ASSOCIATION FOR PROFESSIONALS IN INFECTION CONTROL & EPIDEMIOLOGY

APIC PALMETTO

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.hamptoninnicolumbia.com](http://www.hamptoninnicolumbia.com)

The deadline for this special rate is **October 12, 2018**.
<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Wednesday, November 7</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9:00-10:00</td>
<td>Registration</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:00-10:10</td>
<td>“Welcome” Shanetta Williams, BSN,RN,CIC, President, APIC Palmetto</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:15-11:15</td>
<td>“EVS and IP - Together for Patient Safety” Jim Gauthier, MLT, CIC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11:30-1:00</td>
<td>Lunch on your own- “The Vista” <a href="https://www.vistacolumbia.com/directory/eat-and-drink">https://www.vistacolumbia.com/directory/eat-and-drink</a></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1:00-2:00</td>
<td>Breakout sessions A/B</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>A- “Granny as a Susceptible Host: Prevention Tips for Care Providers” Jim Gauthier, MLT, CIC</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>B- “Isolation and MDRO Transmission Towards HAI Prevention” Dr. Liu Yatao</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2:10-3:10</td>
<td>Breakout sessions C/D</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>C- “Microbiology 101 for IP’s” Jim Gauthier, MLT, CIC</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>D- “Long Term Care Certification” SC DHEC representative</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3:20:40</td>
<td>Breakout sessions E/F</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>E- “Infection Control in Ambulatory Surgery Centers” SC DHEC representative</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>F- “Microbiology, Infectious Diseases and Antibiotic Resistance” Dr. Liu Yatao</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4:20-4:30</td>
<td>Closing remarks and evaluations</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Thursday, November 8</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>8:00-8:30</td>
<td>Registration, Continental Breakfast Announcements- Wanda Summers, MS/IT, President-Elect, APIC Palmetto</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8:30-10:00</td>
<td>Keynote Address: “Effective Infection Prevention and Control: Leading the Way” Connie Steed MSN, RN, CIC, FAPIC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:15-11:15</td>
<td>“Biostatistics for the Infection Prevention Practitioner” Melissa Nolan PhD, MPH</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11:15-12:15</td>
<td>“Legionella Water Management: It’s Not The Plan, It’s The Partnership” Dr. Janet Stout</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12:15-1:15</td>
<td>Lunch with vendors</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1:15-3:15</td>
<td>Vendor exhibits</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3:15-4:45</td>
<td>“Building Quality into Endoscope Reprocessing” Mary Ann Drosnock MS, CIC, CFER, RM (NRCM), FAPIC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4:45</td>
<td>Closing remarks and evaluations</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Friday, November 9</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>7:30-8:00</td>
<td>Registration, Continental Breakfast Announcements- Deborah Rider, 2018 APIC Palmetto Infection Preventionist of the Year</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8:00-9:00</td>
<td>“Surgical Attire: Impact on Infection Control” Sheila Mays MHA, BSN, RN, CASC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9:00-10:00</td>
<td>“Are You Kidding Me? Situations Encountered in Specialty Patient Populations” Marlene Wolpert MPH, CIC, FAPIC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:00-10:20</td>
<td>Break</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10:20-11:30</td>
<td>“Preventing Catheter-Related Infections” William R. Jarvis, M.D.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11:30-1:00</td>
<td>President Luncheon/Business Meeting</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1:00-2:00</td>
<td>“Infection Control During Construction - Protecting the Patient Environment” Bobby Craigo MBA, CHSP</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2:00-3:00</td>
<td>“Making a Business Case for Infection Prevention” Connie Steed MSN, RN, CIC, FAPIC</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3:00</td>
<td>Closing remarks and evaluations</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Program Speakers

Bobby Craigo, 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  
Diversy, 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)

2018 APIC Palmetto Board Members

Shanetta Williams  
President

Wanda Summers  
President-elect

Jan Lienau  
Past President

Jennifer Macaluso  
Secretary

Gwen Usry  
Treasurer

Matthew Player  
Upstate Director

Ollie Davis  
Midlands Director

Renee Hilburn  
Lowcountry Director

2018 APIC Program Committee

Wanda Summers  
The Regional Medical Center

Ollie Davis  
Palmetto Health Richland

Gwen Usry  
Patewood Memorial Hospital  
Greenville Health System

Shaunte Belton-Moore  
Palmetto Health Baptist

Melanie Davis  
SC Department of Corrections

Patt Kopp  
DHEC

Deborah Rider  
The Regional Medical Center

Shanetta Williams  
Palmetto Health

Nursing CEUs

NURSING: Mid-Carolina AHEC, Inc. is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by The South Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission of Accreditation. AHEC: This program is approved for clock hours of continuing education by Mid-Carolina AHEC, Inc. and meets the SC AHEC Best Practices Standards. Participants must attend 90% of the program in order to receive a certificate of attendance. No partial credit will be given.
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______________________________

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Check the box next to your selection</th>
<th>Dates</th>
<th>Member</th>
<th>Non Member</th>
<th>Fees</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Day 1</td>
<td>□ Wed. Nov. 7</td>
<td>$125.00</td>
<td>$150.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Day 2</td>
<td>□ Thurs. Nov. 8</td>
<td>$125.00</td>
<td>$150.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Day 3</td>
<td>□ Fri. Nov. 9</td>
<td>$125.00</td>
<td>$150.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>All 3 days</td>
<td>□ Nov. 7 -9</td>
<td>$250.00</td>
<td>$300.00</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Total Amount Enclosed: ___________________

Mail completed registration form and payment to:

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

Questions? Call Gwen Usry at 864-797-1069 or Email: Gwen Usry at gusry@ghs.org