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Obstructive Sleep Apnea and Transportation: What are the Risks and the Rules on the Road, in the Air, and on the Rails?



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Attending physicians, house staff/fellows, medical students, nurses, physician assistants.

NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Obstructive sleep apnea is a very prevalent sleep disorder but there is a gap in knowledge about its impact on commercial drivers, pilots and rail conductors. The sleep physician needs to be updated on how to screen, diagnose and treat this disorder effectively in the work force. The current state of

regulation/legislation about commercial drivers, pilots and rail conductors with obstructive sleep apnea in the US will also be reviewed.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants will learn to:

- 1. To screen and select the best diagnostic technic for OSA in the work force.
- 2. To understand the appropriate treatment options for these workers and to address compliance issues.
- 3. To understand the limitations of the current regulations. <u>DESIGNATION STATEMENT</u>

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