Sickle Cell Pain and Crisis Resources

These resources are designed to expand your knowledge of sickle cell disease so you can better empower students living with SCD on your campus to thrive. Your campus disability services office can also provide guidance on accommodations.

Vaso-Occlusive Crisis (VOC) Management

- JAMA Sickle Cell Disease: A Review
- Provincial Council for Maternal and Child Health (PCMCH)
 Clinical Handbook for Sickle Cell Disease Vaso-Occlusive Crisis
- American Society of Hematology (ASH) Clinical Practice Guidelines
- National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) Clinical Guidelines
- North Carolina Emergency Nurse's Association
 Emergency Department Vaso-Occlusive Crisis Management
- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Sickle Cell Disease Provider Toolkit

Pain Management

- CDC's Clinical Practice Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Pain
- Texas Prescription Monitoring Program
- CDC's Overdose Prevention Naloxone Toolkit

Communicating with Patients

- Center for Health Communication Pain, Opioids, and Hard Conversations
- CDC's Overdose Prevention Health Care Provider Trainings



