

Florida College of Emergency Physicians  
Emergency Medicine Learning & Resource Center

*Street Drugs in the Sunshine State – A Continuation*

**Topic:** *Drugs of Abuse: Inhalants*

**Date and Location:**

Date: March 16, 2020 through April 15, 2020

Webinar: <http://cc.readytalk.com/play?id=1jivua>

Post-test and Course Evaluation: <https://www.cvent.com/d/gnqz2p>

**Method of Participation/How to Claim your CME:**

In order to receive continuing education credit, you must:

- 1) Complete the pretest for *Drugs of Abuse: Inhalants*
- 2) Watch the **entire** webinar presentation [here](#).
- 3) Complete the *Drugs of Abuse: Inhalants* post-test **and** overall course evaluation [here](#).
- 4) You must earn a minimum of 50% on the post-test in order to receive CE credit.

Once you have attested to the completion of the course and the number of credits you have claimed, you will receive your certificate of completion via email in 2-3 weeks.

**Duration:** 53 minutes

**Target Audience:** all licensed EM professionals in Florida and other allied health professionals treating patients requiring emergency care.

**Prerequisites:** NONE

**COST:** Free for all licensed EM professionals

**Webinar Overview and Objectives:**

Substance abuse is a widespread problem in the United States. Many people believe that drug use is limited to older teenagers and adults. Inhalants are easy to come by, legal, and perceived by kids as being low risk relative to other abused substances. A big problem is that inhalant abusers are generally younger and use peaks between the 7th and 9th grades.

- Describe the different methods of inhalant abuse
- Understand the pathophysiology behind inhalant abuse
- Review the presentation of patients with inhalant toxicity
- Review the treatment, both prehospital and within the emergency department, of those patients with inhalant toxicity

## **Faculty**

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In order to receive continuing education credit, you must: complete the pretest for *Drugs of Abuse: Inhalants* presentation, view the webinar presentation, **and** complete the *Drugs of Abuse: Inhalants* posttest, **and** overall course evaluation. You **must** watch the entire presentation **and** earn a minimum of 50% on the post-test in order to receive CE credit. Once you have attested to the completion of the course and the number of credits you have claimed, you will receive your certificate of completion via email in 2-3 weeks.

**Time to complete the course**

It is estimated that this course will take 53 minutes to complete.

**Date of original release:** 03/12/20

**Termination Date:** 4/15/20

**Method of communication between learner and faculty:**

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the educational material presented *Drugs of Abuse: Inhalants* webinar please contact the Emergency Medicine Learning and Resource Center offices at 407-281-7396 or via email at [registration@emlrc.org](mailto:registration@emlrc.org).

**Media or Combo of Media Used**

Internet, computer/phone

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**References/Sources:**

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