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Friday, May 18, 2018
8:00am to 4:00pm

THE HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA
401 7th Avenue (between 32nd & 33rd Streets) 18th Floor
New York, NY
(800) 780-5733
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COURSE OBJECTIVES

After completion of this symposium, participants will:

• Explain influenza surveillance, vaccine preparation and status of pandemic preparation
• Discuss the pros and cons of point of care testing for infectious diseases
• Describe the advantages and disadvantages of cytology versus molecular methods for the diagnosis of high-risk HPV infections in light of current cervical cancer screening guidelines
• Discuss and understand the full impact of blood cultures on downstream clinical, operational and financial outcomes for sepsis and describe ways in which microbiology services add to value-based care
• Discuss and identify pathogens in case presentation format

MODERATORS

Dr. Esther Babady, President, NYC ASM
Dr. Wendy Szymczak, President-Elect, NYC ASM

8:00am – 8:50am  REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

8:50am – 9:00am  WELCOME
Dr. Esther Babady
President, NYC ASM

9:00am – 9:45am  Dr. Kirsten St George
So you think this season was bad?
How prepared are we for a severe influenza pandemic?

9:45am – 10:30am  Dr. Gregory J. Berry
Flu and Strep Point-of-Care Testing
The Good, the Bad & the Best!

10:30am – 11:30am  BREAK & VISIT THE EXHIBITS!!

11:30am – 12:15pm  Dr. Eileen M. Burd
Laboratory Tests for Human Papilloma
We are not there yet!

12:15pm – 1:45pm  LUNCHEON & AWARDS
VISIT THE EXHIBITS!!

1:45pm – 2:30pm  Dr. Donna M. Wolk
The M Factor:
How Microbiology’s blood culture results can impact sepsis survival

2:30pm – 3:30pm  The Big Apple Team
Stump the Stars!

3:30pm – 4:30pm  REFRESHMENTS & TRIVIA CONTEST
You Must Be Present To Win!

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