



MAY 2025

Education

Interested in In-Person Training?

We hope to see you at our upcoming in-person courses in Denver, Colorado this fall! This is your chance to connect, network, and surround yourself with fellow IPs. We are offering foundational acute care, ambulatory, and outpatient setting trainings, as well as certification prep courses.

[| Learn more about these offerings.](#)

APIC25 Expert Library Sign-Up

The APIC Expert Library booth is back at APIC25! If you are interested in checking out a "book/expert" this year, please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. The deadline to sign-up is June 16 by 10 am.

Please be sure to turn on notifications when signing up so that we may send you reminders about your appointment.

[| Click Here to Sign-Up](#)

2025 IPC Collaboration Series Call for Speakers: NOW OPEN!

The Call for Speakers application is now open! This year's theme is: "Infection Preventionists in Non-Traditional Settings". All applications must be received no later than **11:59 p.m. ET on July 7, 2025**. Incomplete applications will not be considered for review. Please direct any questions to eLearning@apic.org.

We Want Your Feedback on the EIPAC Framework

Thank you to those who've shared feedback on the Ethical Infection Prevention and Control (EIPAC) Decision-Making Framework, developed by APIC and IPAC Canada. If you haven't yet, we'd love to hear from you. Your insights will help us improve the framework's clarity, accessibility, and real-world impact. The [anonymous survey](#) takes just 3–5 minutes to complete. Responses are due June 19th.

Chapter Updates

Celebrating Chapters!

Monday, June 16th is Chapter Appreciation Day at Annual and this day is all about coming together to celebrate chapters and all that you do for APIC and the profession. It's a chance to show your chapter pride—wear your colors, share your enthusiasm, and connect with others who are passionate about making a difference. Let's make it a full day of energy, unity, and celebration! Please visit the [Annual Conference website](#) for updates.

Chapter Leader Calls

The chapter calls for the remainder of the year are listed below. Please note that these are listed by role and if you haven't registered, don't worry because we included the zoom link for each meeting to make it easier. Please note all meetings take place at 2pm ET.

Chapter Presidents

July 17 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

September 18 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

Chapter Leaders

August 14 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

October 16 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

November 13 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

December 18 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

Chapter Treasurers

October 9 – click [here](#) for the Zoom link to join

IMPORTANT! Please complete this [survey](#) to share your recommendations for future chapter calls to ensure we are providing you with the information you need to help you in your role as chapter leaders.

NEW! Question of the Month

Each month, we are going to ask a question that we hope will solicit ideas and inspiration that are on topics of interest to you. Results will be shared in the June newsletter but also in upcoming chapter calls. This month we want to know how you are using social media to grow your chapters and increase engagement. Click [here](#) to share what your chapter is doing.

Chapter Leader Resource Center Tip of the Month

Did you know that each chapter has a member of the Membership Engagement Committee (MEC) assigned as a dedicated liaison to help answer any questions? Your liaison is an experienced IP and long-term member who has experience working with their own local chapter(s). To learn who your liaison is, please visit the [Chapter Leader Resource Center](#) and once logged in, select “MEC” and then “Resources” from the top navigation or click [here](#).

CBIC

Did you know your chapter activities can count toward Infection

Prevention Units (IPUs)?

If your chapter hosts a single-day educational conference, you can award 5 IPUs to attendees by providing a certificate or letter of attendance. Multi-day conferences qualify for 10 IPUs.

Other educational activities, such as webinars or workshops, are eligible for IPUs on an hour-by-hour basis. Pre-approval from CBIC is not required.

Chapter leaders also earn 3 IPUs per year for their service. This includes roles such as Chapter President, President-Elect, Treasurer, Secretary, Committee Chair, and similar leadership positions.

Please note: IPUs are not awarded for social events or general chapter membership.

To learn more about the recertification process, please visit the [CBIC website](#).

We look forward to seeing many of you at the upcoming APIC Conference! Be sure to stop by the CBIC booth to get your certification and recertification questions answered and to meet our staff.

APIC Consulting

Consulting 101 for IPs: How to Get Started Now!

Friday, June 27, 2025 | 1 PM – 3 PM ET

IPs interested in independent consulting work can step into the world of infection prevention and control (IPC) consulting with **Consulting 101 for IPs: How to Get Started Now!** Presented by APIC Consulting, this virtual and interactive course provides the foundational and practical insights necessary to explore this dynamic field. Consulting provides flexibility for those interested in part-time work, aspiring to start their own business, or preferring to join an established consulting firm. The session includes 90 minutes of live instruction followed by a 30-minute interactive Q&A. Registrants will receive access to the post-workshop recording for easy, on-demand viewing.

[| Registration & More Information](#)

Industry & Partners

AHRQ is currently recruiting acute care hospital units for a free 9-month program to implement and improve evidence-based practices for prevention of central line-associated bloodstream infections (CLABSI). Units will receive training and one-on-one expert coaching to implement sustainable improvements to their infection prevention practices.



To learn if your hospital is eligible, sign up for an informational webinar, or apply for the program, click [here](#).



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