



New Mexico

22nd Annual “The Heart of Infection Control” Conference

Friday, April 6 2018
Sandia Resort & Casino
30 Rainbow NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Who Should Attend?

All health care providers including nurses, infection preventionists, patient safety and performance improvement professionals, physicians, employee health professionals, respiratory therapists, and other allied health professionals.

Continuing Education Credits:

Application for CME credit has been filed with the American Academy of Family Physicians. Determination of credit is pending (approximately 6 CME is anticipated).

Planning Committee:

Penny Hill RN MPH, CIC
APIC New Mexico President

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Twyla Anderson, RN, COHNS, CIC
Director, Infection Prevention
Memorial Medical Center

Anne Timmins BChD, MPH
Quality Improvement Director
HealthInsight New Mexico

Program

0730-0800 *Registration and Light Breakfast*

0750-0800 **President's Welcome**
Penny Hill, RN MPH, CIC, APIC New Mexico President, 2018

0800-0900 **Molecular Revolution: Friend or Foe**
Karissa Culbreath, PhD, D(ABMM)
Scientific Director-Infectious Disease
Assistant Professor Department of Pathology

0900-1000 **Updates in Antimicrobial Stewardship**
Meghan Brett, MD
University of New Mexico Hospital Epidemiologist, Assistant Professor,
Infectious Disease Division, University of New Mexico.

1000-1030 *Break and Vendors*

1030-1130 **Employee Occupational Health: Taking Care of the Workforce**
Twyla Anderson, RN, COHNS, CIC
Director Infection Control & Prevention
Memorial Medical Center

1130-1230 *Lunch & Vendors*

1230-1345 **New Perspectives in Outbreak Investigation & Exposure Management**
Susan Kellie, MD, MPH
Professor Emerita, UNM School of Medicine,
Division of Infectious Diseases

1345-1445 **The Responsibility of the Nurse in CLABSI Prevention: Do No Harm**
Donna Matocha, DNP, MSN, CNRN, VA-BC
Clinical Resource Manager
Medline Industries, Inc

1445-1515 *Break/Vendors*

1515-1615 **Application of Emergency Preparedness Principles to Novel Highly Infectious Diseases**
Brad Greenberg, MD
Emergency Physician, Chair Emergency Preparedness
San Juan Regional Medical Center

1615-1630 **Closing Remarks & Evaluations**



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Registration

- Registration fee includes a light breakfast, coffee & tea, snacks, and lunch.
- **Attendee Registration fee is \$100.00.**
- Vender Registration fees are listed on the APIC New Mexico website www.apicnm-32.org under the [2018 Conference Information](#) tab.
- Attendees and vendors may register with a PayPal account, credit card, debit card or check.
- On site registration will be limited and on a first come basis. Cash, credit cards, or debit cards will be accepted the day of the conference. No personal checks will be accepted.

How to Register with a Credit Card, Debit Card or PayPal Account:

- Register by going to APIC New Mexico’s web site, www.apicnm-32.org, clicking on the [2018 Conference Registration](#) tab, and selecting the appropriate fee (e.g. attendee or vendor).
- Complete the form and click the “Proceed to Check Out” button located at the bottom, left hand corner of the page. You will be directed to pay with PayPal. You do not need to have a PayPal account to pay for the conference.
- Mail registration checks to: APIC of NM, PO Box 93152, Albuquerque, NM 87199-3152

How to Register and Pay with an Organization or Personal Check:

- Register by going to the APIC New Mexico’s website www.apicnm-32.org, clicking on the [2018 Conference Registration](#) tab, and selecting the appropriate pay by check option (e.g. attendee or vendor). Complete the form and click the “Submit” button located at the bottom of the page left hand corner.
- An invoice will be emailed to you within two business days. Personal Checks must be received by April 2, 2018.

Refunds:

Registration fees will be refunded, except for a \$10.00 administrative fee, if canceled by March 30, 2018. Please contact Elayne Villa at 505-998-9758 (apicnm32@gmail.com) for assistance. There will be no refunds after that date and no refunds for “no shows.”

Hotel Information

APIC NM is not arranging rooms for this conference. Please contact the [hotel directly](#). The hotel will have a limited number of rooms available at the discounted price of \$192.00 per night - these rooms are signature rooms with mountain and city views, normally priced at \$219.00. Deadline for reserving these rooms is March 9 , 2018. A list of other hotels in the area is available on the [2018 Conference Information](#) page.

Contact Information

Contact Elayne Villa 505-998-9758, or at apicnm32@gmail.com for questions or assistance with registration.