Infectious Diseases in Adults

April 23–27 2019
Boston, MA

This program is among the highest-rated Harvard Medical School CME courses

- Strategies to optimize patient outcomes
- Newer treatment approaches for highly resistant bacterial infections
- State-of-the-art approaches to common infections
- Clinical approaches to complex, rare, and “don’t-miss” infections
- New and emerging infectious diseases
- Update on antifungal diagnostics and therapies
- Optimal management of *Staph aureus* infections
- Infections in persons with substance use disorders
- What’s new in HIV management and prevention
- Musculoskeletal infectious diseases

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Course Description

Infectious Diseases in Adults provides important updates and state-of-the-art approaches for the prevention, diagnosis and management of infectious diseases: common, challenging, rare and emerging. This highly rated course focuses on major clinical syndromes as well as management controversies. It features a range of case-based, interactive, and problem-solving sessions from master clinicians in the field. Topics with major impact on clinical practice are emphasized. This includes infections of national and international importance.

The course provides education that ensures attendees are current with recent developments in the prevention and management of infections, including the newer antibacterial, antiviral and antiparasitic agents. Preventive treatments including vaccines and prophylaxis in travelers are reviewed. Newer diagnostic tests are presented.

New in 2019: Optional Pre-Course Workshops

State-of-the-Art Treatment of Hepatitis C Virus (HCV)
Monday, April 22, 3:30 - 5:30 pm

Principles and Practices for an Antimicrobial Stewardship Program (ASP)
Monday, April 22, 3:30 - 5:30 pm

Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Apply improved clinical skills in Infectious Diseases
- Utilize the latest strategies for the prevention, recognition, diagnosis, and treatment of important syndromes in Infectious Diseases
- Determine a differential diagnosis and initiate an appropriate diagnostic evaluation for the major infectious disease-related problems in clinical practice
- Analyze relevant areas of basic science to enable both the comprehension and the application of future discoveries to patient care

Overview

Course Director
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Associate Chief and Clinical Director, Division of Infectious Diseases, Massachusetts General Hospital; Associate Professor, Harvard Medical School

Course Co-Directors
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MGH Clinical Research Site Leader in the AIDS Clinical Trials Group; Director of the Harvard University Center for AIDS Research Clinical Core

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Arthur Kim, MD
Camille Nelson Kotton, MD
Alyssa R. Letourneau, MD, MPH
Michael Mansour, MD, PhD
Sandra B. Nelson, MD
Molly L. Paras, MD
Eric S. Rosenberg, MD
Edward T. Ryan, MD
Paul E. Sax, MD
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Sigal Yawetz, MD
Kimon C. Zachary, MD

Guest Faculty

Henry F. Chambers, MD
Professor of Medicine, University of California at San Francisco School of Medicine; Director, Clinical Research Services, UCSF Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute, San Francisco General Hospital

Jane E. Koehler, MA, MD
Professor of Medicine and Attending Physician, Division of Infectious Diseases, University of California at San Francisco

Susanna Naggie, MD, MHS
Associate Professor of Medicine, Duke University; Member, Duke Clinical Research Institute

Allan R. Tunkel, MD, PhD, MACP
Associate Dean for Medical Education, and Professor of Medicine and Medical Science, Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University
Clinical Decision-Making
Hear directly from world-renowned specialists and master clinicians on their approach and decision-making criteria for:

- Selecting the best antimicrobial and duration of treatment
- Utilizing newer diagnostic tests
- Diagnosing the low-probability, high-impact infections
- Rapidly detecting life-threatening infections
- Determining when and how long to hospitalize in the treatment of infectious diseases
- The outpatient transition: IV or oral?
- Optimizing empiric antimicrobial therapy: what to start, when to narrow or when to stop

Our talks and workshops incorporate safety, quality and practice improvement in infectious diseases, including:

- Antimicrobial stewardship workshop (optional)
- Infection control
- Early inpatient ID consultations to reduce mortality, length of stay, and cost
- Outpatient Parenteral Antibiotic Therapy (OPAT): best practices in program design and operation
- ID for hospital medicine practitioners

Treating Highly Resistant Infections, including:

- MRSA and vancomycin-intermediate *Staph aureus* (VISA)
- Extended spectrum beta-lactamase (ESBL)-producing gram negative rods
- Carbapenemase-producing gram negative rods, including the NDM-1 metallo-beta-lactamase-producing organisms
- Vancomycin-resistant enterococci (VRE)
- Azole-resistant fungal infections

Common Infectious Diseases: Updates in Prevention, Diagnosis and Treatment
Recent advances and guidelines in:

