

Your Guide to Infection Control and Prevention: A Webinar Series

“Empowering Nurses to Protect Themselves and Their Patients: Examining the Role of the Environment in Infections Across the Continuum of Care”

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AGENDA

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11:00am – 12:00pm EST

American Nurses Association- Welcome/Opening Remarks	Seun Ross, DNP, MSN, CRNP-F, NP-C, NEA-BC, American Nurses Association
Emergency Nurses Association	Monica Escalante Kolbuk, MSN, RN, CEN, Senior Associate, Institute for Quality, Safety and Injury Prevention, Emergency Nurses Association
American Association of Critical-Care Nurses	Sarah Delgado, MSN RN ACNP, Clinical Practice Specialist, American Association of Critical-Care Nurses
Association of Rehabilitation Nurses	Ellen R. Jones MBA, BSN, RN, Infection Preventionist, Community Rehabilitation Hospital
American Nurses Association- Closing Remarks	Seun Ross, DNP, MSN, CRNP-F, NP-C, NEA-BC, American Nurses Association
Question and Answer	All Speakers

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES FOR THIS WEBINAR:

- Identify factors that influence environmental infection control practices across three diverse but interrelated nurse settings – ED, ICU, and Rehab.
- List three strategies useful to prevent contamination to and from the environment when caring for patients with infections and MDROs.
- Identify and list strategies to manage contact isolation when the patient leaves the room to participate in group settings.
- Verbalize the impact of appropriate communication that promotes infection control during transitions in care.

OBJECTIVES:

- Describe infection control techniques that reduce the risk and spread of healthcare-associated infections (HAI).
- Identify unsafe practices that place patients at risk for HAIs.
- Describe best practices for infection control and prevention in daily practice in healthcare settings.

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PREREQUISITES: General awareness of germ theory and basic level of infection control and prevention

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