

Pain Management Program

Clinical Pain Rounds

(This rounds program is considered accredited for MOC Program Section 1: Accredited Group Learning credits)

Wednesday December 6, 2017

0715 – 0830 hours

Room #B3-655, SJHC

Case 1: “Protracted Opioid Withdrawal.”

Presented by: Dr. Geoff Bellingham

Objectives:

1. *To describe the phenomena of protracted opioid withdrawal and opioid abstinence hyperalgesia.*
2. *To review the opioid tapering recommendations in the 2017 Canadian Guide for Chronic Non-Cancer Pain.*
3. *To describe recent literature illustrating the relationship between chronic opioid therapy dose reduction, pain scores, and depressive symptoms.*