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Recharge with the power of the infection prevention community — nearly 5,000 strong — as you attend APIC’s 43rd Annual Conference to listen, learn, and contribute to creating a safer world. Be inspired by innovative thought leaders, cutting-edge science, and the newest products and technology.

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Cutting-Edge Learning and Six Topic Tracks
Customize your education with a full slate of education sessions and workshops across six topic tracks:

- Alternate Care Settings
- Emerging Science, Research, and Application
- Leadership and Professional Development
- Public Policy, Public Reporting, and Regulations
- Specialty Patient Populations
- Surveillance and Technology

Networking
APIC 2016 is all about the networking! Catch up with old friends and expand your “go to” roster of healthcare professionals. Start off at the Welcome Reception, make the most of your time in the exhibit hall, engage with speakers, and meet up with your APIC section members.

Information in this brochure is current as of 1/1/16. Please check the conference website for the most up-to-date information.
CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

Pre-Conference Workshops
If you’re preparing for certification or looking for a deep dive into key NHSN topics, sit in for a day-long workshop prior to the start of the conference (additional cost) on Friday, June 10:

- NHSN SSI and MDRO/CDI Surveillance and Data Analysis
- CIC® Certification Preparatory Course — Presented by APIC

Welcome Reception
Friday, June 10, 6–7:30 p.m.
Start your conference experience off with fun and friends at the Friday night Welcome Reception at the Discovery Museum! Explore interactive exhibits while enjoying food, drink, and fun networking games as we take over the museum!

Poster Presentations and Oral Abstract Sessions
Browse the collection of nearly 200 posters and listen in to the results of the latest scientific research in the oral abstract sessions. Join in thought-provoking discussions with colleagues at the forefront of infection prevention and epidemiology.

CDC Sessions
We’ve added more sessions from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention this year. Look for this special icon next to the session:

Exhibit Hall
Discover new products, emerging technologies, and the latest scientific advances in the APIC 2016 Exhibit Hall. Engage with more than 250 exhibitors providing hands-on demonstrations and showcasing the newest equipment, devices, and services.

APIC Live
Make sure to visit APIC Live, an area of the Exhibit Hall for APIC-related activities. Meet one on one with leading topic experts, view Film Festival entries (vote for your favorite!), and get a funny photo taken with friends in the APIC Photo Booth.

APIC Bookstore
Browse through new publications to find solutions to your infection prevention challenges. Take advantage of conference specials and online course demos, and find the perfect logo merchandise gift.

Special Event: Author Book Signing
Saturday, June 11, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
APIC Opening Plenary speaker Stephen Dubner will sign copies of Think Like a Freak.

APIC Central
You can do it all at APIC Central. Connect with peers and staff, renew your membership, learn about APIC programs and products, and get your questions answered. Or just take a break and chat with friends!

Exhibitor Satellite Symposia
Get even more education at APIC 2016 at Exhibitor Satellite Symposia on topics such as return on investment (ROI) and hand hygiene, reducing surgical site infections (SSIs), and reducing healthcare-associated infections (HAIs).

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SATURDAY, JUNE 11

Opening Plenary
8–10:30 a.m.

**Business and Management Lessons from Freakonomics and SuperFreakonomics**

Stephen Dubner

How can you really change behaviors in your facility? In this engaging presentation, award-winning author, journalist, radio and TV personality Stephen Dubner explains why the old rules of business just don't apply. It's a new world, and that demands a new way of thinking and a new way of getting beneath the surface. Using humor, first-rate storytelling, and real world examples from the healthcare field, he discusses ways to create behavior change, the incentives that work and don't work, and the value of asking unpopular questions.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

Plenary Session
8–9:15 a.m

**Disinfection and Sterilization: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly**

William Rutala, MS, MPH, PhD, Director, Statewide Program for Infection Control and Epidemiology
Director, Hospital Epidemiology, Occupational Health and Safety Program

Don't miss this entertaining and informative session by renowned expert William Rutala, professor in the Division of Infectious Diseases at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine. Get a fresh take on all things disinfection and sterilization, including the “good” classification scheme, improved data, and new technologies; the “bad” non-compliance with guidelines for reprocessing medical/surgical devices; and the “ugly” endoscope reprocessing and infection risks that may expose patients.

