

Board Vitals: Pain Medicine

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Estimated time to complete activity: Up to 45 hours

Overview

Board Vitals provides a high-quality, effective, and a powerful board review tool to be utilized by practicing physicians, residents and medical students.

A question bank for Pain Medicine specialists provides up-to-date questions and answers with rationale. The full-length practice exam is a means to judge one's overall preparedness as well as the ability to compare scores with peers.

Target Audience

The target audience consists of physicians specializing in Pain Medicine.

Learning Objectives

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

- Describe the pharmacology of common medications used for pain management
- Describe anatomy, risks, and benefits of interventional pain procedures
- Understand the anatomy, physiology, and pathophysiology of pain transmission
- Assess the level and impact of pain states on the patient
- Diagnose and treat acute and chronic pain syndromes

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