

ASSOCIATION FOR PROFESSIONALS IN INFECTION CONTROL & EPIDEMIOLOGY



Riding the Waves of Change on the Ocean of Infection Prevention



36th Annual APIC Palmetto Educational Conference

November 7-9, 2018

Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center

Columbia, SC

Conference Registration

Conference Registration:

APIC member (full conference) = \$250

APIC member (single day) = \$125

Non-member (full conference) = \$300

Non-member (single day) = \$150

Cancellation Policy:

Before October 19, 2018= 80% refund
After October 19, 2018 =Only extenuating
circumstances. Will be decided by APIC
Palmetto Board
No-show= no refund

All registrations and cancellations must be made
via Gwen Usry, APIC Palmetto Treasurer at
gusry@ghs.org. Please see registration form on
page [5](#) for participants.

Pay via **check** only. (Sorry for the inconvenience)

Submit payment by 10/26/2018

**Please contact Gwen Usry if registering after
10/26/2018**

Conference Location/ Hotel Information

Conference Site:

Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center
1101 Lincoln Street
Columbia, SC 29201
803-545-0001 or 800-264-4884



Hotel:



Hampton Inn Downtown Historic District
822 Gervais Street
Columbia, SC 29201
(803) 231-2000

Room Reservations:

2018 APIC Palmetto Education Conference Group Rate:

\$169.00 per night **Group Code = C-API**

Room reservations can be made by calling (803) 231-2000 or by
using the following link: www.hamptoninncolumbia.com

The deadline for this special rate is **October 12, 2018.**

2018 APIC Palmetto Educational Conference Agenda

Day 1	Wednesday, November 7
9:00-10:00	Registration
10:00-10:10	"Welcome" <i>Shanetta Williams, BSN,RN,CIC , President, APIC Palmetto</i>
10:15-11:15	"EVS and IP - Together for Patient Safety" <i>Jim Gauthier,MLT, CIC</i>
11:30-1:00	Lunch on your own- "The Vista" https://www.vistacolumbia.com/directory/eat-and-drink
1:00-2:00	Breakout sessions A/B A-"Granny as a Susceptible Host: Prevention Tips for Care Providers" <i>Jim Gauthier, MLT, CIC</i> B- "Isolation and MDRO Transmission Towards HAI Prevention" <i>Dr. Liu Yatao</i>
2:10-3:10	Breakout sessions C/D C- "Microbiology 101 for IP's" <i>Jim Gauthier , MLT, CIC</i> D- "Long Term Care Certification" <i>SC DHEC representative</i>
3:20:4:20	Breakout sessions E/F E- "Infection Control in Ambulatory Surgery Centers" <i>SC DHEC representative</i> F- "Microbiology, Infectious Diseases and Antibiotic Resistance" <i>Dr. Liu Yatao</i>
4:20-4:30	Closing remarks and evaluations
Day 2	Thursday, November 8
8:00-8:30	Registration, Continental Breakfast Announcements- <i>Wanda Summers, MS/IT, President-Elect, APIC Palmetto</i>
8:30-10:00	Keynote Address: "Effective Infection Prevention and Control: Leading the Way" <i>Connie Steed MSN, RN, CIC, FAPIC</i>
10:15-11:15	"Biostatistics for the Infection Prevention Practitioner" <i>Melissa Nolan PhD, MPH</i>
11:15-12:15	"Legionella Water Management: It's Not The Plan, It's The PartnershipSM" <i>Dr. Janet Stout</i>
12:15-1:15	Lunch with vendors
1:15-3:15	Vendor exhibits
3:15-4:45	"Building Quality into Endoscope Reprocessing" <i>Mary Ann Drosnock MS, CIC, CFER, RM (NRCM), FAPIC</i>
4:45	Closing remarks and evaluations
Day 3	Friday, November 9
7:30-8:00	Registration, Continental Breakfast Announcements- <i>Deborah Rider, 2018 APIC Palmetto Infection Preventionist of the Year</i>
8:00-9:00	"Surgical Attire: Impact on Infection Control" <i>Sheila Mays MHA,BSN,RN,CASC</i>
9:00-10:00	"Are You Kidding Me? Situations Encountered in Specialty Patient Populations" <i>Marlene Wolpert MPH, CIC, FAPIC</i>
10:00-10:20	Break
10:20-11:30	"Preventing Catheter-Related Infections" <i>William R. Jarvis, M.D.</i>
11:30-1:00	President Luncheon/Business Meeting
1:00-2:00	"Infection Control During Construction - Protecting the Patient Environment" <i>Bobby Craig MBA, CHSP</i>
2:00-3:00	"Making a Business Case for Infection Prevention" <i>Connie Steed MSN, RN, CIC, FAPIC</i>
3:00	Closing remarks and evaluations

Program Speakers

Bobby Craig, MBA, CHSP

Project Manager, Safety/Security, Greenville Health System

Mary Ann Drosnock MS, CIC, CFER, RM (NRCM), FAPIC

Healthmark Industries

Manager of Clinical Education for Endoscopy

Jim Gauthier, MLT, CIC

Diversey ,Senior Clinical Advisor, Infection Prevention

William R. Jarvis M.D., Ethicon

President, Jason and Jarvis Associates, LLC

Sheila Mays MHA,BSN,RN,CASC, Molnlycke Healthcare

Executive Clinical Nurse Consultant

Melissa Nolan PhD, MPH

University of South Carolina, Assistant Professor

Janet Stout, PALL

Director of Special Pathogens Laboratory and Research
associate professor at the University of Pittsburgh

Connie Steed MSN, RN, CIC, FAPIC

Director of Infection Prevention, Greenville Health System

Marlene Fishman Wolpert, MPH, CIC, FAPIC

Independent Consultant in Infection Prevention and Control

Liu Yatao Ph.D. MPH

Sr. Director of Clinical Affairs at Metrex (Danaher)

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2018 APIC Palmetto Educational Conference REGISTRATION FORM

APIC member ID# _____

Name: _____

Credentials/Designations (License, Highest degree, Certification): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

ZIP Code: _____

Facility Information

Facility: _____

Facility Type: Acute Care Hospital (facility) Critical Access Hospital (facility) Rehab Long Term Care Ambulatory Surgery Center Dialysis Center Correctional Institution Other

Phone: _____

Email (password for the presentations will be sent here): _____

****Please print clearly — E-mail will be used for confirmation****

Special dietary needs _____

Check the box next to your selection	Dates	Member	Non Member	Fees
Day 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Wed. Nov. 7	\$125.00	\$150.00	
Day 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Thurs. Nov. 8	\$125.00	\$150.00	
Day 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Fri. Nov. 9	\$125.00	\$150.00	
All 3 days	<input type="checkbox"/> Nov.7 -9	\$250.00	\$300.00	

Total Amount Enclosed: _____

Mail completed registration form and payment to:

APIC Palmetto
Gwen Usry
109 Century Oaks Drive
Easley, SC 29642

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