



## **RX AUTHORITY FOR PHARMACISTS – MINOR AILMENTS PART II Information Sheet**

### **PROGRAM OBJECTIVES**

- Overview of Minor Ailments Prescribing
- Review of the decision making and how it pertains to minor ailments
- Demonstration of the application of the decision making process to minor ailment prescribing (case)
- Review of documentation for minor ailment prescribing

### **PROGRAM INFORMATION**

This course has been designed to train Level I pharmacists in all aspects of prescribing for the newest minor ailments (Diaper Dermatitis, Canker Sores and Oral Thrush). This is optional training, if you have taken the first set of Minor Ailments (Acne, Cold Sores and Allergic Rhinitis), SCPP deems that you can apply that knowledge and will be able to begin prescribing for the newest minor ailments as well. This training is meant to help with confidence and decision making, but is not mandatory for prescribing. The Guidelines, for all the available minor ailments, were developed by the team at medSask and are available on their website.

There are multiple sections to the online course, in each one there is a description of the ailment, a review of the signs & symptoms, differential assessments, treatment options and when to refer. The sections are:

- ❖ Diaper Dermatitis
- ❖ Oral Thrush
- ❖ Canker Sores
- ❖ SCPP Update
- ❖ Frequently Asked Questions

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

You must have taken Level 1 Basics AND the Minor Ailments 1 (Acne, Cold Sores and Allergic Rhinitis) before you can take this training program. This applies to the online versions of this course.

Once you have completed the program online, you are required to notify the CPDPP office of your completion. After you have done this, you may begin prescribing right away, you do not have to wait for your CEU certificate. CPDPP will then email you your CEU certificate, to be stored in your Learning Portfolio, as well as report your completion to SCPP, in order for you to be considered certified.

**This program has been approved by CPDPP for 2.5 CEUs**