- Infections in immunocompromised hosts
- Infections in pregnancy, including Zika
- Infections in persons with substance use disorders
- Infections of travelers and foreign-born persons
- Systemic fungal infections
- Native and device-related orthopedic infections
- Native and device-related central nervous system (CNS) infections
- Ear, nose and throat (ENT) and eye infections
- Bronchiectasis and pneumonia
- HIV and its infectious and noninfectious complications
- PEP (Post-Exposure Prophylaxis) and PrEP (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis) to prevent HIV infection
- Sexually transmitted infections
- Hepatitis C monoinfection and coinfection
- Tick and mosquito-borne infections and zoonoses
- Vaccines and vaccine-preventable infections
- *Clostridium difficile* infection

Challenging, Rare, and Emerging Infectious Diseases
Comprehensive updates on:

- Zika, Ebola, Middle Eastern Respiratory Syndrome (MERS), and other emerging infectious diseases
- Re-emergence of vaccine-preventable diseases
- Pulmonary and extrapulmonary non-tuberculous ("atypical") mycobacteria, including *Mycobacterium chimaera*
- *Candida auris* infection
- Infections in travelers and immigrants
- Zoonoses—the old and the new

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AGENDA

Monday, April 22

1:30pm - 3:30pm  Registration

NEW | Optional Pre-Courses
(Choose one)

State-of-the-Art Treatment of Hepatitis C Virus (HCV)
3:30pm - 5:30pm
Arthur Kim, MD and Susanna Naggie, MD, MHS

HCV disease management continues to rapidly advance. This special program provides small-group, interactive, intensive and practical education for clinicians who wish to provide care for HCV-infected patients.

Highlights include:
• Screening and testing for HCV infection, and staging of liver disease for the non-hepatologist
• A comprehensive, targeted review of the treatment options for patients with HCV infection according to their HCV genotype, treatment experience and disease stage
• Best practices for patient assessment, treatment, monitoring, side effect management, and HCV care after cure (follow-up and cancer screening)
• Evolving strategies for management of HCV and HIV coinfection
• Guidance for managing persons with HCV and substance use disorders

Participants will leave with specific recommendations to improve the clinical care of people infected with HCV.

Principles and Practices for an Antimicrobial Stewardship Program (ASP)
3:30pm - 5:30pm
Alyssa R. Letourneau, MD, MPH

This special workshop provides evidence-based principles and strategies to:
• Build the necessary infrastructure and implement an effective ASP
• Comply with the CDC’s seven core elements for hospital ASPs
• Utilize and integrate the microbiology lab and pharmacy into a multidisciplinary ASP
• Identify the ways in which antimicrobial stewardship leads to improved outcomes, including:
  o Lower antimicrobial costs
  o Decreased incidence of resistant bacterial and candidal infections
  o Optimal antimicrobial dosing, administration and monitoring
• Utilize national benchmarking data to judge program outcomes and success
• Measure the impacts and improve the outcomes of stewardship interventions
• Create training programs for ASP practitioners (physicians, physician extenders, nurses and pharmacists) in your institution
• Optimize the use of rapid diagnostics through ASP oversight and interpretation

Tuesday, April 23

6:30am - 7:45am  Registration and Continental Breakfast

7:45am - 8:05am  Introduction and Road Map
Nesli Basgoz, MD

Morning Session • 8:05am – 12:35pm
Moderator: Dr. Nesli Basgoz

Major Antimicrobial Classes: The New Fundamentals
Alyssa R. Letourneau, MD, MPH
Q & A Session

New Antibiotics: Expanded Treatment Options for Resistant Infections
David C. Hooper, MD
Q & A Session

The Cost of Our Drugs: Branded, Generic and Why We Should Care
Rochelle P. Walensky, MD, MPH
Q & A Session

Coffee Break (Refreshments provided)

Current Approaches to Infection Control
Erica S. Shenoy, MD, PhD
Q & A Session

Update on Antifungal Diagnostics and Therapy
Michael Mansour, MD, PhD
Q & A Session

12:35pm - 1:50pm  Break for lunch*

Afternoon Session • 1:50pm – 4:55pm
Moderator: Dr. Nesli Basgoz

Staphylococcus aureus: Déjà Vu All Over Again
Henry F. Chambers, MD
Q & A Session

Advances in Treating Hepatitis C Mono-infection
Arthur Kim, MD
Q & A Session

Coffee Break (Refreshments provided)

Encephalitis and Healthcare-Associated CNS Infections: Guidelines and Best Practices
Allan R. Tunkel, MD, PhD, MACP
Q & A Session

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6:00pm - 8:00pm  Registration

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Accreditation

ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION
The Harvard Medical School is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Harvard Medical School designates this live activity for a maximum of 39.00 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

• Infectious Diseases in Adults (April 23-27): 37.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™
• Optional Pre-course Workshop (April 22): 1.75 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™
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Other events on Wednesday, April 24 include:
- **Conference on Retroviruses and Opportunistic Infections (CROI): 2019 Updates**
  - Nesli Basgoz, MD, Rajesh T. Gandhi, MD
  - Virginia Triant, MD, MPH, and Kevin L. Ard, MD, MPH
- **Breakfast Breakout Session**
  - 7:00am - 8:10am

Program changes/substitutions may be made without notice. To view the most up-to-date version of the course program, please visit the course website.

