Improving Access to Quality Medical Care

The practice and delivery of healthcare is changing with an emphasis on improving quality, safety, efficiency, & access to care. Telemedicine can help you achieve these goals! The Arizona Telemedicine Program, Southwest Telehealth Resource Center, and Arizona Poison and Drug Information Center invite you to a free webinar on the implementation and practice of telemedicine.

Telehealth Webinar

Wednesday, October 30, 2019 ~ 12:00 pm PDT/3:00 pm EDT

“Desert Expertise. TeleToxicology Consultation: Cases and Treatment”

The objectives for this webinar are:

1. Describe TeleToxicology Consultations
2. Discuss 3 actual cases: presentation, workup and treatment (poisonous snakebite, massive bee stinging, severe opioid overdose)
3. Explain how to access TeleToxicology Consultations

Farshad “Mazda” Shirazi, MS, MD, PhD. Associate Professor of Medical Toxicology, Emergency Medicine, Pharmacology and Pharmacy Practice. Dr. Shirazi trained in both basic science of pharmacology/toxicology and its application in medicine. He has served as PI for clinical trials for new therapeutics and continues to do research in effects of chemical in humans. Dr. Shirazi serves as the Medical Director of The Arizona Poison and Drug Information Center, one of the 55 designated centers by the CDC in the US. He is Co-Director of Center for Pharmacology, Toxicology, Research and Education at University of Arizona College of Medicine Phoenix. He also serves as a scientific liaison to the Pediatric Environmental Health Specialty Unit (PEHSU) of EPA Region 9 in the State of Arizona. Dr. Shirazi is also the Program Director of the Medical Toxicology Fellowship at University of Arizona’s College of Medicine and Co-Director of Clinical Toxicology fellowship at College of Pharmacy. He has trained multiple physicians and pharmacist in areas of toxicology most of which have passed their sub-specialties boards in toxicology.

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