



RIVER CITIES CHAPTER OF
MEDICAL ASSISTANTS

ZOOM BASED CONTINUING EDUCATION

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14TH, 2021
8:30AM-10:30AM PACIFIC TIME

Eating Disorders in Children & Adolescents

with Sherrill Gandsey, RN

Sherrill Gandsey, RN, Program Nurse at Kartini Clinic for Children & Families, will be presenting on the biopsychosocial factors involved in the diagnosis and treatment of children and adolescents with eating disorders, as well as the role of medical assistants in taking vital signs for these patients. Because eating disorders are biological brain diseases, knowledge of how to obtain accurate vitals and interpret lab results is critical to long-term treatment.

Learning objectives:

- Improved ability to take vital signs for a patient with an eating disorder & identify abnormal vitals, such as an orthostatic patient
- Knowledge of how to interpret lab results using pH spec-gravity, urinalysis, etc.
- Awareness of how to correctly weigh a patient suffering from an eating disorder
- Better understanding of how to interact with and support these patients during treatment in a non-triggering manner

2 AAMA-Approved CEUs (Clinical/General)

Registration is **REQUIRED!**

\$0 AAMA Member | \$20 Non-Member | \$0 Students (must be currently enrolled)

Registration **WILL NOT** be accepted past **Sunday August 8th at 11:59pm PST**

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You will receive the webinar link via email a few days prior to the education.

Fees for non-members will be invoiced via PayPal. Payments must be made **no later than August 12th at 11:59pm PST**



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