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Arizona Healthcare-Acquired Conditions (HAC) and Healthcare Associated Infections (HAI) Prevention Summit

2016 Two-Day Arizona Acute & Long-Term Care Infection Prevention and Control Collaborative

Thursday, May 5, 2016 – and – Friday, May 6, 2016

Black Canyon Conference Center
9440 N. 25th Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85021

Purpose:

The purpose of this Arizona Healthcare-Acquired Conditions (HAC) and Healthcare Associated Infections (HAI) Prevention Summit learning session is to bring Arizona hospitals and Long Term Care Centers together to learn new evidence based practices in preventing infections and reducing harm.

Training Goals:

- Educate infection preventionists and other staff on the key concepts and basic principles for infection prevention and harm reduction.
- Deliver tools and evidence-based interventions to mitigate risk within healthcare facilities.

Objectives:

- Hear from subject matter experts on specific topics related to HAI and HAC reduction.
- Learn about tools to help identify and remove barriers.
- Identify the role of infection prevention in adverse events.
- Identify infection prevention challenges across various healthcare settings.
- Learn evidence-based practices in infection prevention and harm reduction to apply in your facility.
- Teach the basics of infection prevention and understand the essential components of an effective infection prevention program.

Who Should Attend?

All hospitals and LTC staff members are invited to attend, including your nurse and physician champions, nurses, wound care nurses, administrators, infection preventionists, data coordinators, quality directors, case managers, and unit staff/team leads.

Registration:

There is a nominal fee to attend on May 5 and no fee on May 6; however, a separate registration is required each day. For more details and to register visit the website at:

Thursday, May 5, 2016 [REGISTER HERE](#)

Friday, May 6, 2016 [REGISTER HERE](#)

[If attending both days, you must register with both links above](#)

Registration will close on Friday, April 29, 2016



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AGENDA

Thursday, May 5, 2016

- 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **Registration & Breakfast**
- 9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
Sandy Severson, Arizona Hospital & Healthcare Association
Charlie Chapin, Health Services Advisory Group
- 9:10 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. CDI Prevention: An Overview of the Latest Evidence
Steve Tremain, MD, Cynosure
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. Preventing Falls and Pressure Ulcers
Jackie Conrad, Cynosure
- 10:50 a.m. – 11:05 a.m. **Break**
- 11:05 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. Patient and Family Engagement – The Value Proposition
Tanya Lord, PhD
- 11:55 p.m. – 12:45 p.m. **Lunch**
- 12:45 p.m. – 1:35 p.m. Preventing CAUTI/CLABSI – What’s New
Linda Greene, RN, MPS, CIC, Infection Prevention Manager,
UR Highland Hospital, Rochester, NY
- 1:35 p.m. – 2:35 p.m. Panel Discussion: Hardwiring Improvement – Sustaining Success
- 2:35 p.m. – 2:50 p.m. **Break**
- 2:50 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Patient Safety and Quality Improvement: The Value in Doing Things Right
Howard Pitluk, MD, MPH, FACS, VP of Medical Affairs & CMO,
Health Services Advisory Group
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Antimicrobial Stewardship – Preventing Super Bugs
Steve Tremain, MD, Cynosure
- 4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Action Planning: Putting Principles into Action
Wrap-up & Evaluations



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AGENDA

Friday, May 6, 2016

- 7:15 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. **Registration & Breakfast**
- 8:00 a.m. - 8:10 a.m. Welcome and Introductions
- 8:10 a.m. - 8:20 a.m. Pre-Evaluation Survey
Felicia McLean, Arizona Department of Health Services
- 8:20 a.m. - 8:35 a.m. ADHS Licensing: Citations & Deficiencies
Joel Bunis, MBA, Arizona Department of Health Services
- 8:35 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Outbreak Investigations and Reporting – Know your POC and Resources
Eugene Livar, MD, Arizona Department of Health Services
- 9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. APIC Introduction & Benefits/IP Development
Jennifer Maxwell, RN, MSN, CIC, APIC Grand Canyon
- 9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. **Break**
- 9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Surveillance & NHSN
Dolly Greene, RN, CIC, Diagnostic Laboratories and Radiology
- 10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Antimicrobial Stewardship (CDI/CAUTI)
Peter Patterson, MD, MBA, FCAP
- 11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. **Lunch**
- 12:15 p.m. - 1:05 p.m. Care Transition & Rehospitalization/Interfacility Communication
Diane Kubala, RN, Covenant Health Network
- 1:05 p.m. - 1:55 p.m. Healthcare Personnel and Resident Vaccination
Karen Lewis, MD, Arizona Department of Health Services
- 1:55 p.m. - 2:10 p.m. **Break**

RAPID FIRE SESSIONS

- 2:10 p.m. - 2:25 p.m. Injection Safety
Kamee Witts, RN, BSN, VA-BC, Diagnostic Laboratories and Radiology
- 2:25 p.m. - 2:40 p.m. Standard & Transmission Base Precautions
Dolly Greene, RN, CIC, Diagnostic Laboratories and Radiology
- 2:40 p.m. - 2:55 p.m. CMS Proposed Rule Changes
Lynn Luger, MSN, Covenant Health Network & Sylvia Balistreri, RN, BSN, Arizona Health Care Association
- 2:55 p.m. – 3:10 p.m. QAPI
Keith Chartier, MPH, Health Services Advisory Group
- 3:10 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. Post Survey
Felicia McLean, Arizona Department of Health Services
- 3:20 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Closing Remarks
Eugene Livar, MD, Arizona Department of Health Services