The purpose of this is to better prepare physicians and medical students to identify individuals with opioid use disorders and to engage those patients in medication-assisted treatment for their opioid use disorder. Under the Drug Addiction Treatment Act of 2000, physicians are required to complete specialized training to qualify for a federal waiver to dispense or prescribe approved medication intended for addiction treatment.

Trainees attend this 4 hour live training taught by clinical expert, Dr. Jason Beaman. Once completed, participants will receive the second half of the course – a 4 hour online self-study portion. At the end of the course, participants are required to pass an exam with a 75% or higher before applying for their waiver.

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