Instructions for obtaining continuing education (CE) credit

Drug Shortage Management – On Demand

**October 19, 2022 – October 18, 2023**

**Course requirements**

Vizient is committed to complying with the criteria set forth by the accrediting bodies in order to provide quality CE course.

We appreciate your participation and value your feedback! Use these instructions to claim continuing education credit. You will need to use Chrome as opposed to Internet Explorer when obtaining credit for this course.

To **earn CE credit**, you must watch the presentation, pass the post-test with a score of 70% or better and submit the evaluation.

Watch or listen to the entire program by clicking on the link below and entering the required information.

* [**Click here to play recording**](https://vizientinc.webex.com/vizientinc/lsr.php?RCID=a1ed1a5b1ab4a17fb2e08596c8e914b6) (60 minutes) or copy and paste this link into your browser:
* Recording password: (This recording does not require a password)
* Estimated time to complete activity – 75 minutes (viewing course and completing online process)

Participants who received CE credit for the live course are not eligible to receive on demand credit.

To complete the online continuing education process and receive credit:

* [**Click here**](https://continuingeducation.vizientinc.com/content/drug-shortage-management-demand-0) and follow the steps below.

If the above hyperlink is not functional, please copy and paste this link into your browser:

[**https://continuingeducation.vizientinc.com/content/drug-shortage-management-demand-0**](https://continuingeducation.vizientinc.com/content/drug-shortage-management-demand-0)

A Vizient login account is required to receive CE credit. If you need to obtain a Vizient login account or if you have forgotten your Vizient login information, please contact Vizient Support at VizientSupport@Vizientinc.com or (800) 842-5146.

**Please use Chrome rather than Internet Explorer when claiming credit.**

You may be asked to update your profile during the process. **It is important that you select your Discipline type in your user profile. *Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians:*** *Please ensure that your Discipline type, NABP ID and birthdate are listed correctly in your profile. Pharmacy credit is uploaded to CPE Monitor based on this information.*

1. You will be on the course landing page – from here you can review the tabs for the course:
	1. Overview
	2. Venue
	3. Faculty
	4. Accreditation
	5. Obtain Credit
2. Choose the “Obtain Credit” tab.
3. Click on the “Obtain Credit” button.
4. Follow the instructions below. You must complete this process no later than **October 18, 2023**.

*\*If you see “Register/Take course” tab instead of the “Obtain credit” tab, please follow these steps:*

1. Click on the “Log in” link at the top right corner of the page to log in.
2. Choose the “Obtain Credit” tab.
3. Click on the “Obtain Credit” button.
4. Follow the instructions below.

POST-TEST INSTRUCTIONS **(REQUIRED)**:

* Under course progress, choose **Post-Test – Drug Shortage Management – On Demand** and answer each post-test question.
* You must click on “Finish” to save your answers.
* You must achieve a passing score of 70% to continue with claiming credit.

EVALUATION INSTRUCTIONS **(REQUIRED)**:

* Under course progress, click on the evaluation titled **Evaluation – Drug Shortage Management – On Demand**
* You must click on “Submit” to save your answers. If you do not click on “Submit,” data will be lost for that evaluation.

CREDIT INSTRUCTIONS **(REQUIRED)**:

* Under course progress, choose “Credit” and select “Start”.
* Claim your type of credit –**ACPE Pharmacist or ACPE Pharmacy Technician**
* In the credits field, enter the amount of credit that you are claiming.
* Click the box “I agree that I am only claiming credit commensurate with the extent of my participation in the activity”.
* Review your credit amount and click “Submit”.

CERTIFICATES FOR PHARMACISTS AND PHARMACY TECHNICIANS:

* CPE Monitor prohibits claiming both pharmacist and pharmacy technician CE credit.
* All credit awarded must be via CPE Monitor; paper certificates and e-certificates are not valid for licensure/certification submission. Pharmacists and pharmacy technicians may 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).
* It is advisable to monitor the status of your Vizient credit submissions to CPE Monitor by viewing the Reported Credit tab in your user profile. Credit should be posted to your transcript within 24 hours after completing the CE process.

ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT

* Click on My Account to view your transcript, view your courses or to edit your profile.
* It is recommended that you bookmark your My Account link for easy access.

If you have any other questions or need assistance completing the continuing education evaluations, please send an e-mail to continuingeducation@vizientinc.com.

**Pharmacists learning objectives**

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

1.    Identify drug shortages
2.    List medication management strategies

**Pharmacy technician learning objectives**

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

1.    Identify drug shortages
2.    List medication management strategies

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