**Psychiatry & Psychotherapy Podcast Series: Episode 204: Adverse Childhood Experiences Part 2: Measurement, Impact on Future Mental Health, Dissociation, and Timing of Trauma**

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**Purpose**

This episode will continue our discussion regarding adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) and their influence on the development of future mental health disorders. The greatest predictive factor of the relationship between ACEs and future mental health disorders has to do with the severity, duration, and number of traumatic events. We’ll explore the Childhood Trauma Questionnaire and the data of how ACEs increase the risk of certain personality disorders and psychiatric conditions.

**Target Audience**

Specialties – Family Medicine, Medicine, Psychiatry & Human Behavior

Professions – Physician, Nurse Practitioner, Physician Assistant

**Activity Objectives**

1 Describe the Childhood Trauma Questionnaire (CTQ) and understand how it is utilized and how the results are interpreted

2 Describe how multiple Adverse Childhood Events (ACEs) impact the development of mood disorders, posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), personality disorders, substance use disorder (SUD), and psychotic illnesses

3 Describe how Adverse Childhood Events (ACEs) can impact psychosocial development

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**Agenda**

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