

Division of Disease Control

Annual Infectious Disease Conference

November 15, 2017 at the Augusta Civic Center

Agenda

TIME	TITLE	LOCATION
7:45	Participant and Exhibitor Registration / Poster Set-up	Lobby Area
8:15	Welcome & Introductions – Ricker Hamilton, Commissioner, Maine DHHS	Auditorium
8:30	Whole Genome Sequencing - How It's Changing Clinical Practice - William Wolfgang PhD, Division of Infectious Disease, Wadsworth Center/ David Axelrod Institute, NY State Department of Health	Auditorium
9:30	Emerging Pathogens - Maroya Walters PhD, ScM, Lead, Antimicrobial Resistance Team, Prevention and Response Branch, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion, US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Auditorium
10:30	Break & View Exhibits / Posters	Auditorium
10:45	Session A: Culture Wars: A Plate Awakens - Richard Danforth SM (ASCP), Laboratory Program Advisor/BT Coordinator/Biosafety Officer/Quality Assurance Officer/ARO, Maine State Health and Environmental Testing Laboratory, Maine DHHS	Auditorium
10:45	Session B: Introducing the New Blood Lead Module of ImmPact - Andrew E. Smith SM ScD, State Toxicologist & Manager, Environmental and Occupational Health Programs, Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Maine DHHS	North Wing Arnold/ Howard
10:45	Session C: Advancements in HIV Testing Technologies & Interpretation of Lab Reports – Philip Chan MD, MS, Physician at The Miriam Hospital and Rhode Island Hospital, Assistant Professor of Medicine at Brown University and Director of HIV/STD Testing and Prevention Services at The Miriam Hospital Immunology Center	North Wing Fort Western
11:45	Lunch & Pump Handle Awards / View Exhibits /Posters	Auditorium
1:00	Session A: Vaccine Preventable Disease Outbreaks and Challenges in Vaccination – Candice Robinson MD, MPH, LCDR, United States Public Health Service, Medical Officer, Immunization Service Division, National Center for Immunizations and Respiratory Disease, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Auditorium
1:00	Session B: Tuberculosis Updates - Elizabeth A. Talbot MD, Deputy State Epidemiologist for State of New Hampshire, Director of International Health Clinic at Dartmouth, Medical Director for NH DHHS TB Program	North Wing Arnold/ Howard

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1:00	Session C: HIV Preexposure Prophylaxis and Treatment as Prevention – Douglas Krakower MD, Division of Infectious Disease at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Research Scientist at the Fenway Institute, Assistant Professor in Medicine and Population Medicine at Harvard Medical School	North Wing Fort Western
2:00	Break & View Exhibits / Posters	Auditorium
2:15	Session A: Tick-borne Diseases - Paige Armstrong MD, MHS, LCDR, US Public Health Service, Medical Epidemiologist, Rickettsial Zoonoses Branch, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Auditorium
2:15	Session B: Foodborne Outbreak Investigations Panel <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stephen Combes MS, MPH, Epidemiologist, Maine CDC, Maine DHHS• Heather Grieser BS, MB (ASCP), Molecular Biology, Bacteriology and Blood Lead Sections Supervisor, Maine CDC, Maine DHHS• Kohl Kanwit, MS, Director, Bureau of Public Health, Maine Department of Marine Resources• Lisa Silva, DTR LD, Health Inspection Program Manager, Maine CDC, Maine DHHS	North Wing Arnold/ Howard
3:15	Break	Auditorium
3:20	Case Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stuck with STEC – Patty Carson, BA, SM (ASCP), CIC, Field Epidemiologist, Division of Infectious Disease, Maine CDC• Measles in Maine - Sarah Bly, BA, Field Epidemiologist, Division of Infectious Disease, Maine CDC• Public health Implications of Varicella in Group Settings - Kate Colby, MPH, Field Epidemiologist, York District Division of Infectious Disease, Maine CDC• Multidrug-Resistant Organism Outbreaks in Healthcare Facilities - Brittany Roy, MPH, HAI Project Specialist, Division of Infectious Disease, Maine CDC	Auditorium
4:15	Adjourn	