

In Collaboration with the University of Manitoba
the Health Sciences Centre Winnipeg presents

THE 28th ANNUAL BUG DAY Abstracts

Overall Program Objectives:

By attending this program, the attendee will be able to:

1. State the names of the key pathogens that have been clinically and socially relevant over the past 27 years.
2. State how the determinants of health influence a person's risk for infection
3. State how to modify risk factors for the acquisition of infection

Thursday, October 17, 2024



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Bug Day Agenda

0800 - 0805	Land Acknowledgment Lanette Siragusa, RN, Shared Health	1115 - 1130	Questions and Answers
0805 - 0815	Introduction to Bug Day John Embil, MD, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority	1130 - 1200	Lunch
0815 - 0830	Complex Battlefield Wound Infections – Lessons Learned from Afghanistan: Tony Battad, MD, University of Manitoba	1200 - 1300	Medical Grand Rounds: Pathogens Forgotten but Not Gone: Reviving and Maintaining Interest in Important Microorganisms Carl Boodman, MD, University of Manitoba
0830 - 0845	Refugee Health: Infectious Disease, Disparities, Challenges, and Opportunities Christina Greenaway, MD, McGill University	1300 - 1315	Lessons Learned from a Daycare Centre Foodborne Outbreak Laura McDougall, MD, Alberta Health Services
0845 - 0900	The Global Impact of Viral Hemorrhagic Fever Viruses Heinz Feldmann, MD, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases	1315 - 1330	Foodborne Disease Outbreaks – Successes and Challenges: 20 Years of PulseNet Canada Celine Nadon, PhD, Public Health Agency of Canada
0900 - 0915	Questions and Answers	1330 - 1345	Invasive Group A Streptococcus Disease: Cross Canada Checkup Jared Bullard, MD, Public Health Agency of Canada
0915 - 0930	Phage Therapy: Ready for Prime Time, or Wishful Thinking? Greg German, MD, University of Toronto	1345 - 1400	Questions and Answers
0930 - 0945	SARS-CoV-2 Transmission: One if by Air, Two if by Hand – 1978 Revisited John Conly, MD, University of Calgary	1400 - 1415	<i>Helicobacter pylori</i>: The Clinical Story in 2024 Charles Bernstein, MD, University of Manitoba and David Alexander, PhD, Shared Health
0945 - 1000	Facilities Management Strategies for Preventing the Transmission of Pathogens: Lessons Learned from the COVID-19 Pandemic Craig Doerksen, PEng., Shared Health	1415 - 1430	Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Vaccination: Another Weapon in our Armamentarium? Davinder Singh, MD, Manitoba Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care
1000 - 1015	Questions and Answers	1430 - 1445	Immunize Yourself from Cyber Threats with this Vaccine Sean Shore, LLM, Canadian Compliance & Regulatory Law
1015 - 1030	Break	1445 - 1500	Questions and Answers
1030 - 1045	Canadian Nosocomial Infection Surveillance Program (CNISP): Canada's Infection Surveillance Program Celebrates 30 Years Lindsay Nolle, MD, University of Manitoba and Cassandra Lybeck, MSc, Public Health Agency of Canada	1500 - 1515	Break
1045 - 1100	Canadian Nosocomial Infection Surveillance Program (CNISP): State of the Nation George Golding, PhD, Public Health Agency of Canada	1515 - 1530	<i>Strongyloides stercoralis</i>: An Important but Unseen Parasite Paul Van Caesele, MD, Shared Health
1100 - 1115	Canadian Nosocomial Infection Surveillance Program (CNISP): <i>Candida auris</i> in Canada 2012-2023 Amrita Bharat, PhD, Erin McGill, MSc and Robyn Mitchell, MHSc, Public Health Agency of Canada	1530 - 1545	Dengue and Chikungunya Vaccines: Ready for Prime Time Philippe Lagacé-Wiens, MD, Shared Health
		1545 - 1600	Rabies and Rabies Vaccinations: Less is Way More! Pierre Plourde, MD, Winnipeg Regional Health Authority
		1600 - 1615	Questions and Answers