

# Call for Papers!

*The American Journal of Managed Care*® (AJMC®) is issuing a call for papers for a themed issue on **SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS**, with a tentative publication date of **November 2018**.

The CDC reported that the number of opioid deaths in the United States in 2016 had topped 42,000, an increase of 28% over 2015 that highlighted the very real and continuing danger of the opioid epidemic. These data have focused new attention on substance use disorders and what can be done to improve outcomes for affected individuals.

## Some topics of interest related to substance use disorder include:

- Opioid use disorder prediction and prevention
- Approaches to overdose prevention
- Strategies for increasing adherence to evidence-based treatment
- Use of behavioral and pharmacological interventions
- Gaps in care coordination
- New modalities of care
- Geographic outcomes and disparities of substance use disorders
- Cost of substance use disorder treatment programs
- Public health policies to improve healthcare outcomes

Please indicate in your cover letter that the submission is for the substance use disorders issue. For the best chance to be considered, please submit your manuscript by **June 30, 2018**.

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