MONDAY, JUNE 13

Closing Plenary
4–6 p.m.

**Executing Imagination: Turning Raw Ideas into Powerful Results**

Josh Linkner

How is it that some organizations can harness imagination to create game-changing drivers of growth and innovation while others miss the mark? According to renowned tech entrepreneur and bestselling author Josh Linkner, the best companies have a systematic process to focus their team’s creativity into practical outputs. In this inspiring presentation, get practical tools that can be immediately implemented to increase creative output and deliver bottom-line results at your facility.
Saturday, June 11

CONCURRENT EDUCATION SESSIONS
3–4 p.m.

Session 1300
Understanding and Interpreting Research Studies for Deciding When to Integrate Evidence into Practice
Terri Rebmann, PhD, RN, CIC
Institute for Biosecurity, Saint Louis University College for Public Health and Social Justice
💡 Track: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 1302
Can We Fix It? Yes We Can! Building and Maintaining an Infection Prevention Practice During a Major Demolition Project
Jenny Bender, MPH, BSN, RN, CIC, CPH
UPMC Presbyterian
Leon Young, BS, MT(ASCP)
UPMC Presbyterian
💡 Track: Surveillance and Technology

Session 1303
Keep It Clean for Kids! Lessons Learned from a Four-Year Infection Prevention Initiative in Pediatric Long-Term Care
Lisa Saiman, MD, MPH
Columbia University Medical Center, Morgan Stanley Children’s Hospital of New York- Presbyterian
Bevin Cohen, MPH, MPhil
Columbia University School of Nursing Center for Interdisciplinary Research to Prevent Infections
Meghan Murray, MPH
Columbia University School of Nursing
Olivia Jackson, RN, BSN
Elizabeth Seton Pediatric Center
💡 Track: Specialty Patient Populations

Session 1304
Behavioral Modification: Jedi Mind Tricks to Create Change and Increase Compliance
Jill Holdsworth, MS, CIC, EMT-B
Sentara Northern Virginia Medical Center
💡 Track: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

Session 1305
IPPS — Demystifying CMS Requirements and Giving Them Meaning for IPs
Kathleen Gase, MPH, CIC
BJC HealthCare
💡 Track: Public Policy, Public Reporting, and Regulations

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Session 1301
3–3:30 p.m.
Integrating Infection Prevention and Control Programs into the Ambulatory Care Setting: An Evolving Model
Faith Skeete, RN, MS, CIC
New York University Medical Center
Natalie Fucito, BSN, RN, CCRN
NYU Langone Medical Center
*Track: Alternate Care Settings

3:30–4 p.m.
Not All Ambulatory Sites Are Created Equal: How a Large Tertiary Hospital Developed and Utilized a Specialized Risk Assessment Tool (A-IPRA), Improving Patient Safety in More Than 100 Offsite Locations
Donna Nucci, RN, BSN, CIC
Yale New Haven Hospital
*Track: Alternate Care Settings

Session 1306
3–3:30 p.m.
Dialysis and Infection Prevention
Priti Patel, MD, MPH
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

3:30–4 p.m.
Duodenoscopy *
Maroya Walters, PhD
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

WORKSHOPS
3–5:30 p.m.

Session 1400
Methods for Assessing Intervention Effectiveness *
Jonathan Edwards, MS
Minn Soe, MBBS, MPH
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 1401
VAE Protocol Review and Case Study Determinations *
Cindy Gross, MT, SM, CIC
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

CONCURRENT EDUCATION SESSIONS
4:30–5:30 p.m.

