



This program is designed to meet the educational needs of Infection Prevention and Control professionals across a continuum of care.

Program content will address knowledge, standards and practices aimed at reducing, preventing and eliminating healthcare-associated infections.

This activity has been submitted to the PA State Nurses Association for approval to award contact hours. PA State Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.



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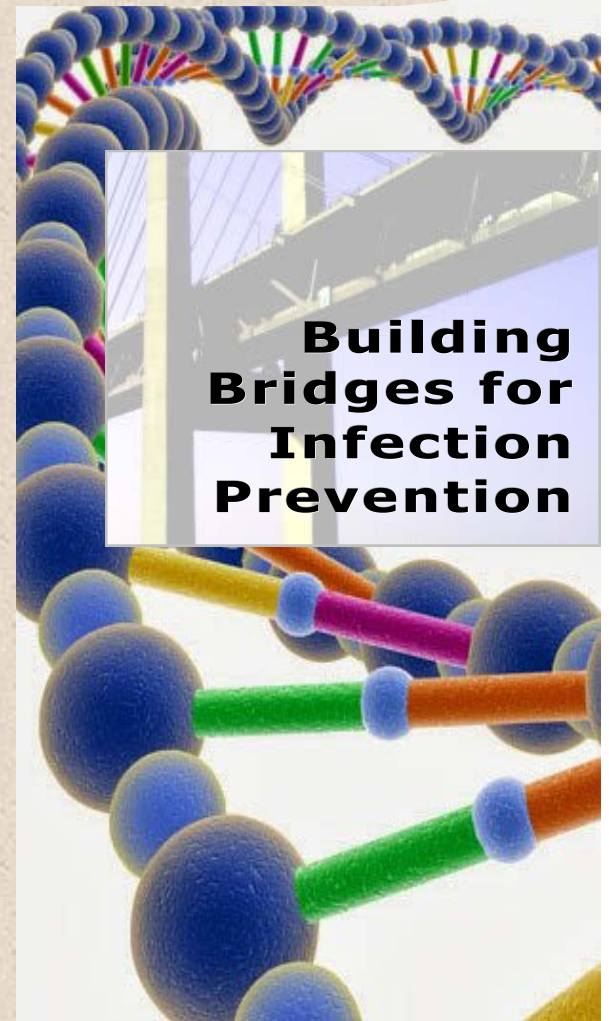
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Program Objectives:

- ⇒ Discuss PA DOH recommendations supporting mandatory influenza vaccination for healthcare workers
- ⇒ Discuss and review current information on prevention and management of Clostridium difficile infection
- ⇒ Discuss the development of carbapenem resistant organisms in healthcare
- ⇒ Discuss and review infection prevention recommendations for outbreak control in long term care facilities
- ⇒ Learn how to manage change in our rapidly changing world of healthcare



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Program Agenda:

7:00-8:30 a.m.	Registration / Breakfast and Vendor Display
8:30-9:00 a.m.	Welcome / Vendor Introduction
9:00-10:00 a.m.	Session I: Mandatory Influenza Vaccine Jeffrey R. Miller, MD, MPH
10:00-11:00 a.m.	Break / Vendor Displays
11:00-12 Noon	Session II: Topic: Clostridium Difficile Update Curtis Donskey, MD (Vendor Lunch at this time)
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Attendee Lunch / Vendor Display
1:00-2:00 p.m.	Session III: Carbapenem-resistant Enterobacteriaceae: What Infection Preventionists Should Know Yohe Doi, MD, PhD
2:00-3:00 p.m.	Session IV: Concurrent sessions Outbreak Control in LTC: Lessons Learned and Interventions Adopted Deborah Patterson Burdsall MSN, RN-BC, CIC Change or Face Extinction Barbara Ivanko, CHPCA
3:00-3:30 p.m.	Needs Assessment / Awards / CEU Certificate Distribution

Registration Fee:

APIC Members: **\$100**

Non-members: **\$110**

Late Reg. (after Sept. 20, 2014): **\$125**

Registration Deadline: Sept. 20, 2014

Fee includes handouts, breaks, and lunch.

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