

Program Description: Remaining current with the changing body of knowledge concerning Clostridium difficile, fungal infections, safe injection practices, surgical site infections and emerging diseases such as Zika are key to interrupting the spread of diseases and the prevention of infections.

Target Audience: Internists, Infectious Disease Specialists, Infection Prevention Professionals, Nurses, Long Term Care HCW and Allied Health Professionals involved in the care and treatment of patients.

Educational Objectives: At the conclusion of this CME activity, participants should be able to:

1. Summarize updates related to injection safety and infection prevention practices
2. Review new investigations and literature related to breaches of injection safety and infection prevention practices
3. Recommend revisions to existing policies and procedures based on updated information
4. Describe the epidemiology of CDI in the United States
5. Review methods for CDI diagnosis
6. Discuss control measures for CDI prevention
7. Describe methods for identification and surveillance of fungal pathogens.
8. List treatments for Healthcare Acquired fungal infections
9. Implement a system for fungal monitoring during construction and identification of risks to susceptible hosts
10. Explain the historical context of Aedes mosquito-related infectious diseases
11. Identify the epidemiology, clinical presentation, and complications of Zika
12. Recognize the importance of mosquito control efforts
13. Discuss key differences between the HICPAC SSI guidelines issued in 1999 and current HICPAC Recommendations
14. Discuss the potential conflicts between the 2016 SSI prevention recommendations and current clinical practices
15. Review the evidence supporting the development of surgical care bundles



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**Infectious Diseases Society
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Annual Infectious Disease
Conference:**

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Wednesday, November 16, 2016
8:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

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AGENDA

8:00a.m.
Registration, Continental Breakfast & Exhibits

8:50a.m.
Welcome and Opening Remarks
Dr. Elliot Frank, IDSNJ President
Dr. John Sensakovic, Conference Course Director
Michele Garcia, APIC-SNJ President
Kristen Manthey, APIC-NNJ President

9:00a.m.
Update on the Epidemiology, Diagnosis, and Prevention of Clostridium difficile Infections
Dr. Alice Guh
Moderator: Carol Ward

10:00a.m.
Exhibits & Coffee Break

10:45a.m.
Zika, Where Do We Stand?
Dr. Amesh Adalja
Moderator: Renee Fusco

11:45a.m.
Hospital Acquired Fungal Infections and Treatment
Dr. Carlene Muto
Moderators: Pat Lafaro
Lisa Pessolano

12:45p.m.
Lunch and Exhibits

1:45p.m.
The 2016 CDC/HICPAC SSI Prevention Guidelines: The Good, The Bad and The Ugly
Dr. Charles Edmiston
Moderator: Christine Young-Ruckriegel

2:45p.m.
Getting the Point of Injection Safety
Dr. Barbara Montana
Moderator: Dawn Peluso

3:45p.m.
Wrap-up / Evaluations

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Educational Information

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