Session 1500
Creating Successful and Collaborative Relationships Between Infection Preventionists and Infectious Disease Physicians
Carol Vance, BSN, RN, CIC
HSHS St. Elizabeth’s Hospital
Hilary Babcock, MD, MPH
Washington University School of Medicine; BJC Health Care
*Track: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 1501
Should We Let the Dogs In?
Kathleen Darling, MS, MT, M(ASCP), CIC
Texas A&M University Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital
*Track: Alternate Care Settings

Session 1502
Use of Fecal Transplantation in the Management of C. difficile Infection
James Peacock, Jr. MD, FACP, FIDSA
Wake Forest School of Medicine, Section on Infectious Diseases
Session 1504
Increasing Uptake of Influenza and Other Vaccines Across Healthcare and Community Settings
Terri Rebmann, PhD, RN, CIC
Institute for Biosecurity, Saint Louis University College for Public Health and Social Justice
Track: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

Session 1505
The Physical Environment’s Critical Role in Infection Prevention: High-Risk Areas and Mitigation Strategies
Bryan Connors, MS, CIH
Environmental Health & Engineering, Inc.
Track: Public Policy, Public Reporting, and Regulations

Session 1506
CIC®: Creating Meaning for the Credential
Speaker TBA
Certification Board of Infection Control and Epidemiology (CBIC)

Session 2100
The Role of the Staff Nurse in Antimicrobial Stewardship
Rita Olens, DNP, CPNP, APRN, BC
MGH Institute for Health Professions
Track: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 2103
Delivering More Than Just Babies: An Overview of Infections and Prevention Opportunities in the OB/Newborn Setting
Sonya Mauzey, RN, BS, CIC
The Women’s Hospital, Deaconess Health System
Track: Specialty Patient Populations

Session 2104
Implementing a Severe Sepsis Improvement Program: The Role of the Infection Preventionist
Shannon Davila, RN, MSN, CIC, CPHQ
New Jersey Hospital Association
E. Jackie Blanchard, RN, MSN, CIC
Atlantic Health System
Laura Anderson, MSN, RN, CIC
Newton Medical Center
Track: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

Session 2105
Managing Risk and Liability for Hospital Waterborne Pathogens — Compliance with ASHRAE 188
Russell Nassof, JD
RiskNomics
Track: Public Policy, Public Reporting, and Regulations

Session 2106
Public Health and Healthcare Partnerships *
Lori Schaumleffel, RN, BSN, CIC
California Department of Health
Wendy Bamberg, MD
Colorado Department of Health Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Track: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 2102
To Be or Not to Be CAUTI *
Eileen Scalise, RN, MSN
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Track: Surveillance and Technology

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Session 2101
9:30–10 a.m.
Long-Term Care Regulatory Changes and Infection Prevention and Control: New Territory

Deborah Burdsall, MSN, RN-BC, CIC
Lutheran Home/Lutheran Life Communities

Track: Alternate Care Settings

10–10:30 a.m.
What Happens After Discharge? Partnering with Long-Term Care Facilities to Reduce Healthcare-Associated Infections

Nicole Mahr, RN, MS, OCN
UC Davis Medical Center

Track: Alternate Care Settings

CONCURRENT EDUCATION SESSIONS
1:30–2:30 p.m.

Session 2300
NHSN Analysis for Long-Term Acute Care Hospitals and Inpatient Rehabilitation Facilities *

Lindsey Weiner, MPH
Rashad Arcement, MSPH
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Track: Surveillance and Technology

Session 2302
Use of Genomic Sequencing at the State Level — A Colorado Example

Lisa Miller, MD, MSPH
Communicable Disease Branch
Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment — State of Colorado

Track: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

Session 2303
The Role of CMS in Assessing Infection Prevention and Control Compliance

Karen Hoffmann, RN, MS, CIC, FSHEA
University of North Carolina Chapel Hill School of Medicine

Session 2304
Engineering Success: Successfully Implementing CAUTI Prevention Practices

Kelley Boston, MPH, CIC
Infection Prevention & Management Associates
Cheryl Kirchner, RN, BSNM, MS, CPHQ
Methodist Healthcare System

