day window. After the 45-day window expires, Vizient will not accept the information, and Vizient will not be able to process your CE credit.

**Learning objectives**

**Pharmacists learning objectives**

At the conclusion of this activity, pharmacists should be able to:

1. Examine the science of COVID
2. Differentiate COVID from long COVID
3. Appraise current epidemiology of long COVID
4. Compare and contrast therapeutic interventions for long COVID

**Pharmacy technician learning objectives**

At the conclusion of this activity, pharmacy technicians should be able to:

1. Differentiate COVID from long COVID

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