

## Your Guide to Infection Control and Prevention: A Webinar Series

*“Empowering Nurses to Protect Themselves and Their Patients: A Discussion of Current Infection Prevention and Control Challenges in Maternal and Child Health Settings”*

**WC2720**

### **AGENDA**

**MAY 15, 2018**

11:00am – 12:00pm EST

American Nurses Association- Welcome/Opening Remarks	Seun Ross, DNP, MSN, CRNP-F, NP-C, NEA-BC, American Nurses Association
Association of Women’s Health, Obstetrics, and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)	Elizabeth Rochin, PhD, RN, NE-BC, Vice President, Nursing
National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners (NAPNAP)	Beth Luthy, DNP, FNP, Association Professor Brigham Young University
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Michael Bell, MD, Deputy Director, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion (DHQP)
Question and Answer	All Speakers
American Nurses Association- Closing Remarks	Seun Ross, DNP, MSN, CRNP-F, NP-C, NEA-BC, American Nurses Association
CE	Erica Tindall, MSN, MPH, APRN, AGNP-C, CIC, Health Research Analyst, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion (DHQP)

**Program Description:** The Nursing Infection Control Education Network (NICE Network), which seeks to empower nurses to protect themselves and their patients by providing real time infection prevention and control training to U.S. nurses, will host the final webinar in the Empowering Nurses to Protect Themselves and Their Patients series. The webinar titled A Discussion of Current Infection Prevention and Control Challenges in Maternal and Child Health Settings will feature the National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners and the Association of Women’s Health, Obstetrics, and Neonatal Nurses.

Nurses use their expertise and skills to help provide safe care and treatment to patients. Adherence to infection prevention and control recommendations is critical to prevent occupational exposures and the cross transmission of pathogens in healthcare settings. This webinar will discuss infection prevention practices and challenges in women's health, obstetrics, and pediatrics, the importance of standard precautions, and practical solutions and ways to implement infection control in these specialty environments.

**SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES FOR THIS WEBINAR:**

- Examine standard precautions as they relate to patient safety and occupational exposure risk
- Present challenges and practical solutions to increase adherence to infection prevention and control practices in these specialties
- Introduce risk recognition and implications for practice in the pediatric, women's health, obstetric, and neonatal specialties
- Discuss occupational exposure risks and considerations

**GENERAL 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.
- Apply standards, guidelines, best practices, and established processes related to safe and effective medication use

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**Expiration Date: June 16, 2020**

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**HARDWARE/SOFTWARE:** Computer Hardware; Internet connection;  
Browser

**MATERIALS:** None

**TARGET AUDIENCE:** Physicians, Physician Assistants, Nurse Practitioners, Registered Nurses, Health Educators, Pharmacists, Medical Residents, Epidemiologists, Laboratorians, Administrators

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

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