Track: Public Policy, Public Reporting, and Regulations

Session 2305

John Martinelli
Forensic Analytical Consulting Services

Track: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

Session 2306
Bridging the Communication Gap Between Outpatient Dialysis and Acute Care *

Christi Lines, MPH
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Session 2301
1:30–2 p.m.
The State of Infection Prevention in Los Angeles Ambulatory Surgery Centers
Kelsey Oyong, MPH
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health
Track: Alternate Care Settings

2–2:30 p.m.
Case-Control Study of Multidrug-Resistant Pseudomonas Aeruginosa in a Urology Clinic
Allison Murad, MPH
Michigan Department of Health and Human Services
Noreen Mollon, MS, CIC
Michigan Department of Health and Human Services
Track: Specialty Patient Populations

Session 2400
Performing Surveillance for CLABSI Accurately in NHSN
Georganne Ryan, BBA, CIC
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 2401
Sales and Presentation Skills to Obtain Additional Resources for Your Infection Control Program
Diane Dumigan, RN, BSN, CIC
DG Dumigan Consulting LLC
George Dumigan, MS
New Haven Consulting Group, Inc.
Track: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 2402
International Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) in Resource-Limited Settings
Catherine Cooper, MD
Liberia Ministry of Health
Rachel Kamau, MPH
Kenya Ministry of Health
Shaheen Mehtar, MD
Infection Control Africa Network
Dan Vanderende, MD
Amy Kolwait, BSN, MS, MPH
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 2502
Modifying the CDC’s Guidelines for Isolation Precautions for Multidrug-Resistant Organisms (MDROs): Using Contact Precautions Only for Clearly Defined Portals of Exit
Steven Bock, BA, BSN, RN, CIC
NYU Langone Medical Center (NYC)
Ranekka Dean, MPA, RN, CIC
NYU Langone Medical Center
Track: Surveillance and Technology

Session 2503
The APIC MegaSurvey — Methods and Results
Timothy Landers, PhD, RN, CNP, CIC
The Ohio State University
James Davis, MSN, RN, CCRN, HEM, CIC
ECRI Institute

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Session 2504
Best Practices for High-Level Disinfection and Reprocessing Programs at Large Academic Health Institutions

Michael Shaw, MD
University of Minnesota Medical School

Susan Kline, MD, MPH
University of Minnesota Medical Center

Dawn England, MPH, CPHQ
University of Minnesota Health

Track: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

Session 2505
Lessons Learned from Validation of the Surveillance and Reporting of NHSN HAI Data to a State Health Department

Lauren Backman, RN, MHS
State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health

Track: Public Policy, Public Reporting, and Regulations

Session 2506
Top Recent HAI Outbreaks

Cheri Grigg, DVM, MPH
Meghan Lyman, MD
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Track: Surveillance and Technology

Session 3000
Publishing Goes Global

Elaine Larson, RN, PhD, FAAN, CIC
American Journal of Infection Control, APIC

Jennie Wilson, PhD, MSc, RGN, HonMFPH
Infection Prevention Society

Chingiz Amirov, MPH, MSc-QIPS, CIC
Canadian Journal of Infection Control, IPAC-Canada

Track: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 3002
Sustained Reduction of Device-Associated Infections in Veterans’ Health Administration Medical Facilities Nationwide — 10 Years of Success

Marla Clifton, RN, MSN, CIC
Department of Veterans Affairs/VHA

Kathleen DeRoos, RN, MSN, APRN, CIC
National Infectious Diseases Service, Department of Veterans Affairs/VHA

Stephen Krakovic, MD, MPH
Department of Veterans Affairs/VHA and University of Cincinnati

Track: Surveillance and Technology

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PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS (additional fee)

Friday, June 10, 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

NHSN SSI and MDRO/CDI Surveillance and Data Analysis — Presented by CDC

This interactive, pre-conference workshop will be devoted to the surveillance protocols, reporting, and data analysis of the NHSN SSI and MDRO/CDI Modules.

