



# CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON AND THE NATIONAL HIV CURRICULUM CERTIFY THAT

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HAS COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING LESSONS IN THE

## ANTIRETROVIRAL THERAPY 3<sup>RD</sup> EDITION MODULE

Antiretroviral Medications and Initial Therapy, Adverse Effects of Antiretroviral Medications, Drug Interactions with Antiretroviral Medications, Switching or Simplifying Antiretroviral Therapy, and Evaluation and Management of Virologic Failure

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**The following Lessons were completed along with their quizzes with a quiz score of 80% or higher:**

Lessons	Learning Objectives
<b>Antiretroviral Medications and Initial Therapy</b>  Completed June 29, 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>List the major classes of antiretroviral medications</li> <li>Explain the mechanism of action with each class of antiretroviral medications</li> <li>Summarize evidence supporting antiretroviral treatment for all people with HIV</li> <li>Describe recommended antiretroviral regimens for treatment-naïve individuals and discuss factors to consider when selecting an initial regimen</li> <li>Discuss recommended laboratory studies to obtain at baseline and while monitoring response to therapy</li> </ul>
<b>Adverse Effects of Antiretroviral Medications</b>  Completed July 2, 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Summarize common adverse effects associated with antiretroviral medications</li> <li>Identify serious adverse effects caused by antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>List appropriate baseline laboratory studies to perform when starting antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>Discuss frequency of types of laboratory tests for monitoring persons taking antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>Explain management strategies for antiretroviral-related adverse effects</li> </ul>
<b>Drug Interactions with Antiretroviral Medications</b>  Completed July 2, 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain the difference between pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics</li> <li>Access resources for checking drug interactions that involve antiretroviral medications</li> <li>Identify commonly used antiretroviral medications that often cause significant drug interactions</li> <li>Discuss how antiretroviral medications can increase or decrease levels of some medications when coadministered</li> <li>Describe potential drug interactions between antiretroviral medications and medications commonly used to treat comorbid conditions</li> </ul>
<b>Switching or Simplifying Antiretroviral Therapy</b>  Completed July 2, 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discuss the rationale for switching or simplifying antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>Describe common situations to consider for simplifying antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>Explain why some antiretroviral medications generally warrant a switch to a newer agent</li> <li>List the two-drug regimens that have been FDA-approved for maintenance antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>Summarize key findings with studies involving a switch to an integrase strand transfer inhibitor</li> </ul>
<b>Evaluation and Management of Virologic Failure</b>  Completed July 2, 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe the management of intermittent and persistently detectable HIV RNA levels in persons receiving antiretroviral therapy</li> <li>Discuss the indications for and types of resistance testing for patients with virologic failure</li> <li>Utilize an HIV resistance database tool to assist in the optimal selection of regimens in persons with HIV drug resistance</li> <li>Summarize concepts of resistance with different antiretroviral drug classes</li> <li>Explain key considerations when selecting a salvage antiretroviral regimen in persons with virologic failure</li> </ul>