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## Opioid Use in Rural Communities: A 4-part Series Addressing Implementation of Medication Treatment for Opioid Use Disorder in Clinical Settings

The dramatic increase in opioid overdose deaths across the nation, particularly in rural areas, highlights the need for rapid expansion of access to medication treatment for opioid use disorder (MOUD). The Greater Southern California Node (GSCN) of the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Clinical Trials Network (CTN) presents a 4-part series featuring rural clinicians and clinical researchers who will share practical knowledge and skills for improving care for patients with OUD in rural settings.

### Series Details



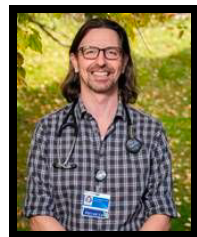
The series will be hosted by **Larissa Mooney, M.D.** Dr. Mooney is a Professor of Clinical Psychiatry and the Director of the Addiction Psychiatry Division in the Department of Psychiatry and Biomedical Sciences at UCLA. She is also a Principal Investigator for the GSCN of the NIDA CTN.

- I. **October 12, 2022 from 12:00pm-1:00pm PST**  
*Hindrances and Helps in Delivering Care*
- II. **November 9, 2022 from 12:00pm-1:00pm PST**  
*The Substance Use Disorder Workforce*
- III. **December 7, 2022 from 12:00pm-1:00pm PST**  
*Telemedicine and Increasing Access to MOUD Care*
- IV. **January 18, 2023 from 12:00pm-1:00pm PST**  
*Caring for Complex Patients in Resource-Limited Communities*

### Featured Speakers



**Allison Lin, M.D.**  
Assistant Professor & Addiction Psychiatrist, Dept. of Psychiatry, University of Michigan



**Caleb C. Holtzer, M.D.**  
Family Medicine Physician, Providence Family Medicine, Chewelah, WA



**John Brooklyn, M.D.**  
Clinical Associate Professor, Family Medicine & Psychiatry, University of Vermont



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