

# Addiction & Treatment

## Understanding Addiction

Addiction is a chronic relapsing brain disease. Brain imaging shows that addiction severely alters brain areas critical to decision-making, learning and memory, and behavior control, which may help to explain the compulsive and destructive behaviors of addiction.



**This class will offer 2 hours CME**  
**To register go to: [www.lpcnems.org](http://www.lpcnems.org)**  
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## ADDICTION SYSTEM AND PERSONAL IMPACT

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### TOPICS:

- Signs and Symptoms of alcohol and other drug use
- The Opiate and Heroin Epidemic
- The Addiction System and the Levels of Care
- Use of Medication Supported Recovery
  - Suboxone
  - Methadone
  - Vivitrol

The class will be held at  
the:

**Genesee County FTC**  
**7690 State Street Rd**

**Batavia, NY 14020**

**March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

**1900-2100**