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# RURAL ROCKS

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Please complete the following survey for medication therapy management software platform use to assist in a pharmacy student research poster project sponsored by SWOSU College of Pharmacy and the Rural Health Center. You can go to this site to access the survey: [http://swosu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_6gMPDF7vNVaQ7sx](http://swosu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6gMPDF7vNVaQ7sx)

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<https://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/default.htm>

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<https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/drugshortages/default.cfm>

## DRUGS

## HOSPITAL

## FDA

### FDA Medication Guides: June 8, 2018

<http://s2027422842.t.en25.com/e/es?s=2027422842&e=98149&elqTrackId=B1F0B909CCF90C71B9C490C37BFE6647&elq=b1f489a4cdf746528d1012cf840d1f2d&elqaid=3478&elqat=1>

### First Marijuana-Based Drug Approved to Treat LGS, Dravet Syndrome

[https://www.neurologyadvisor.com/epilepsy/epidiolex-cannabidiol-lennox-gastaut-syndrome-dravet-syndrome-approved/article/776000/?utm\\_source=newsletter&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=na-update-&dl=0&DCMP=EMC-na-update-&cpn=pharm\\_all%2cbaraclude113974&hmSubId=07oGyhXy0c1&hmEmail=zc9AEZF4x4rPbtLJAxJhmkIDzcIVA8s10&NID=](https://www.neurologyadvisor.com/epilepsy/epidiolex-cannabidiol-lennox-gastaut-syndrome-dravet-syndrome-approved/article/776000/?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=na-update-&dl=0&DCMP=EMC-na-update-&cpn=pharm_all%2cbaraclude113974&hmSubId=07oGyhXy0c1&hmEmail=zc9AEZF4x4rPbtLJAxJhmkIDzcIVA8s10&NID=)

## MEDICARE

### New Medicare Card: MBI Look-up Tool Available through your MAC

[https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Outreach/FFSProvPartProg/Provider-Partnership-Email-Archive-Items/2018-06-07-eNews.html?DLPage=1&DLEntries=10&DLSort=0&DLSortDir=descending#\\_Toc515966250](https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Outreach/FFSProvPartProg/Provider-Partnership-Email-Archive-Items/2018-06-07-eNews.html?DLPage=1&DLEntries=10&DLSort=0&DLSortDir=descending#_Toc515966250)

## IMMUNIZATIONS

### CDC Vaccine Price List

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/vfc/awardees/vaccine-management/price-list/index.html>

## PHARMACY EDUCATION

## COPD EDUCATION

### Understanding COPD Diagnosis and Management

<https://www.managedhealthcareconnect.com/content/recent-advances-copd-diagnosis-and-management>

### New Risk Score Tool Accurately Predicts Hospitalization Risk in COPD Patients

<https://www.managedhealthcareconnect.com/content/effectively-predicting-risk-hospitalizations-copd-patients-new-tool>

### COPD Doubles Costs for Older Adults with Lung Cancer

<https://www.managedhealthcareconnect.com/content/copd-doubles-costs-older-adults-lung-cancer>

## DIABETES EDUCATION

### Which Diet Is Most Effective in Controlling HbA1C

<https://www.managedhealthcareconnect.com/content/which-diet-most-effective-controlling-hba1c>

### Recent-Onset Diabetes Associated With Higher Risk of Pancreatic Cancer in Certain Patients

<http://www.oncnet.com/news/recent-onset-diabetes-associated-higher-risk-pancreatic-cancer-certain-patients?hmpid=cmFuZlHlnYzIwMTFAeWFob28uY29t>

### One Blood Test Might Be Enough to Diagnose Diabetes

<https://consumer.healthday.com/diabetes-information-10/misc-diabetes-news-181/one-blood-test-might-be-enough-to-diagnose-diabetes-734895.html>

### Metformin Impact on Diabetes, CKD

<https://www.managedhealthcareconnect.com/content/metformin-impact-diabetes-ckd-1>

## OPIOID EDUCATION

### SAMHSA releases updated Opioid Overdose Prevention Toolkit

<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USSAMHSA/bulletins/1f220ed>

### Methadone and buprenorphine reduce risk of death after opioid overdose

<https://www.nih.gov/news-events/news-releases/methadone-buprenorphine-reduce-risk-death-after-opioid-overdose>

### Common Causes of Death Following Nonfatal Opioid Overdose Identified

<https://www.consultant360.com/exclusives/common-causes-death-following-nonfatal-opioid-overdose-identified>

## INSURANCE

## NEWS

### Rural Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse Toolkit

<https://www.ruralhealthinfo.org/toolkits/substance-abuse>

### Roche introduces self-testing device for coagulation monitoring

<https://www.drugstorenews.com/otc/roche-introduces-self-testing-device-for-coagulation-monitoring/>

### When Shingles Gets In Your Eyes

[http://drugtopics.com/shingles-vaccine/when-shingles-gets-your-eyes?rememberme=1&elq\\_mid=2112&elq\\_cid=819426](http://drugtopics.com/shingles-vaccine/when-shingles-gets-your-eyes?rememberme=1&elq_mid=2112&elq_cid=819426)

### Novel drug therapy partially restores hearing in mice

<https://www.nih.gov/news-events/news-releases/novel-drug-therapy-partially-restores-hearing-mice>