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The Three Rivers Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the PA State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This Program is pending approval for 5 contact hours.

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**APIC,
Three Rivers
Chapter
Presents**

**Launching Into
A New Decade
of Infection
Prevention**

**Evidence-based
Interventions and Best
Practices**



Friday October 1, 2010

Hilton Garden Inn
Southpointe
1000 Corporate Drive
Canonsburg, PA
15317

Program Goal:

This program is designed to meet the educational needs of Infection Prevention and Control Professionals across the continuum of care. Content will address optimal practices to reduce, prevent and eliminate health-care acquired infections.

Program Objectives:

- Discuss the risk and reduction strategies for surgical site infections
- Describe innovative approaches to meeting the 2010 Joint Commission National Patient Safety Goal #7, Reduce the Risk of Health-Care Associated Infection.
- Discuss key issues in how intraluminal fluid pathways play an important role in catheter related bloodstream infection
- Discuss the current epidemiology and prevention of multi-drug resistant gram negative bacteria.
- Discuss how “Staying Normal in a Crazy World” can help you live side-by-side in an increasingly difficult world.

PROGRAM:

7:30-8:20a.m. Registration /Vendor Display Breakfast

8:20-8:30a.m. Welcome

8:30- 9:30a.m.
Surgical Site Infections: Risk and Reduction Strategies

Charles Edmiston, PhD, CIC

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9:30-10:30a.m.
Innovative Approaches to Meeting Joint Commission National Patient Safety Goals

Barbara DeBaun, MSN, RN CIC

10:30-11:00a.m. Break/Vendor Displays

11:00-12:00 Noon
Fluid Pathway Protection- Positive Outcome Partnership

Denise Macklin BSN, RNC

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12:00 - 1:00p.m Lunch/Vendor Displays

1:00-2:00p.m
The Epidemiology and Prevention of Multi-drug Resistant Gram Negative Bacteria

Alexander J. Kallen, MD, MPH

2:00-2:20p.m Break

2:20-3:20 pm
Staying Normal in a Crazy World

Paul Friday, PhD

3:20-3:30 p.m. Closing/Evaluation/Comment



Registration Form

Instructions:

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(APIC ID # _____)

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_____ \$125.00 Late Registration (After 9/10)

Fees include handouts, breaks, lunch

Registration deadline: September 10, 2010

\$125.00 for all Registrations postmarked after September 10, 2010.

No refunds for cancellations after 9/10/2010.

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