

PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS WORKING WITH IDD PATIENTS ECHO

August 2025 through June 2026

3rd Thursday of each month | Noon-1 PM | Virtual

SIU SOM, in partnership with the Illinois Department of Human Services, Division of Developmental Disabilities, is providing a training series for primary care providers managing care for people with Intellectual and Development Disabilities in the community. The 11-part training series will provide case-based, interactive sessions to provide information and resources to support providers in caring for people with disabilities.

2025-2026 TOPICS

- Introduction to IDD
- Recognizing and Managing Psychotropic Side Effects
- Approach to Self-injurious Behavior
- Approach to Aggressive Behavior
- Anxiety Disorders
- Depressive Disorders
- Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders
- Trauma Related Disorders
- Neurocognitive Disorders
- Bipolar Disorders
- Pica and Other Eating-related Disorders

GOALS OF THE ECHO SERIES

- To recognize the criteria for and presentation of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities.
- To identify a variety of psychiatric issues that occur in the Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities population.
- To describe evidenced-based management techniques and treatment of psychiatric disorders in Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities population.

PROJECT ECHO

Project ECHO (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) is an "All Teach, All Learn" tele-mentoring program where participants engage in a virtual community with their peers to support, guide and give feedback. As a result, participants gain understanding of how to disseminate and implement best practices across disciplines to improve and expand in their specialty.



To register, scan QR code or visit
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