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### *Cleveland SCAN-ECHO*

Presents Introductory Specialty Care Seminar Series

## Controversies and Questions Related to Clinical Uses of Methadone for Chronic Non-Cancer Pain and Palliative Care

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Date: THURSDAY, April 27, 2023  
Time: 12:00 noon-1:00PM EST  
Location: Microsoft Teams Meeting

### **Educational Objectives:** *At the conclusion of this activity, the participant should be able to:*

1. Summarize mechanism of action and indications for prescribing methadone for chronic non cancer pain
2. Describe current practices and potential adverse effects
3. Explain importance of team communication and collaboration to improve patient outcomes in chronic pain and opioid use disorder

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