

HAI IMPACT

Infection Management, Prevention, And Control Training

**Responding to Outbreaks of
Healthcare-Associated Infections:
A Table-Top Exercise for a
Whole Community Approach**

DATE: Tuesday, June 6, 2017

TIME: 9:00am – 3:00pm (Networking lunch provided)

LOCATION Pinellas County Health Department
205 Doctor M.L.K. Jr St N
St. Petersburg, FL 33701

For More Information:

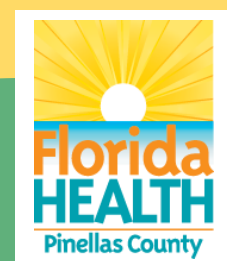
Rachel Janssen Ilic

Phone: (727) 824-6932 x4666

Online Registration:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PinellasHAI-IMPACT>

CEU and CHES credits will be provided for this program through Suwannee River Area Health Education Center, Inc. for Nursing and Clinical Social Work, Marriage and Family Therapy and Mental Health Counseling for 5 contact hours.



Description	This 6 hour (1 day) tabletop provides participants with knowledge, skills and tools to assist in a community outbreak of Hospital Associated Infection and focus on respective agency roles and responsibilities. The <i>HAI IMPACT</i> tabletop is an exercise in training, building relationships, and evaluation.
Participants	Physicians, Physician Assistants, Nurses, Directors and Coordinators of Infection Control and Prevention, Health-care workers, Health Department personnel, Epidemiologists, Program managers, and Public Information Officers.
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognize and respond to an HAI outbreak. • Understand infection control guidelines which prevent HAI's. • Develop tools for their agency's infection control guidelines. • Identify the roles and responsibilities of community health partners during an HAI outbreak. • Understand the role, strategies, and goals of the Epidemiology Office of Florida Department of Health in HAI investigations. • Be familiar with CDC's Infection Control Assessment Tools. • Identify challenges and develop solutions in response to an HAI outbreak. • Understand that healthcare facilities are mandated to report an outbreak immediately 24/7 by phone upon initial suspicion or laboratory test order.
Overview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This tabletop is led by a facilitator who presents participants with chronological segments of a scenario with a series of discussion points which enable participants to describe, brain-storm, and discuss response and investigate and problem-solve for the evolving scenario at isolated points in time. • The tabletop uses a "forced decision-making" framework requiring participants to make key decisions at each discussion point after they have considered the scenario and the information provided to them at specified points in time. • The tabletop focuses on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Surveillance & Epidemiology ○ Command, Control, and Communications ○ Surge Capacity ○ Disease Prevention & Control