



DSMES MIX



Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support

Enroll Your Pharmacy

Are you familiar with the saying “they wrote the book on it” for when somebody is so good at something they’ve contributed actual reference materials to the topic?

Well, the PPA DSME coaches haven’t actually written the standards and materials for accreditation BUT what they have done is so good that the people who DID write the rules asked to use it as a guide on their website. That’s the level of expertise and assistance you get when you commit to be in our Application Cohorts. Our team has streamlined things to develop what is almost a turnkey program if you put in the effort.

What do you get for your commitment? Webinars outlining the standards from ADCES. Mentorship on getting the work done and making decisions on your startup plans. Maybe the most vital of all are the templates for implementation. If paperwork and document drafting are your Achilles Heel, the materials offered to you shrink that hurdle. The accrediting body liked our formats so much that they thought it would be nice to put on their own website for examples. We have multiple years of submissions that required nearly zero major revisions. We provide a step-by-step instruction video on how to fill out the application. There is even a boot camp and training session at PPA conferences to help you get all those ducks in a row, with registration fees covered by PPA.

So what’s stopping you? You don’t like getting expert level help on crafting a service to connect with your patients? Not a fan of saving money by having PPA cover the expensive application? Follow us along this path.

Sign up with PPA.... Join our webinars or watch the recordings.... Use templates to meet the application requirements.... Practice your course on one patient with our full team ready to give advice and feedback... Document your results with our templates... Submit your application with our instruction video.

Have a fully accredited DSME course you can get paid for and have happier, healthier patients!

Submitted by Mark Green, PharmD, Hershey Pharmacy, ACDES-accredited DSMES Program Site

DSMES Standards Revised

Are you accredited by ADCES to provide Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support? If so, did you know that the standards were recently revised? The National Standards are reviewed and revised approximately every five years with the most recent revision taking place earlier this year.

All pharmacies seeking accreditation or re-accreditation with ADCES must follow the new [2022 National Standards for Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support](#).

The newly revised standards have been condensed therefore reducing the administrative burden and burnout for healthcare professionals providing DSMES services!

A summary of the changes to the Standards can be found [here](#).

To access the new standards: [2022 National Standards for Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support](#)

Interested in becoming accredited for DSMES by ADCES? For more information on PPA’s turnkey accreditation support program, read the “Enroll Your Pharmacy” article.

DSMES CE at PPA Annual Conference

Saturday, October 8

10:45 am – 11:45 am

CE: DSMES Billing 101

We will review the updated DSMES billing guide. I will walk through the steps to get set up with Medicare to bill for DSMT services. We will review coding and reimbursement allowances along with medical billing at the pharmacy. I will discuss contracting and credentialing pathways for other non Medicare payers.

- Nicole Hasson, PharmD, Consultant Clinical Pharmacist, Value Drug Company

11:50 am – 12:20 pm

CE: DSMES Standards Update

This update will discuss the updates to the DSMES Standards and what's needed for accreditation going from 10 standards down to 6 standards.

- Molly Beimel, PharmD, Chief Operating Officer, U.S Complete Care
- Nicole Pezzino, Lehigh Valley Pharmacists Association (LVPA)

1:30 pm – 2:00 pm

CE: DSMES Standards Workshop

This workshop will allow participants time to update their own standards in real time following templates and suggestions from the coaching team! Come to this session with your previous binder as we work through updating the materials together!

- Molly Beimel, PharmD, Chief Operating Officer, U.S Complete Care
- Mark Green, PharmD, Pharmacy Manager/Clinical Coordinator, Hershey Pharmacy
- Nicole Pezzino, Lehigh Valley Pharmacists Association (LVPA)

2:10 pm – 3:40 pm

CE: 2022 Diabetes Update

As the field of diabetes continues to rapidly change and new treatment/research emerge, the 2022 ADA Standards of Care for Diabetes included substantial update to reflect this! These guidelines have a focus on individualization of treatment, technology that can improve the health of people with diabetes! We will be discussing latest updates to the diabetes guidelines as well as integrating how this can impact diabetes services at your pharmacy.

- Nicole Pezzino, Lehigh Valley Pharmacists Association (LVPA)
- Morgan Casciole, PharmD/MBA Candidate 2023, Pharmacy/MBA Student, Wilkes University Nesbitt School of Pharmacy

Learn more/Get details

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DSMES Pharmacy Locations

Adzema Pharmacy
Anderson Pharmacy
Asti's South Hills
Pharmacy
Cooks Pharmacy
FB Thomas Drug Store
Hershey Pharmacy
Medicap Pharmacy
Norland Avenue
Pharmacy
Perry Drug Store LLC
Port Allegany Pharmacy
SMP Longterm Care
St Mary's Pharmacy
The Medicine Shoppe -
Boyertown
The Medicine Shoppe -
Latrobe
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