

SCHCA EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR ASSISTING FACILITIES TO MEET ROP PHASE II & III

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10 contact hours
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through the SC
LTC Board of
Long Term
Health Care
Administrators

Nursing Home Infection Prevention Program...Nipping Infections in the Bud©

The federal regulations require that all facilities:

•Establish an infection control program system for preventing, identifying, reporting, investigating,

and controlling infections and communicable diseases for all residents, staff, volunteers, visitors, and other individuals providing services under a contractual arrangement based upon the facility assessment.

- Written standards, policies and procedures for the program.
- An antibiotic stewardship program that includes antibiotic use protocols and a system to monitor antibiotic use. (Phase II)
- A system for recording incidents identified under the facility's IPCP and the corrective actions taken by the facility
- A designated Infection Preventionist(s)** (Phase III)
- QAA Committee on a regular basis, reported by Infection Preventionist(s) (Phase III)
- Annual review and update IPCP, as necessary.

Participants will receive training materials that will include an infection control manual. This program is interactive and will include exercises to enhance the learner's comprehension of the subject matter taught.

Participants will need to bring their own personal protective equipment (PPE). This includes gowns, gloves and disposable masks.

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“At the conclusion of this training, the participants will be able to design an effective infection control and prevention program. Participants who wish can take an overall examination upon completion of this program. Upon passage of the examination, the participant will receive a certificate as an endorsed Infection Preventionist



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DAY 1: Registration & Breakfast: 8:30-9:00

Education Begins: 9:00 AM

Regulatory Compliance

To identify the key components of an infection prevention and control program for nursing homes.

To identify Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) proposed regulatory requirement changes for infection prevention and control.

Foundations of Infection Prevention Program in

Nursing Homes

To discuss three major components of standard precautions.

To define transmission-based precautions.

To identify when transmission-based precautions should be applied and discontinued.

To identify procedures for donning and doffing personal protective equipment (PPE).

To practice donning and doffing PPE.

Environmental Cleaning & Disinfection

To identify the environment's role in spreading infections.

To define the Spaulding Classification Scheme for disinfection of patient/resident care items.

To understand disinfectant product labels and how to select appropriate disinfectants for your nursing home.

To identify five components of a cleaning and disinfection practice bundle.

To identify five proper cleaning/disinfection practices.

To identify proper procedure for cleaning up blood and body fluid spills.

To identify three strategies to ensure water system safety.

To identify three strategies for the proper handling of linens.

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-5:00 pm Education Continues

Injection & Medication Safety

To identify Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines for injection safety.

To identify proper procedures for managing and using point of care devices in long-term care.

To define aseptic technique.

Surveillance

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- To define surveillance and surveillance terms.
- To identify components of a surveillance plan.
- To discuss data collection methodologies.
- To identify the components of a surveillance report.
- To discuss data-driven decision making.

Infection Prevention Risk Assessment

- To define infection control risk assessment.
- To describe the process for completing an infection control risk assessment.
- To practice completing and infection control risk assessment.

Employee/Occupational Health

- To identify vaccinations health care workers should have.
- To discuss tuberculosis (TB) screening recommendations.
- To identify when health care worker should be excluded from patient care activities and/or work duties.
- To identify blood borne pathogen post-exposure action steps

Respiratory tract infections

- To identify McGeer surveillance criteria for respiratory tract infections.
- To discuss pneumonia and viral respiratory tract infections.
- To discuss isolation guidelines for respiratory tract infections.
- To identify vaccination guidelines for respiratory infections.

DAY 2: Breakfast 8:15-8:30

Education Begins: 8:30 am-12:45 pm

Skin, soft tissue, and wound infections

- To identify McGeer surveillance criteria for skin, soft tissue and wound infections.
- To identify McGeer surveillance criteria for scabies and Herpes Zoster.

Clostridium Difficile and Other Gastrointestinal Infections

- To define CDI and risk factors.
- To identify surveillance criteria & laboratory testing guidelines
- To discuss isolation and cohorting guidelines.
- To identify environmental cleaning and disinfection

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To identify McGeer criteria of other gastrointestinal infections.

Urinary Tract Infections

To define McGeer criteria for UTI.

To identify McGeer surveillance criteria for urinary tract infections.

To discuss isolation guidelines.

To identify asymptomatic bacteremia and IDSA guidelines.

To discuss proper pericare and hydration to decrease UTIs.

To identify indication for use and maintenance of urinary catheters.

To identify proper specimen collection and handling.

Multi-drug Resistant Organisms and Antibiotic Stewardship

To define multi-drug resistant organisms (MDRO).

To identify and define the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) seven core elements of antibiotic stewardship for nursing homes.

To identify two strategies to support antibiotic stewardship in nursing homes.

To identify McGeer surveillance criteria for scabies and Herpes Zoster.