

MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA October 28, 2014

Welcome / Call to Order / Introductions

Angela Vassallo (2 mins)

Educational Presentation

Annemarie Flood (45 mins)

Antimicrobial Stewardship Programs

Annemarie Flood, RN, BSN, CIC, is the Infection Prevention Program Manager for City of Hope in Duarte, California. Ms. Flood has been working in the field of infection prevention for nearly 15 years. Her specialties include infection prevention and the immunocompromised patient, and the environment of care and its interface with infection prevention.

Ms. Flood received her BSN at Hunter College-Bellevue School of Nursing in New York. She is currently working toward her MPH at Walden University in Minneapolis. Ms. Flood is a frequent lecturer and has published articles in the *American Journal of Infection Control, Nursing and Critical Care*, and *American Journal of Transplantation*, as well "The Immunocompromised Host" chapter in the APIC Text 4th Edition. Ms. Flood has been active in the Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC) for over a decade. She is past President of the Greater Los Angeles APIC chapter and currently serves as the Chair of APIC's Public Policy Committee.

Vendor Presentation

Jeremy Marlow (15 mins)

Lunch Sponsored by Metrex

Business Meeting

Holiday Party (Evite to follow)

Angela Vassallo (10 mins)

GLA APIC BOARD invites you to the holiday luncheon!

Friday, December 05, 2014, 12:00 PM - 03:00 PM

Mas Malo restaurant, 515 W 7th St, Los Angeles, CA 90014 (downtown LA)

Please pay with cash or checks payable to GLA APIC (\$35 per person)

RSVP to Jadaha Chatterjee at jchatterjee@chla.usc.edu

Discussion on July & Sept Minutes Communications Committee Report Treasurer's Report Public Policy Report Angela Vassallo (10 mins)
Jessica Silvaggio (10 mins)
Aileen de los Angeles (10 mins)
Mary Virgallito (10 mins)

Ebola Preparedness discussion

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