PRAC-ED PA SUD: Getting Started Student Guide

As part of a national grant, Physician Assistant Education Association (PAEA) has partnered with PA program faculty across the United States to develop this Substance Use Disorder (SUD) e-learning curriculum. The goal of this curriculum is to address the SUD epidemic that continues to exact a heavy toll on lives, health, and resources throughout the nation. We hope this experience is one that you will not only enjoy but integrate into your clinical practices.

Accessing the Curriculum

1. You will receive an email from Rise.com (our Learning Management System) prompting you to create a password.
2. Log in at https://paeaonline.rise.com/. Your email address is your **university email address**, and your password is the password that you created. More information on navigating Rise.com can be found HERE.

You have 30 days to access the curriculum from the start date coordinated with your PA Program.

Course Overview

The curriculum was designed to be completed in **6-8 hours**. Upon successful completion of each module, you will receive an email with a link to download your **completion certificate**. You should save this certificate for your records or as directed by your program faculty. Please note that **certificates do not include module scores.** You can screenshot your scores as they appear after each module as directed by your program faculty.

We recommend that you **work your way through the course in order** as each module builds on knowledge from preceding sections. Each section will start with **pre-test questions** to allow you to see what areas you need to focus on before moving through the curriculum and taking the **post-test**.

Surveys

As part of the SAMHSA federal grant that supports the development and delivery of this curriculum, we are asking that each student fill out **pre-attitudinal and post-attitudinal surveys** as well as a **post-event survey**. The attitudinal surveys will gather your opinion on various aspects of substance use disorder. The post-event survey will allow you to provide feedback about your experience with the course. Participation in surveys is confidential. **The pre-attitudinal survey is located just before the course introduction while the post-attitudinal and post-event surveys are located just after Module 5.**

Frequently Asked Questions

I didn't receive my Rise.com invite?	Look in your inbox or junk folder. If you still cannot find it, contact Sorcha Desmond, Grant Coordinator at PAEA, at **sdesmond@paeaonline.org** and we will resend the invite.
How long will I have access to the curriculum?	You will only have access during your scheduled delivery period. During this time, feel free to screenshot or download content, resource lists, scores, and completion certificate.
I didn't pass the post-quiz?	You have 3 attempts to take the post-quiz. 80% is considered passing.
How will final grades be determined?	Final grading protocol is up to your program. We will provide your faculty with an end of the month program report that verifies course completion status and the total time you engaged with the curriculum to allow for assignment of Pass/Fail scores. However, if your program requires exact scores, you can screenshot your post-quiz results at the end of each module.
Can I have beyond the scheduled end date to complete the curriculum?	We are unable to accommodate extensions as we are running multiple programs at one time. However, we are willing to consider emergency situations.
When is my deadline?	You have until midnight on the final day of your course delivery period.
How long do modules take?	On average, modules take 6-8 hours to complete. You can complete modules at your own pace throughout you scheduled delivery period.

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