



APIC LONG ISLAND

CHAPTER 38

Presents

THE FUTURE IS NOW...WHAT'S DRIVING US?

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INFECTION CONTROL AND EPIDEMIOLOGY, INC.

APIC Long Island Chapter 38
240 Meeting House Lane
Southampton NY, 11968

Infectious Disease - - - Scary Stuff!

Infection control saves lives



Tuesday, October 16, 2018

7:30 am to 4:00 pm

Verdi's of Westbury

680 Old Country Road

Westbury, NY 11590

Tel # 516-334-4552

About the Speakers:

KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Belinda Ostrowsky, MD, MPH

Dr. Ostrowsky recently made a transition as a Medical Field Officer for the Centers Disease Control and Prevention stationed in NY working closely with the NYSDOH on MDROs such as *C. auris*. She remains an Associate Professor at the Einstein College of Medicine. Following her MD and MPH, Dr. Ostrowsky's postgraduate training included Internal Medicine, Infectious Disease and CDC's Epidemiology Intelligence Service in the Hospital Infections Program (now the Division of Quality Healthcare Promotion, DHQP). She is a Fellow of the Infectious Diseases Society of America (IDSA) and the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America (SHEA). In 2008 at Montefiore, she designed and implemented an Antimicrobial Stewardship Program (ASP) to address the national crises of rising healthcare associated antibiotic resistant bacteria and the lack of new treatment options. Ostrowsky served on the Ebola Advisory Committee to the New York City Health Commissioner, and currently serves on AHRQ's Healthcare Safety and Quality Improvement Research study section and the IDSA Antibiotic Resistance Committee.

Ghinwa Dumyati, MD.

Dr. Dumyati is an Infectious Diseases physician, Professor of Medicine at the University of Rochester Medical Center and a Fellow of SHEA. Her work focuses on surveillance for antimicrobial resistant organisms and HAIs. She has led several quality improvement collaborative projects in Monroe County, NY, focusing on reducing *C. difficile* infections spanning the continuum of care. The projects succeeded in reducing *C. difficile* infections in Monroe County hospitals over 5 years by 30% and in establishing antibiotic stewardship programs in several Rochester LTCF homes. Her projects reduced the use of antibiotics at high *C. difficile* risk such as quinolones. She is presently advising New York State (NYS) Department of Health on their Collaborative to Launch Antibiotic Stewardship Programs (CLASP) in the LTCF and the NYS IPRO Quality Improvement Organization on their antimicrobial stewardship project in the outpatient setting. Dr. Dumyati is also the Principal Investigator of CDC Emerging Infections Program for the Rochester Region.

Charles Edmiston, Jr., PhD, MS, CIC.

Dr. Edmiston is Emeritus Professor of Surgery at the Medical College of Wisconsin in Milwaukee and the former Hospital Epidemiologist at Froedtert Hospital, where in 1984 he developed a surgical infectious disease research program. He is board-certified in both Infection Control and as a Specialist in Clinical Microbiology. He served as a consultant to the FDA as an expert on the infection control implications of implantable biomedical devices and has served as a consultant to CDC's Hospital Infection Control Practice Advisory Committee. Edmiston's research interests include infection risks in the operating room environment and biomedical-device associated infections. He has authored over 300 original manuscripts, chapters, editorials, reviews and abstracts related to infection control and prevention.

Terry Grimmond, VP, Infection Prevention Consulting Services.

Terry is an Australian consultant microbiologist with 51 years experience in disease transmission and prevention. His passion is assisting facilities reduce their sharps injuries. He serves on sharps container standards in four countries and is the Canadian and Australian representative on the ISO Standard. He is Lead Investigator on the annual US EXPO-STOP Sharps Injury Survey, has published extensively and spoken at more than 200 assemblies in 22 countries and received multiple awards for his work.

Conference Program

- 7:30 am Registration, Networking, Continental Breakfast and Vendor Exhibits
- 8:00 am Introduction & Welcome
Denise Naval, RN, MSN, CIC, President APIC Chapter 38
Acknowledgement: Program Committee Chair and Members
- 8:15 am Keynote Address
Dr. Belinda Ostrowsky
Candida auris: Emerging MDRO in NYS and Beyond
- 9:15 am *Dr. Belinda Ostrowsky*
Improving Antibiotic Prescribing—What you Need to Know & Where to Find it.
- 10:15 am Break & Vendor Exhibits
- 11:00 am *Dr. Ghinwa Dumyati*
Tackling MDROs Across the Care Continuum
- 12:00 pm Lunch, Vendor Exhibits & Raffle
- 1:30 pm Terry Grimmond, FASM, BAgSc, GrDpAdEd, Consultant Microbiologist
U.S. Sharps injuries: Prevention Strategies to Halt the Rise
- 2:30 pm Dr. Charles Edmiston, Jr., PhD
Microbial Aerosols in the Operating Room Environment: Is There a Risk for Device-related Infections?
- 3:30 pm Inspirational Speaker
Charles Edmiston, Jr., PhD
- 3:45 pm Raffles & Evaluations
- 4:00 pm Adjournment



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Registration Form

Space is limited, please register early!

Registration by September 30, 2018

APIC Members: \$150.00

Non-Members & at the door: \$ 160.00

Fee includes breakfast, lunch, sponsor exhibits, afternoon refreshments, free parking and raffle tickets

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Please make check or money order payable to:

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Please complete and mail this form with check or money order to:

Debbie Maile, Treasurer
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240 Meeting House Lane
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For questions or further information regarding

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Our Vision

The vision of APIC Long Island Chapter 38 is to lead the field of infection prevention and control and applied epidemiology in all health settings, and to be recognized as the infection prevention experts by the consumers and providers of healthcare

Program Goal

To gain a better understanding of the emerging multidrug resistant pathogens and how to fight the battle safely against them across the continuum of care.

After attending the seminar, participants will be able to:

Work together as a team in infection prevention and control to win the battle against the emerging multidrug resistant pathogens.

Directions to Verdi's

Meadowbrook Parkway

North bound:

Exit M1 (EAST) – Old Country Rd., go straight on Old Country Rd. about 2.5 miles, Verdi's is on the right side.

South bound:

Exit M1 (East)– Old Country Rd. go straight on Old Country Rd, about 2.5 miles, Verdi's is on the right side

Long Island Expressway

Westbound:

Exit 42, take ramp right for Northern Parkway West toward New York. At exit 33, take ramp right for Wantagh Parkway South toward Jones Beach. Exit west onto Old Country Rd. about 1.2 miles arrive at 680 Old Country Rd, Westbury, NY 11590