Friday, June 10, 8 a.m.–4:15 p.m.

CIC® Certification Preparatory Course — Presented by APIC

This full day workshop is directed at those who are preparing to take the CIC® certification examination for the first time. The exam reflects the new NHSN HAI definitions and is geared toward IPs who have at least two years of experience in the field. Individuals who are interested in learning more about certification or acquiring basic infection prevention and control knowledge, and those preparing for re-certification, are also welcome to attend.

CONCURRENT

A 60-minute session featuring the latest case studies, best practices, and science in infection prevention, with 45 minutes of lecture and 15 minutes of Q&A. Each session is assigned to one of the six educational tracks. Two 30-minute (30/30) back-to-back sessions are also offered on select topics.

WORKSHOPS

A two-and-a-half hour extended learning session that features in-depth training with interactive group work.
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### Coffee Break

9:15–9:30 a.m.

### Closing Plenary

4–5 p.m.
# MEETINGS AT-A-GLANCE

## THURSDAY, JUNE 9
- **APIC Board** .............................................................. 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

## FRIDAY, JUNE 10
- **APIC Board** .............................................................. 8 a.m.–12 p.m.
- **Committee Chairs** ................................................... 12–1 p.m.
- **AJIC Editorial Board** ................................................. 1–4 p.m.
- **Chapter Officers Meeting and Lunch** .......................... 1–4 p.m.
- **NHSN Surveillance System Vendors Meeting** ............... 1:30–3:30 p.m.
- **Communications Committee** ..................................... 3–5 p.m.
- **Conference Orientation Session** ............................... 3:30–4:30 p.m.
- **Professional Development Committee** ....................... 4–5:30 p.m.
- **Chapter Treasurers** .................................................. 4–5:30 p.m.
- **NHSN Update for IPs** ............................................... 4–5:30 p.m.
- **New Member/International Member Reception** ........... 4:30–5:30 p.m.
- **Welcome Reception** ................................................ 6–7:30 p.m.
- **CIC® Dessert Reception** ............................................ 7:30–8:30 p.m.

## SATURDAY, JUNE 11
- **Emergency Preparedness Committee** ....................... 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
- **Public Policy Committee** ......................................... 10:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
- **Prevention Strategist Editorial Panel** ......................... 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
- **Nominating and Awards Committee** .......................... 11 a.m.–2:30 p.m.
- **Practice Guidance Committee** ................................. 1–3 p.m.
- **Strategic Partners Appreciation and Recognition Gathering** 2–3 p.m.
- **APIC Leadership Reception** ..................................... 7–8:30 p.m.

## SUNDAY, JUNE 12
- **Research Committee** .............................................. 6:30–8 a.m.
- **Exhibitor Meeting** .................................................. 9–10 a.m.
- **Member Services Committee** ................................. 10:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.
- **Practice Guidance Committee** ............................... 11 a.m.–1 p.m.
- **Chapter Legislative Representatives** ......................... 11 a.m.–1:15 p.m.
- **Consultant Networking Event** ................................. 6–7:30 p.m.

## MONDAY, JUNE 13
- **APIC Education Committee** .................................... 11 a.m.–1 p.m.
APIC 2016
Exhibit Hall
DRIVING INNOVATION IN INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL
DON’T MISS:
Hundreds of hands-on demonstrations from 250+ exhibitors
Open daily starting at 10:30 a.m.
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Session 3003
To Glove or Not to Glove, That Is the Question: Glove Use in Acute and Long-Term Care
Deborah Burdsall, MSN, RN-BC, CIC
Lutheran Home/Lutheran Life Communities
Jennie Wilson, PhD, MSc, RGN, HonMFPH
Infection Prevention Society

Session 3004
Microbiome Primer *
Cliff McDonald, MD
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3005
Flexible Endoscope Reprocessing and the Importance of AAMI ST91
Mary Drosnock, MS, CIC, CFER, RM (NRCM)
Healthmark Industries

