

Marijuana Debunking the Myths

Monday, June 10, 2019
8:30-11:30 a.m.

Allen College
Gerard Hall, McBride Auditorium
1950 Heath Street, Waterloo, IA

Event Hosted By:

Pathways Behavioral Services

Intended Audience:

Substance abuse and mental health professionals and nurses

Purpose: To provide high quality education related to medical marijuana legalization. The legalization of medical marijuana has created an increasing negative shift in the attitudes and behaviors of not only those seeking out marijuana for use (both adults and youth) but in those that are providing medical and therapy services.

Educational Objectives:

Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:

1. Articulate the connection with marijuana use and brain function including impact on youth brain development.
2. Identify and understand the connection between marijuana and psychosis.
3. Describe health concerns related to marijuana use.
4. Articulate information about the Iowa Medical Marijuana Law.

Presenter:

Ed Gogek, M.D.

Cost: Nurses affiliated with UnityPoint Health – Allen Hospital or Allen College may attend for a \$10 cost to cover CEUs. There is a registration fee of \$75 for all other participants. This fee includes CEU cost for either nursing or substance abuse. Please contact Vicki Mueller at (319) 235-6571 with any questions.

Credit: This program has been approved for 2.75 Contact Hours through Allen College, Iowa Board of Nursing provider #127 and 2.75 substance abuse CEUs through Iowa Board of Certifications. Participants must attend the entire session to receive credit.