

American Academy of Addiction Psychiatry



Addictions And Their Treatment

VIRTUAL COURSE

SEPTEMBER 11 - 12, 2026

LIVE Q&A SESSIONS

Friday, September 11th

Presenter Time: 45 minutes each, followed by 15 minutes Q&A / Breaks: 5 minutes between sessions

11:30 AM -11:35 AM	Welcome and Introductions
11:35 AM – 12:35 PM	General Concepts and Epidemiology Kevin Sevarino, MD, PhD
12:35 PM – 12:40 PM	Break– 5 minutes
12:40 PM – 1:40 PM	Benzodiazepines: The Hidden Epidemic Richard Ries, MD
1:40 PM – 1:45 PM	Break– 5 minutes
1:45 PM – 2:45 PM	Stimulant-Related Disorder Steven Batki, MD
2:45 PM – 2:50 PM	Break– 5 minutes
2:50 PM – 3:50 PM	Tobacco and Nicotine Jill Williams, MD
3:50 PM – 3:55 PM	Break– 5 minutes
3:55 PM – 4:55 PM	Cannabis Petros Levounis, MD
4:55 PM – 5:00 PM	Break– 5 minutes
5:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Hallucinogens Michael Bogenschutz, MD
6:00 PM – 6:05 PM	End-of-Day Wrap-Up

Saturday, September 12th

Presenter Time: 45 minutes each, followed by 15 minutes Q&A / Breaks: 5 minutes between sessions

11:30 AM -11:35 AM	Welcome and Introductions
11:35 AM – 12:35 PM	Alcohol David Marcovitz, MD
12:35 PM – 12:40 PM	Break– 5 minutes
12:40 PM – 1:55 PM	Review of Opioids and Treatment of Opioid Use Disorders* John Renner, MD
1:55 PM – 2:00 PM	Break– 5 minutes
2:00 PM – 2:45 PM	Urine Drug Testing** Kevin Sevarino, MD, PhD
2:45 PM – 2:50 PM	Break– 5 minutes
2:50 PM – 3:50 PM	Neurobiology and Genetics Kevin Sevarino, MD, PhD
3:50 PM – 3:55 PM	Break– 5 minutes
3:55 PM – 4:55 PM	Psychosocial Treatments of the Addictions Edward Nunes, MD
4:55 PM – 5:00 PM	End-of-Day Wrap-Up