Session 3006
Using TAP for HAI Prevention *
Carolyn Gould, MD, MS
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3001
8–8:30 a.m.
Communicating Infection Control Information in the 21st Century: Using Free Cloud-Based Programs to Reach Staff and Management at Your Facility
Fred Atkin, BRN, BEd, BID
Winnipeg Regional Health Authority

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Session 3100
Sneak Preview: New NHSN Methods for Analyzing HAI Data *
Jonathan Edwards, MS
Maggie Dudeck, MPH, CPH
Katharina van Santen, MSPH
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3101
Antimicrobial Resistance in Developing Countries *
Kamini Walia
Indian Council of Medical Research
Wondie Alelmu, MD, MPH
Ethiopia FMHACA
Ossama Rasslan, MD, PhD
Ain Shams Faculty of Medicine, Abbasseia
Neil Gupta, MD, MPH
Benjamin Park
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
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CONCURRENT EDUCATION SESSIONS 9:30–10:30 A.M.

Session 3200
Management of the 2015 San Quentin Prison Legionella Outbreak
Matthew Willis, MD, MPH
County of Marin, Department of Health and Human Services
Charlotte Wheeler, MD, MPH
California Correctional Health Care Services Public Health Unit

Session 3201
Infection Prevention and Surveillance in Primary Care
Monika Pogorzelska-Maziarz, PhD, MPH
Thomas Jefferson University, Jefferson College of Nursing
Mary Lou Manning, PhD, CRNP, CIC, FAAN, FNAP
Thomas Jefferson University, Jefferson College of Nursing
Rebecca Fitzpatrick, DNP, RN, CIC
Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

Session 3202
Overarching NHSN Device-Associated Infection Surveillance Rules *
Kathy Allen-Bridson, RN, BSN, MScPH, CIC
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3203
Antibiotic Stewardship in Long-Term Care Settings *
Nimalie Stone, MD, MS
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3205
National SSI Surveillance — How to Leverage Two Quality Outcome Reporting Systems
Kathleen Gase, MPH, CIC
BJC HealthCare

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Session 3204
9:30–10 a.m.
Collecting Data on Endoscope Reprocessing in a Large, Multistate Healthcare System
Rebecca Bartles, MPH, CIC
Providence Health & Services

10–10:30 a.m.
Creating and Implementing a Standardized Environment of Care Rounds Tool for a Large Healthcare System
Rachael Snyders, MPH, BSN, RN, CIC
BJC HealthCare

CONCURRENT EDUCATION SESSIONS 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Session 3400
Infection Control Assessment and Response/Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases *
Joe Perz, DrPH, MA
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3401
Bridging the Gap Between Research and Practice in Long-Term Care: An Innovative Model for Success
Sharon Bradley, RN, CIC
Pennsylvania Patient Safety Authority
Session 3402  
NHSN Antimicrobial Use and Resistance Module *  
Amy Webb, PhD  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
IconModule: Surveillance and Technology

Session 3403  
Refugee Health: A New Perspective for Infection Prevention and Control  
Karen Hoffmann, RN, MS, CIC, FSHEA  
University of North Carolina School of Medicine

Session 3404  
Addressing Aerosol Transmission Risks in Healthcare *  
Bryan Christensen, MD  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
IconModule: Emerging Science, Research, and Application

WORKSHOPS  
1:30–4 p.m.

Session 3500  
Incorporating CDC’s NHSN into Nursing Home Infection Surveillance Programs *  
Angela Anttila, RN, MSN, FNP-C, CIC  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Session 3501  
Making the Most of NHSN Data in the Long-Term Care Setting *  
Elisabeth Mungai, MS, MPH  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

CONCURRENT EDUCATION  
SESSIONS  
2:45–3:45 p.m.