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- **Conference on Retroviruses and Opportunistic Infections (CROI): 2019 Updates**
  - Nesli Basgoz, MD, Rajesh T. Gandhi, MD
  - Virginia Triant, MD, MPH, and Kevin L. Ard, MD, MPH
- **Breakfast Breakout Session**
  - 7:00am - 8:10am
### Friday, April 26

6:30am - 8:00am **Continental Breakfast Served**

7:00am - 7:55am **Breakfast Breakout Session**

**Challenging Cases in Highly Resistant Bacterial Infections**

Alyssa R. Letourneau, MD, MPH and Ramy Elshabouri, PharmD, BCPS-AQ ID

7:55am - 8:00am **Q & A Session**

**Morning Session • 8:00am – 11:40am**

Moderator: Dr. Sandra B. Nelson

- Native Bone and Joint Infections: Age-Old Problems and New Challenges
  - Sandra B. Nelson, MD
- Tropical Medicine and Parasitology
  - Edward T. Ryan, MD
- Orthopedic Device Infections
  - Sandra B. Nelson, MD

11:40am - 12:55pm Break for lunch

### Saturday, April 27

6:30am - 8:00am **Continental Breakfast Served**

**Morning Session • 8:00am – 12:15pm**

Moderator: Dr. Nesli Basgoz

- ID Images: A Digital Library for Learning Infectious Diseases
  - Rajesh T. Gandhi, MD
- New and Emerging Viruses
  - Martin S. Hirsch, MD
- Infections in Pregnancy (including Zika)
  - Andrea Ciarennello, MD, MPH
- Zoonoses
  - Jane E. Koehler, MA, MD
- Clostridium difficile Infection, including Recurrent and Refractory Disease and Novel Approaches
  - Elizabeth Hohmann, MD

11:40am - 12:55pm Break for lunch

### AGENDA

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### PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

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Updates, Best Practices, and New Guidelines for PHYSICIANS, NPs, PAs, PHARMACISTS in:

- Infectious Diseases
- Hospital Medicine
- Internal Medicine
- Family Practice
- Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine
- Emergency Medicine

...and others who care for patients with infectious diseases

Course Director
Nesli Basgoz, MD

NEW | Optional Hepatitis C Treatment Pre-Course
NEW | Optional Antimicrobial Stewardship Pre-Course

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39.00 ABIM MOC Points
39.00 AAFP Prescribed credits
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Your Course Tuition Includes:
- Continental breakfast, and morning and afternoon refreshments
- A special reception on Thursday evening
- Complimentary internet in the meeting room
- Course materials as noted below:
  - Flash Drive (no additional fee): Each attendee will receive a flash drive containing a full-color syllabus.
  - The option to purchase one printed syllabus when you register for this program ($65) or on site ($100) by check or money order.

**IMPORTANT TO NOTE:** There will be a very limited supply of the printed syllabus for sale on site and only available on a first-come-first-served basis with payment by check or money order. If you would like a printed copy of the syllabus, we strongly recommend that you purchase it in advance, when you register for this program.

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At the end of the registration process, a $10 non-refundable processing fee will be added to your registration, and you will have the choice of paying by check, credit card (Visa, MasterCard, or American Express), or wire transfer in USD. If you are paying by check (draft on a United States bank) or by wire transfer, the online registration system will provide you with instructions for remitting your course fees. Postal, telephone, fax, and cash-payment registrations are not accepted. All fees shown in USD.

Upon receipt of your paid registration, an email confirmation will be sent to you. Be sure to include an email address that you check frequently. Your email address is used for critical information, including registration confirmation, evaluation, and certificate. Refunds, less an administrative fee of $75, will be issued for all cancellations received two weeks prior to the start of the course. Refund requests must be received by email. No refund will be issued should cancellation occur less than two weeks prior. “No shows” are subject to the full course fee and no refunds will be issued once the conference has started.

**Inquiries**
Call 617-384-8600 Mon-Fri 9am – 5pm (ET). Send e-mail to CEPrograms@hms.harvard.edu.

**Accommodations**
A limited number of rooms have been reserved at Fairmont Copley Plaza until April 18, 2019. You can call the hotel reservation line to make a room reservation: 1-800-441-1414. Please specify that you are enrolled in this activity to request the reduced room rate. You can also make your reservation online by going to the course website at ID.HMSCME.com and clicking on the dedicated reservation link on the Venue page.

*Please note that the discounted rooms are available on a first-come, first-served basis, and may sell out before the deadline.

Please do not make non-refundable travel arrangements until you have received an email from our office confirming your paid registration.

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