

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.

TRAPIC is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Pennsylvania State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.



Faculty:

Judith M. Atkins, RN, MSN – CEO/President, McKenna Consulting

Lorrie Calabrese BSN, RN, CNOR, GTS, CCSVP - Clinical Education Specialist, STERIS Corporation

Heather Hohenberger, BSN, RN, CIC CNOR – Quality Improvement Coordinator, Perioperative Services, Indiana University Health, Academic Health Center

Mary Lou Manning, PhD, CRNP, CIC, FAAN, FNAP – 2015 National APIC President, Associate Professor, Thomas Jefferson University, Jefferson School of Nursing, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Janet E. Meszaros, M.S., – Lead Scientist and Adjunct Faculty, STERIS Corp., Cuyahoga Community College, and Lakeland Community College

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2015 Pittsburgh Three Rivers APIC Chapter Annual Fall Conference



Friday, October 2, 2015

Hilton Garden Inn
1000 Corporate Drive
Canonsburg, PA 15317
Phone: 724-743-5000
Parking is free



Program Objectives:

- ⇒ Review endoscopic equipment and discuss current recommendations for proper cleaning and disinfection.
- ⇒ Discuss case reviews of endoscope disinfection failures, including lessons learned.
- ⇒ Review 2015-2016 Joint Commission standard changes and their impact on Infection Prevention and Control.
- ⇒ Review current evidence based SSI prevention utilizing a bundled approach. Discuss possible implementation barriers.
- ⇒ Discuss recommendations for Infection Prevention's role in navigating organizational boundaries.





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Program Agenda:

7:00-8:30 a.m.	Registration / Breakfast and Vendor Display
8:30-8:45 a.m.	Welcome / Vendor Introduction
8:45-9:45 a.m.	Session I: The Challenges of Endoscope Cleaning
	Lorrie Calabrese, BSN, RN, CNOR, GTS, CCSVP
9:45-10:45 a.m.	Session II: Endoscope Reprocessing: Lessons Learned from Recent Infection Outbreaks
	Janet Meszaros, M.S.
10:45-11:30 a.m.	Break / Vendor Displays /Snack
11:30-12:30 p.m.	Session III: TJC Infection Control
	Judith Atkins, RN, MSN
	(Vendor Lunch at this time)
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Attendee Lunch / Vendor Display / Chapter Leadership Award

Session IV: SSI Prevention: The

Session V: Leading With Impact:

Mary Lou Manning, Ph.D., CRNP, CIC, FAAN, FMAP, 2015 Natl. APIC President

Needs Assessment / CEU Certificate

The Art of Boundary Spanning

Heather Hohenberger, BSN, RN,

Bundle and Beyond

CIC, CNOR

Distribution

Break

1:30-2:30 p.m.

2:30-2:45 p.m.

2:45-3:45 p.m.

3:45-4:00 p.m.

Registration Fee:

APIC Members: **\$100**Non-members: **\$110**

Late Reg. (after Sept. 18, 2015): \$125

Student Rate: \$25

Registration Deadline: Sept. 18, 2015 Fee includes handouts, breaks, and lunch.

*No refund or cancellation after Sept. 18

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