Session 3600  
Being Heard: The IP and the Organizational Structure *  
Janet Glowicz, MPH, MSN, RN  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
IconModule: Leadership and Professional Development

Session 3601  
A National Resident Safety Imperative to Eliminate CAUTI: Lessons Learned  
Steven Schweon, RN, MPH, MSN, CIC, HEM  
Consultant  
Andrew Rolle, MPH  
American Hospital Association  
Deborah Burdsall, MSN, RN-BC, CIC  
Lutheran Home/Lutheran Life Communities  
IconModule: Alternate Care Settings

Session 3606  
The Puzzling World of TB: Putting the Pieces of the Mycobacterium Tuberculosis (MTB) Together  
Pamala Kremer, BSN, RN, CIC  
Barnes Jewish Hospital  
IconModule: Surveillance and Technology

30/30 SESSION

Session 3602  
2:45–3:15 p.m.  
Automated WHONET/SATScan Surveillance System as Part of an Outbreak Detection Program to Identify Clusters of Potential Infection Transmission in the Hospital  
Anna Stachel, MPH, CIC  
NYU Langone Medical Center  
IconModule: Surveillance and Technology

3:15–3:45 p.m.  
Preparing a Sampling Plan for Monitoring Environmental Surface or Medical Device Cleanliness Using Rapid ATP Testing  
Greg Whiteley, M Safety Sc, PhD  
Candidate  
Whiteley Corporation  
IconModule: Surveillance and Technology

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Look for this special icon next to the sessions: *
REGISTRATION INFORMATION

APIC registration is as easy as 1, 2, 3.

Go to apic.org/ac2016 and:

1. Click the registration link.
2. Complete the registration form.
3. Choose your payment type.*

NOTE: Your registration will not be finalized until payment is received.

*If you chose to pay by check, an invoice will be emailed to you that you can submit to your finance department (if applicable) for processing.

### Registration Type

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### Group Registration

APIC offers a special option for organizations registering four or more individuals as full conference attendees. Every group of four attendees from the same institution will receive an additional $200 off the entire registration.

To register as a group:

1. Make all the registrations at the same time.
2. Enter the first person and then, prior to payment, select the “register another” button to complete the registration information for the next person.
3. The system will automatically apply the discount to every fourth attendee in the group.
4. One single payment must be made for a group.

### Guest/Exhibitor Welcome Reception Tickets

APIC offers guest and exhibitor tickets for the Welcome Reception on Friday, June 10.

Guest (must be with a paid attendee; limit two per attendee): $75

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### Pre-Conference Workshops

- **NHSN SSI and MDRO/CDI Surveillance and Data Analysis — Presented by CDC**

- **CIC® Certification Preparatory Course — Presented by APIC**

Fee Per Course:

- Conference Attendees: $250
- Non-Attendees: $325
Cancellation Policy

All cancellation requests must be received by APIC Headquarters in writing (fax or email). No-shows are non-refundable. An 80-percent refund will be given if the request is received prior to May 15, 2016. After May 15, 2016, requests will only be considered in the event of extenuating circumstances. Final determination is at APIC’s discretion. Cancellation requests should be submitted to annual@apic.org or faxed to 202-789-1899. Please note that no cancellations will be accepted for fees paid for new or renewing membership.

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Contact Hours and Continuing Education Credits

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**ACCENT® Continuing Education Credit**

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Charlotte’s Center City is compact and easy to navigate, thanks to the city planners who laid out the blocks in smart patterned grids. Should you want to venture out a little further, there are several mass transit options, including the free CityLYNX Gold Line through town that connects riders to the local CATS bus service (Charlotte Area Transit System) and LYNX light rail serving south Charlotte. For fares, schedules, and more details, visit charlottesgotalot.com/getting-around.
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- Flexible booking policies
- Simplified process to change your reservation if needed

**Travel Discounts**

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**By Train**
Three Amtrak routes service Charlotte daily: the Piedmont, which connects Charlotte and Raleigh; the Carolinian, which runs to New York with stops in Raleigh, Richmond, Washington, D.C., Baltimore, and Philadelphia; and the Crescent, which travels from New York to New Orleans. [amtrak.com](http://amtrak.com)

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*As of January 1, 2016*